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“ 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.”

~ MATTHEW 20:28 (NLT)

WE ARE MADE TO BE _____ NOT _____ .

“ Is there any encouragement from belonging to Christ? Any comfort from his love? Any fellowship together in the Spirit? Are your hearts tender and compassionate? Then make me truly happy by agreeing wholeheartedly with each other, loving one another, and working together with one mind and purpose.

Don't be selfish; don't try to impress others. Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourselves. Don't look out only for your own interests, but take an interest in others, too.”

~ PHILIPPIANS 2:1-4 (NLT)

WE ARE MADE TO SERVE _____ .

“ In his grace, God has given us different gifts for doing certain things well. So if God has given you the ability to prophesy, speak out with as much faith as God has given you. If your gift is serving others, serve them well. If you are a teacher, teach well. If your gift is to encourage others, be encouraging. If it is giving, give generously. If God has given you leadership ability, take the responsibility seriously. And if you have a gift for showing kindness to others, do it gladly.”

~ ROMANS 12:6-8 (NLT)

Be _____ not _____ .

WE ARE MADE TO SERVE _____ .

“ You are the light of the world - like a city on a hilltop that cannot be hidden. No one lights a lamp and then puts it under a basket. Instead, a lamp is placed on a stand, where it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father.”

~ MATTHEW 5:14-16 (NLT)

“ The apostles testified powerfully to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and God’s great blessing was upon them all. There were no needy people among them, because those who owned land or houses would sell them and bring the money to the apostles to give to those in need.”

~ ACTS 4:33-35 (NLT)

The _____ does not _____.

We are _____ and we _____.

SO WHAT?

“ For we are God’s masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.”

~ EPHESIANS 2:10 (NLT)

There is _____ beneath me.

“ After washing their feet, he put on his robe again and sat down and asked, ‘Do you understand what I was doing? You call me ‘Teacher’ and ‘Lord,’ and you are right, because that’s what I am. And since I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you ought to wash each other’s feet. I have given you an example to follow. Do as I have done to you.’”

~ JOHN 13:12-15 (NLT)

DISCUSSION Questions:

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1 - Hold the lettuce, light mayo, double shot espresso, extra foam.
What do you like to “have it your way”?

What are you more flexible on?

2 - What are some places you expect to be a consumer?

What are some places you naturally expect to have to be a contributor?

3 - How do you move from consumer to contributor when it comes to God’s church?

4 - Who are some people at our church that you have noticed are big-time spiritual contributors?

5 - Re-read Romans 12:6-8. What gift listed is one you may have and can share with God’s family?

How can you put that gift into action?

6 - Re-read Matthew 5:14-16. How can your group shine the light of Jesus so that others will see Jesus?

7 - What new way can you contribute to God’s church that will help us “be the church” and “exist for the world”?

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