



**Vision**  
Connecting People to Jesus

**Mission**  
Worship | Grow | Serve | Tell

**Serve**

**The Bible tells us that we should be serving  
God and others**

**Serving God**

### **Serving God**

1 Samuel 12:24 (NLT)

<sup>24</sup> But be sure to fear the LORD and faithfully serve him. Think of all the wonderful things he has done for you.

### **Serving God**

Joshua 22:5 (NLT)

<sup>5</sup> But be very careful to obey all the commands and the instructions that Moses gave to you. Love the LORD your God, walk in all his ways, obey his commands, hold firmly to him, and serve him with all your heart and all your soul."

### **Serving God**

John 12:26 (NLT)

<sup>26</sup> Anyone who wants to serve me must follow me, because my servants must be where I am. And the Father will honor anyone who serves me.

### **Serving God**

Romans 12:11 (NLT)

<sup>11</sup> Never be lazy, but work hard and serve the Lord enthusiastically

### **Serving others**

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1 Peter 4:10 (NLT)

<sup>10</sup> God has given each of you a gift from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another.

### **Serving Others**

Hebrews 6:10 (NLT)

<sup>10</sup> For God is not unjust. He will not forget how hard you have worked for him and how you have shown your love to him by caring for other believers, as you still do.

### **Serving Others**

Mark 9:35 (NLT)

<sup>35</sup> He sat down, called the twelve disciples over to him, and said, "Whoever wants to be first must take last place and be the servant of everyone else."

### **Serving Others**

Galatians 5:13 (NLT)

<sup>13</sup> For you have been called to live in freedom, my brothers and sisters. But don't use your freedom to satisfy your sinful nature. Instead, use your freedom to serve one another in love.

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**The way we serve God is by Serving Others**

### Serving God by Serving Others

Mark 10:45 (NLT)

<sup>45</sup> For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve others and to give his life as a ransom for many.

### Serving God by Serving Others

Matthew 25:31-46 (NLT)

<sup>31</sup> "But when the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit upon his glorious throne. <sup>32</sup> All the nations will be gathered in his presence, and he will separate the people as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. <sup>33</sup> He will place the sheep at his right hand and the goats at his left. <sup>34</sup> "Then the King will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed by my Father, inherit the Kingdom prepared for you from the creation of the world. <sup>35</sup> For I was hungry, and you fed me. I was thirsty, and you gave me a drink. I was a stranger, and you invited me into your home. <sup>36</sup> I was naked, and you gave me clothing. I was sick, and you cared for me. I was in prison, and you visited me.' <sup>37</sup> "Then these righteous ones will reply, 'Lord, when did we ever see you hungry and feed you? Or thirsty and give you something to drink?

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<sup>38</sup> Or a stranger and show you hospitality? Or naked and give you clothing? <sup>39</sup> When did we ever see you sick or in prison and visit you?' <sup>40</sup> "And the King will say, 'I tell you the truth, when you did it to one of the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were doing it to me!' <sup>41</sup> "Then the King will turn to those on the left and say, 'Away with you, you cursed ones, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his demons. <sup>42</sup> For I was hungry, and you didn't feed me. I was thirsty, and you didn't give me a drink. <sup>43</sup> I was a stranger, and you didn't invite me into your home. I was naked, and you didn't give me clothing. I was sick and in prison, and you didn't visit me.' <sup>44</sup> "Then they will reply, 'Lord, when did we ever see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and not help you?' <sup>45</sup> "And he will answer, 'I tell you the truth, when you refused to help the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were refusing to help me.' <sup>46</sup> "And they will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous will go into eternal life."

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Matthew 25:40,45 (NLT)

<sup>40</sup> "And the King will say, 'I tell you the truth, when you did it to one of the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were doing it to me!... <sup>45</sup> "And he will answer, 'I tell you the truth, when you refused to help the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were refusing to help me.

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Galatians 6:10 (ESV)

<sup>10</sup> So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.

**Now What?**

Now We Serve

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