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Weekly Bulletin

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# Baby Bottle Drive

Thank you for contributing to our Elizabeth New Life Center baby bottle drive over the past month. All bottles are due back NEXT SUNDAY, March 12th. There are 15 bottles left to be taken if you'd like to grab one today.

# **Member Meeting**

Our next member meeting is Sunday, March 19th. Molly will be sending out the link for the potluck, but the menu will be the same as January (taco bar) since the snow storm prohibited the potluck then. Plan to stick around after service for a lunch and the meeting.

# The Valley Ladies Event

The Valley Ladies are gathering for an afternoon of sweet desserts at Cheesecakery on Saturday, March 18th beginning at 2:00pm. Feel free to invite a friend.

## **Easter Door Hangers**

Join us next Sunday after service as we work alongside our missions team to hang Easter invite door hangers on every door in Norwood. Invite a family to a quick lunch after service and return to join us in the effort. Bring your walking shoes!

# LAST WEEK'S GIVING TOTAL: \$4,869.08

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# Acts 21:1-16

The Apostle Paul had a passion, a love, and a gospel-driven resolve to carry this message to the people he believed God called him. We, too, are called to be ministers unique to our own life situations.

#### 1. It's all about loving people.

Gospel-driven ministry is a call to love God and love people. Loving people with gospel-driven motivation is to desire them both to receive salvation and to mature in Christ.

- Have you experienced a type of ministry that preached salvation, but never personally involved themselves in the lives of those who came to Christ?
- What's some ways that you have personally experienced this from a fellow believer?
- Have you had someone pour into your life to help you grow in Christ? How?

## 2. Not everyone should be a pastor, and that's okay.

There were many people who aided in gospel expansion that we never hear about. These people were extremely important for the spread of the gospel.

- Do you know anyone who has modeled this kind of faithful service?
- Are you willing to see how even you have been an extremely important role in gospel expansion?
- What are some ways we fill the role of "missionaries cleverly disguised" in our lives?

### 3. We act according to what changes us.

We are driven in our hearts to put into action what we profoundly experience. Why?

- In what ways have you found this to be true in your life? (think practical things in life)
- How does this work in us when it comes to the gospel? How does it change the narrative of our pursuits? How does this affect our motivations?