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Goals For 2022
 Theme
 Be Ye Imitators of Christ
 Attendance: Sunday Bible Study: 40:
 Sunday AM: 50
 Sunday PM: 40: Wednesday Bible Study: 30

Giving: Meet Our Yearly Budget

Invitations: 130

Every Member Committed To Daily Bible Reading

Every Member Committed To Daily Prayer

Every Member Committed To Be At Every Service

Support the Work in Vincennes, Indiana
Hold A Men's Training Class

Hold One Gospel Meeting

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Mark Maudlin
is preaching today

We are now in week #24 of our Daily Bible Reading.

Prayer List
 Lynn Maudlin, Sharon Maudlin, Sharon Nale, Polly Ward Les & Novema Dunn
 Debby Spears (Roseann's sis)
 Sharon Thompson, Kay Thompson
 Gene Ward & Beth McFarland
 Brooke Thomas, Pam Caudill
 Debbie Lewellen, Cathie Hall

THIS MONTH: "Became a Servant"
 Mk. 10:45; Jn. 13:14-17; Mt. 23:11

Who Have You Invited To Services This week?

Lord's Supper
 Luke 22:14-22

Scripture Reading
 AM: Eccl. 1:9-11
 PM: Psalm 1:1-6

Encouragement Tally
 Invites this month: 1
 Invites last month: 13
 Visitors YTD: 9

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Our Theme for 2022...
"Being Imitators of Christ"
 1 Cor. 11:1
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THERE IS NOTHING NEW UNDER THE SUN

Welcome!
 If you're visiting with us today, we want you to feel welcome and we want you to feel like our honored guest! We also want you to know that all we're interested in here at the Clarksville Church of Christ is the Truth. Jesus said, "You shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." John 8:32. The truth He's talking about is God's word. Jesus said, "Sanctify them by thy truth, Thy word is truth." John 17:17. Therefore we hope you'll appreciate that we'll give you book, chapter and verse from the Bible, the word of God, for everything that we say or do here today, so that everything that we do may bring glory unto God, I Pet. 4:11.

VISITORS
 Please fill out a visitor's card or scan the QR code below and provide the information requested.



Reading: Ecclesiastes 1:9-11

Murdering Children
 Exodus 21:22-25
 Exodus 1:12-16
 Leviticus 18:21
 Leviticus 20:1-5
 Matthew 2:16-18

Arrogant Leaders
 Nebuchadnezzar- Daniel 4:28-36
 Herod- Acts 12:20-24
 Pharaoh- Exodus 5:1-4

People Doing Only What They Want
 Judges 21:25
 Judges 17:1-6
 Genesis 6:5-7
 Romans 3:9-18

Rebellious Children
 Eli's Sons-1 Samuel 2:22-25
 Absalom-2 Samuel 15:1-18:8
 Proverbs 20:20
 Matthew 15:1-5

Mark Maudlin

THE BIBLE'S SOLUTION FOR PROBLEMS THAT AIL SOCIETY

Reading: Psalms 1:1-6

Broken Families

Ephesians 6:1-4
Proverbs 22:6
Psalms 127:3
Proverbs 31:10-31

Hate

Luke 6:27-36
Leviticus 19:18
Romans 12:9-21
John 3:16-17
2 Peter 3:9
Romans 13:8-10

Respect for Laws

Amos 5:14-15
Romans 13:1-6
Psalm 1:1-6
Psalms 19:7-11

Honesty

Matthew 5:33-37
Proverbs 12:17-19
Ephesians 4:25-32
Proverbs 6:17

MARK MAUDLIN

Servanthood

“They who give have all things; they who withhold have nothing” (Hindu Proverb).

MUCH MORE THAN OCCASIONAL ACTS OF SERVICE, WHAT WE NEED IS A SPIRIT OF SERVANTHOOD. Although acts of service are good in and of themselves (and we don't have the spirit of servanthood if we don't actually serve), we would be helped if we worked more on having the *heart* of a servant. In a positive sense, we need to see ourselves as servants, thinking more often of what we can give than of what we can get. We need to have the attitude and the mindset of one who is in the world to serve and not to be served.

To “serve” means to “help.” It means to do something that somebody else needs to have done. The servant is first and foremost a giver, an individual whose primary role is to provide and to please.

Learning to have this outlook as our primary way of thinking is a challenge. It's a challenge because from childhood we've been acquiring the habit of self-centeredness. We started out in life thinking that the world existed to serve our needs, and many of us have never grown much beyond that pattern of thought. To learn another way of thinking requires going against the grain of a lifelong disposition.

It's easy, however, to tell whether we've learned the spirit of servanthood. The test is simply this: how do you react when someone *treats* you like a servant? If when treated like a servant you resent it, you probably don't really see yourself as one, whatever words you may have spoken about the “nobility” of serving others. True servants don't object when others see them as being what they actually are!

Albert Schweitzer, who knew the meaning of servanthood if anyone ever did, once told a graduation audience, “I don't know what your destiny will be, but one thing I know: the only ones among you who will be really happy are those who will have sought and found how to serve.” Schweitzer was right, of course. And yet we need to be careful. The kind of serving that will make us “really happy” is not rendered for that reason. In our finer moments, we don't serve for the emotional pay-off we get. We serve because that's what life is about.

“Be ashamed to die unless you have won some victory for humanity” (Horace Mann).

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