



Compassion *in action*

“The Golden Rule” | Pastor Gordon Tsai | December 14th, 2025

Matthew 7:12

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Leader: The Word of the Lord

Congregation: Amen! Praise be
to God!



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Luke 10:25-37

²⁵ On one occasion an expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. “Teacher,” he asked, “what must I do to inherit eternal life?” ²⁶ “What is written in the Law?” he replied. “How do you read it?”

²⁷ He answered, “**Love the Lord** your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind’; and, ‘**Love your neighbor** as yourself.’”

Luke 10:25-37

²⁸ “You have answered correctly,” Jesus replied. “Do this and you will live.” ²⁹ But he wanted to justify himself, so he asked Jesus, “And who is my neighbor?”

³⁰ In reply Jesus said: “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, when he was **attacked** by robbers. They stripped him of his clothes, beat him and went away, leaving him half dead.”

Luke 10:25-37

³¹ A **priest** happened to be going down the same road, and when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. ³² So too, a **Levite**, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side.

³³ But a Samaritan, as he traveled, came where the man was; and when he saw him, he took pity on him.



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³⁴ He went to him and **bandaged** his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he put the man on his **own donkey**, brought him to **an inn** and **took care of him**.

³⁵ The next day he took out **two denarii** and gave them to the innkeeper. 'Look after him,' he said, 'and when I return, I will reimburse you for any extra expense you may have.'



Luke 10:25-37

³⁶ “Which of these three do you think was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of robbers?”

³⁷ The expert in the law replied, “The one who had mercy on him.”

Jesus told him, “Go and do likewise.”



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Living the Golden Rule

- In our **conduct**.



Living the Golden Rule

- In our **conduct**.
- In our **words**.



Living the Golden Rule

- In our **conduct**.
- In our **words**.
- In our **relationships**.

