

Logistics, Labor, & Love & The Mission of God

Titus 3:12-15

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- Saved To Serve — Dress Up Good Doctrine With Good Deeds

Logistics: Why the Details Matter for the Mission of God (3:12-13)

1. People are Important for the Mission of God
2. Plans are Important for the Mission of God
3. Decisions are Important for the Mission of God
4. Communication is Important for the Mission of God

Labor: Why Good Works Matter to the Mission of God (3:13-14)

1. Seeing Real Needs is Important for the Mission of God (3:13)
2. Meeting Real Needs is Important for the Mission of God (3:14)
 - **How?** Learn to Devote Yourself to Good Works Through the Gospel!
 - **Why?**
 1. To Help Cases of Urgent Need
 2. So We are Not Unfruitful
 3. How You Labor to Love Others Who are on Mission for God, Makes You Become a Fruitful Participant in the Mission of God!

Love: The Power to Live the Mission of God (3:15)

1. **Together:** We are Not Alone in the Mission of God (Go 2x2 together)
2. **Greet:** How We Greet & Gather is Important to the Mission of God
3. **Friendship:** Focus on Friendship Love in the Faith
4. **Grace:** When You Know Grace You Give Grace

Logistics Matter Because Relationships Matter, Because the Mission of God Matters!

Community Group Discussion Questions:

1. Read Titus 3:12-15. What in this passage and sermon stuck out for you?
2. Paul focuses on logistical matters in Titus 3:12-13. Why are logistical matters important to the mission of God? How have you seen this in your own life?
3. Are there any urgent needs you know of right now in the body of Christ? In any missionaries' lives? Any urgent needs in your Community Group? What can you do to help?
4. What does it mean to live an "unfruitful" life? How productive and fruitful is your life? What areas could it be more fruitful?
5. Paul was concerned about planting and strengthening churches throughout his life and throughout the book of Titus. How does the gospel of God's grace strengthen you to strengthen churches? How can you strengthen SW Hills Baptist Church this year?