



# TITUS

Experience Church







# THE CHURCH'S DEVOTION

Titus 3:8-15





*Our devotion to good works is the result of our devotion to the Good One.*

**SUMMARY STATEMENT**



*The saying is trustworthy, and I want you to insist on these things, so that those who have believed in God may be careful to devote themselves to good works.*

*These things are excellent and profitable for people.*

*Titus 3:8*

**I. INSIST ON ACTION**





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**BE INTENTIONAL**

**After Jesus had washed his disciples' feet and had put his outer garment back on, he sat down again. Then he said: Do you understand what I have done? You call me your teacher and Lord, and you should, because that is who I am. And if your Lord and teacher has washed your feet, you should do the same for each other. I have set the example, and you should do for each other exactly what I have done for you. I tell you for certain that servants are not greater than their master, and messengers are not greater than the one who sent them. You know these things, and God will bless you, if you do them.**

***John 13:12-17 (CEV)***



When we insist on action  
we wash the feet of others.





*But avoid foolish controversies, genealogies, dissensions, and quarrels about the law, for they are unprofitable and worthless. As for a person who stirs up division, after warning him once and then twice, have nothing more to do with him, knowing that such a person is warped and sinful; he is self-condemned.*

*Titus 3:9-11*

## II. RESIST DISTRACTION





A. Don't let difficulties in doctrine distract you.

Learn by **DOING**.





# EVOLUTION

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B. Don't let difficult disciples distract you.





When we resist distraction we  
focus on the greater good.

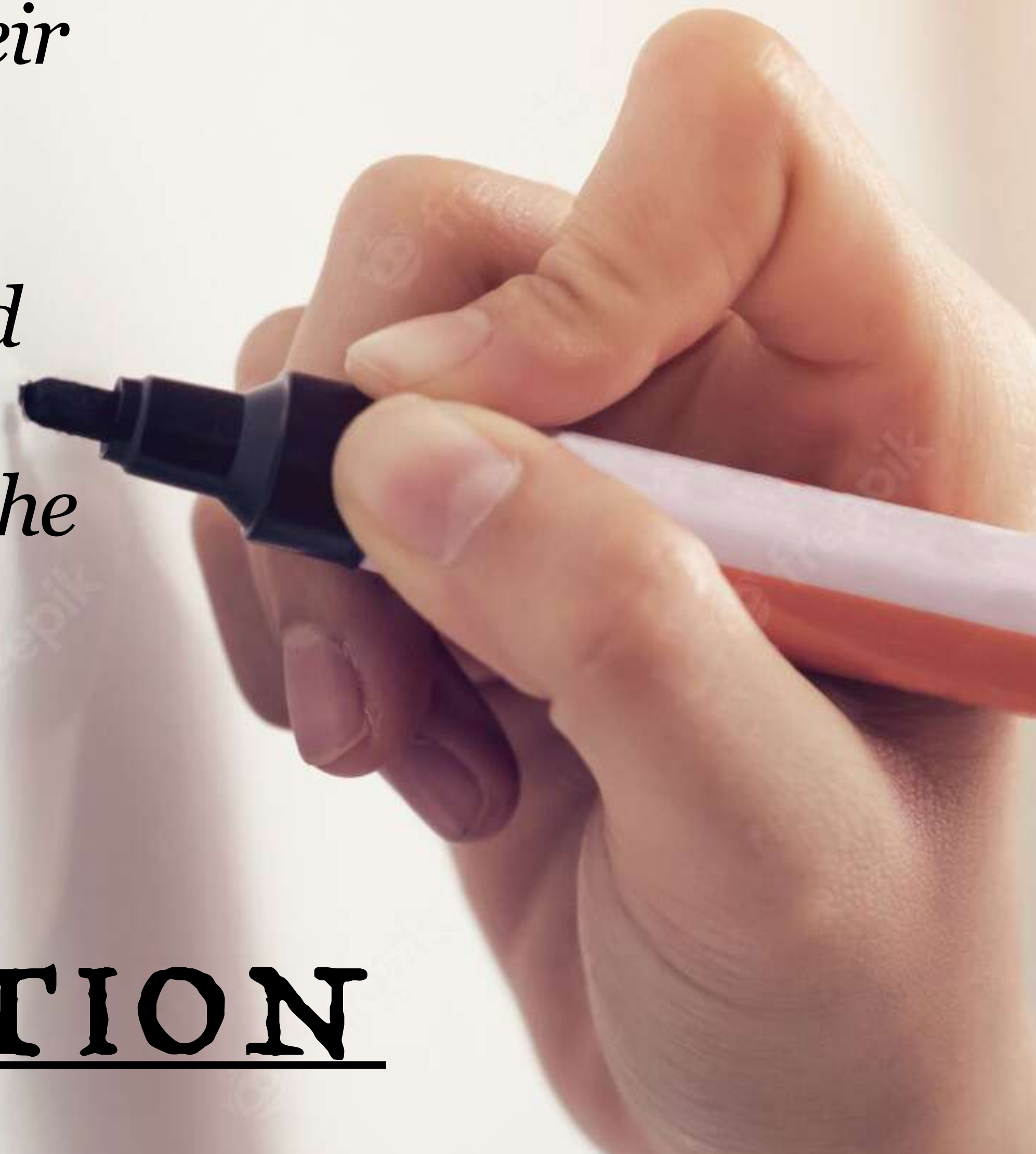




*When I send Artemas or Tychicus to you, do your best to come to me at Nicopolis, for I have decided to spend the winter there. Do your best to speed Zenas the lawyer and Apollos on their way; see that they lack nothing. And let our people learn to devote themselves to good works, so as to help cases of urgent need, and not be unfruitful. All who are with me send greetings to you. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all.*

*Titus 3:12-15*

**III. PERSIST IN MOTION**





A. Move with generosity.





## B. Move in fruitfulness.

**We have everything we need to live a life that pleases God. It was all given to us by God's own power, when we learned he had invited us to share in his wonderful goodness. God made great and marvelous promises, so his nature would become part of us. Then we could escape our evil desires and the corrupt influences of this world. Do your best to improve your faith by adding goodness, understanding, self-control, patience, devotion to God, concern for others, and love.**

**2 Peter 1:3-11 (CEV)**



## B. Move in fruitfulness.

**If you keep growing in this way, it will show that what you know about our Lord Jesus Christ has made your lives useful and meaningful. But if you don't grow, you are like someone who is nearsighted or blind, and you have forgotten that your past sins are forgiven. My friends, you must do all you can to show God has really chosen and selected you. If you keep on doing this, you won't stumble and fall. Then our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ will give you a glorious welcome into his kingdom that will last forever.**

**2 Peter 1:3-11 (CEV)**



C. Move with hospitality.





When we persist in motion  
God's grace keeps flowin' . . .

