

- I. Introduction
  - A. Supply Definition
    1. To make something needed available.
  - B. God's plan for every service includes our supply:
    1. Our supply of worship
    2. Our supply of attention
    3. Our supply of participation
    4. Our supply of response
    5. Our supply of giving
  - C. The level by which we receive from the Lord will be connected to the supply that we bring.
    1. If we are half in – we will only get half of what He desires for us.
    2. If we are disengaged or uninterested, we are not going to receive much.
    3. If we give our ALL – imagine what we can receive from the Lord.
    4. It is important that we come to church BRINGING OUR SUPPLY.
- II. Examples of Supply in scripture.
  - A. Solomons Temple
    1. 2 Chron 5:11-14 NKJV “And it came to pass when the priests came out of the *Most Holy Place* (for all the priests who *were* present had sanctified themselves, without keeping to their divisions), and the Levites *who were* the singers, all those of Asaph and Heman and Jeduthun, with their sons and their brethren, stood at the east end of the altar, clothed in white linen, having cymbals, stringed instruments and harps, and with them one hundred and twenty priests sounding with trumpets—indeed it came to pass, when the trumpeters and singers *were* as one, to make one sound to be heard in praising and thanking the LORD, and when they lifted up their voice with the trumpets and cymbals and instruments of music, and praised the LORD, *saying: ‘For He is good, For His mercy endures forever,’* that the house, the house of the LORD, was filled with a cloud, so that the priests could not continue ministering because of the cloud; for the glory of the LORD filled the house of God.”

- a. Notice everyone is bringing their supply.
  - b. Notice when everyone becomes ONE VOICE the glory fills the house.
  - c. No one was spectating.
  - d. Everyone was participating.
  - e. It is important that you bring your supply to the service.
    - Your worship
    - Your faith
- B. People in Jesus' ministry
1. Nazareth:
    - a. *What did they bring?*

Mark 6:1-6 NKJV "Then He went out from there and came to His own country, and His disciples followed Him. And when the Sabbath had come, He began to teach in the synagogue. And many hearing *Him* were astonished, saying, 'Where *did* this Man *get* these things? And what wisdom *is* this which is given to Him, that such mighty works are performed by His hands! Is this not the carpenter, the Son of Mary, and brother of James, Joses, Judas, and Simon? And are not His sisters here with us?' So they were offended at Him. But Jesus said to them, 'A prophet is not without honor except in his own country, among his own relatives, and in his own house.' Now He could do no mighty work there, except that He laid His hands on a few sick people and healed *them*. And He marveled because of their unbelief. Then He went about the villages in a circuit, teaching"
    - b. They brought a supply of unbelief, reasoning, speculation, doubt.
    - c. They did not bring a supply of faith.
    - d. Because they did not bring their supply, He could not SUPPLY
    - e. He moved on to those who would bring a supply in the villages.
  2. Gennesaret:
    - a. Mark 6:53-56 NKJV "When they had crossed over, they landed at Gennesaret and anchored there. As soon as they got out of the boat, people recognized Jesus. They ran throughout that whole region and carried the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. And wherever he went—into villages, towns or countryside—they placed the sick in the marketplaces. They begged him to let them touch even the edge of his cloak, and all who touched it were healed"

## 3. Change of Attitude

- a. Mark 9:14-27 NKJV “And when He came to the disciples, He saw a great multitude around them, and scribes disputing with them. Immediately, when they saw Him, all the people were greatly amazed, and running to *Him*, greeted Him. And He asked the scribes, ‘What are you discussing with them?’ Then one of the crowd answered and said, ‘Teacher, I brought You my son, who has a mute spirit. And wherever it seizes him, it throws him down; he foams at the mouth, gnashes his teeth, and becomes rigid. So I spoke to Your disciples, that they should cast it out, but they could not.’ He answered him and said, ‘O faithless generation, how long shall I be with you? How long shall I bear with you? Bring him to Me.’ Then they brought him to Him. And when he saw Him, immediately the spirit convulsed him, and he fell on the ground and wallowed, foaming at the mouth. So He asked his father, ‘How long has this been happening to him?’ And he said, ‘From childhood. And often he has thrown him both into the fire and into the water to destroy him. But if You can do anything, have compassion on us and help us.’ Jesus said to him, ‘If you can believe, all things *are* possible to him who believes.’ Immediately the father of the child cried out and said with tears, ‘Lord, I believe; help my unbelief!’ When Jesus saw that the people came running together, He rebuked the unclean spirit, saying to it, ‘Deaf and dumb spirit, I command you, come out of him and enter him no more!’ Then *the spirit* cried out, convulsed him greatly, and came out of him. And he became as one dead, so that many said, ‘He is dead.’ But Jesus took him by the hand and lifted him up, and he arose.”
- b. *Jesus says, MY SUPPLY isn't in question: If you can bring the Supply of FAITH – all things are possible to him that believeth.*