

“The Gospel According to Luke:
The Privilege of Being a Servant of Christ”
Luke 17:7-10

“So as to walk in a manner **worthy of the Lord**, fully pleasing to Him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God.” (Colossians 1:10). “I therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner **worthy of the calling** to which you have been called.” (Ephesians 4:1). “Only let your **manner of life** be **worthy of the gospel** of Christ.” (Philippians 1:27)

- “We are unworthy servants; we have only done what was our duty.”
 - **Unworthy:**
 - “Lord, do not trouble Yourself, for I am not worthy to have You come under my roof.” (Luke 7:6). “Even He who comes after me, the strap of whose sandal I am not unworthy to untie.” (John 1:27)
 - “Whoever loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me. And whoever does not take his cross and follow Me is not worthy of Me.” (Matthew 10:37-38)
 - “For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.” (Ephesians 2:8-9)
 - **Servants:**
 - “Paul and Timothy, servants of Christ Jesus....”(Philippians 1:1). “Simeon Peter, a servant and apostle of Jesus Christ....” (2 Peter 1:1). “James, a servant of God and of the Lord Jesus Christ....” (James 1:1). “Jude, a servant of Jesus Christ and brother of James....”(Jude 1:1)
 - “But now that you have been set free from sin and have become **slaves of God**, the fruit you get **leads to sanctification** and its end, **eternal life**.” (Romans 6:22)
 - “For am I now seeking the approval of man, or of God? Or am I trying to please man? If I were **still trying to please man**, I would **not be a servant of Christ**.” (Galatians 1:10)
 - “Whatever you do, **work heartily**, as for the Lord and not for men.... You are **serving the Lord Christ**.” (Colossians 3:23-24)
 - “Whoever serves, as one **who serves by the strength that God supplies** — in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.” (1 Peter 4:11b)
 - **Duty:**
 - “By this we know that we love the children of God, when we **love God** and obey His commandments. For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments. And **His commandments are not burdensome**.” (1 John 5:2-3)
 - “On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them, though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me.” (1 Corinthians 15:10b)
 - “Come to Me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you, and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy, and My burden is light.” (Matthew 11:28-30)

Announcements:

★**DONATIONS:** See the January Newsletter for more information about our monthly donations! ***NEXT Sunday is the LAST day for this collection!***

★**FELLOWSHIP LUNCH:** We are having a Fellowship Lunch NEXT Sunday, January 25th, immediately following the worship service. There is a sign-up list on the table in the Entryway, please sign up to bring something for the meal. EVERYONE is invited to stay to enjoy the food and the fellowship with us!

★**CHURCH GAME NIGHT:** Our Monthly Church Game Night is TONIGHT, at Andy's house (1062 National Road SE; Hebron), starting at 5pm. Please bring your favorite board game or card game to play, and a food item to share with everyone. EVERYONE is invited to join us for this great time of food and fellowship!

★**GREETING MINISTRY MEETING:** We are having a Greeting Ministry Meeting on Sunday, February 1st, immediately following the worship service. If you currently serve in that ministry, or if you are interested in serving in that ministry, please plan on staying for this meeting! For any questions, please see Shawn Bailey.

★**NEW MEMBERS' CLASS:** If you are interested in becoming a Church Member, or have any questions about Church Membership, we are having a New Members' Class on Sunday, February 15th, and on Sunday, February 22nd, at 9am. There is a sign-up list on the table in the Entryway, please sign up if you want to participate in this class. For any questions, please see Pastor Zach.

★*For all other announcements, please see the January Newsletter!*