



# WEEK THIRTY

## THE CHURCH SERVES

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### Day 1

1. Begin your study time with prayer and read Acts 6:1-7.
2. What complaint was made against the disciples? (fyi- Hellenists are greek-speaking Jews)
3. How did the disciples respond to this complaint? Why is it important that the disciples continue to focus on the Word?
4. What type of men were chosen to serve? Do you embody any of these qualities?
5. Write out this week's memory verse on a notecard or a piece of paper and post it somewhere you will see it often (ex: bathroom mirror, desk, bedroom, backpack, etc)

#### Memory Verse:

**“just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many”**

**- Matthew 20:28**

#### I'm praying about:

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## Day 2

1. Begin your study time with prayer.
2. What does it mean to serve God? According to Deuteronomy 10:12, how are we called to serve God?
3. Read 1 Peter 4:9-11. This verse states that we have received gifts for two purposes, what are those purposes? How does God receive glory when we serve?
4. Luke 4:8 makes it clear that if we call ourself a Christian we should serve God. Do you want to serve God? Explain your answer. (see 2 Cor 9:12-13, Hebrews 12:28 & 6:10)
5. Write out this weeks memory verse below.

## Day 3

1. Begin your study time with prayer.
2. Read Matthew 20:28. According to this verse why did Jesus come to Earth? What examples can you think of where Jesus served others?
3. Read John 13:1-17. What stands out to you in this passage?
4. Read Philippians 2:6-8. What did Jesus give up to become a servant?
5. Write out this weeks memory verse below.

## Day 4

1. Begin your study time with prayer.
2. Read Ephesians 2:10. How has God worked in you? How has God worked through you?
  
3. We are called to be imitators of Jesus if we confess that He is our Lord & Savior. Do you want to serve others? Explain. (see 1 John 3:16)
  
4. Read Philippians 2:1-4. Do you count others more significant than yourself? Why or why not? Is it just some people or all people? The world teaches us the opposite of this verse which can make this concept hard.
  
5. Write out this weeks memory verse below.

## Day 5

1. Begin your study time with prayer.
2. Read Isaiah 6:8. This was Isaiah's response to the call of serving the Lord. What ways do you serve God/others/the church?
  
3. If you are not serving in any capacity, what areas would you be interested in serving? (serving does not have to be done in the physical church setting)
  
4. We often discover our spiritual gift(s) during serving. What types of spiritual gifts exist? (see Romans 12:6-8 and 1 Corinthians 12:4-11)
  
5. Write out this weeks memory verse below. If you want to start serving the church body, please reach out to a leader to get involved!