

SERVE God and Others



Jesus calls us to live a life of service to both God and others. Essential to following Jesus is to serve daily. Try these simple practices each day this week:

In the morning,
read these reminders from scripture...

Micah 6:8

What does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

Matthew 20:26-28

Whoever wishes to be great among you must be your servant...just as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many.

Then pray this simple prayer...

"Here I am Lord, send me on your mission. Use me to bless at least five people today."

As you go about your day, think about the five fingers on your hand and find five ways to offer kindness or service.

In the evening, look at each finger and recount the ways you served or offered kindness to someone. Thank God for giving you the ability to serve and show loving kindness today.



"How to Help"

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The Three General Rules of Methodism

1. Do no _____. 2. Do good acts of _____. 3. Do good acts of _____.
The first two weeks of this series we looked at _____, _____, and _____.
This week, we focus on the third rule of our faith: _____ others.

The words serve and servant appear more than _____ times in the Bible.
_____ are the servants of God.

God's primary mode of working in the world is through people.
– Adam Hamilton

If we know it, why don't we do it?

If the devil can't make you _____, he'll make you _____.

We all serve _____. Joshua 24:14-15 NIV

Last weekend, Chantelle and I went to Wichita after church.

Our lack of _____ is really a lack of _____. Matthew 9:35-38

Jesus _____ the people because he _____ the people.

When is the last time your heart _____?

What did Jesus say? Matthew 20:26-28

Whoever wishes to be _____ must be a _____.

Jesus came to earth to _____ and _____ his life.

A disciple of Jesus is a _____, a student, an apprentice of this life.

Mark 12:31: Love your _____ as yourself.

The Christian Witness Micah 6:8

The early church didn't have COVID-19. The early church dealt with _____.

The church developed the first _____.

In 1860, a Jesus follower named Jean Henri Dunant started the _____.

What marks Christianity across centuries is _____ and _____.

The early Methodists started _____, health clinics, orphanages, and colleges.

Ephesians 2:10: We are made for good _____ which are to be our way of _____.

The happiest people on earth volunteer (serve) on average _____ per week.

Action Steps:

Pray Luke 1:38: "Let it be with _____ according to your word."

Allow yourself to be _____ this week by God or a person in need.

Warning: Serving is messy, inconvenient, and requires a change in _____.

Choose and commit to _____ acts of kindness each week.

Sign up today for _____ of those acts of kindness on the back of the white card.