

Title: Watchfulness

Scripture: Luke 12:35-48

Date Preached: February 21, 2021

DISCUSSION STARTER:

When you are preparing to go on a trip, are you a last-minute packer or do you pack days in advance?

DISCUSSION:

Read the scripture text as a group. If you were unable to worship with us on Sunday, you can watch this week's sermon at <u>my.worthingtoncc.org/listen</u>.

- 1. Read verses 35-40. What is Jesus saying in these verses about preparation? As a follower of Jesus, what does it mean to be prepared?
- 2. As a result of the servant's preparation, how were they greeted by the master? What does this say about the way Jesus will greet his followers upon his arrival?
- 3. Jesus stated, "You must always be ready." What does he mean by this? Do you find waiting to be easy or difficult?
- 4. Read verse 41-48. What is the message to us while we wait for the return of Jesus?
- 5. Jesus encourages his followers to remain faithful and be wise managers. How can you wisely manage the time, talent, and treasure which you have?

MY NEXT STEP:

Read verse 48. How do you feel led to respond to what God has entrusted to you?

Next Week's Sermon Title: Ten Minas