

**GO SERVE**  
**20<sup>TH</sup> Anniversary**  
**Part 1: In Our Family**  
**May 6, 2018**

“...the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.”  
Matthew 20:28 (NIV)

**JESUS SETS THE EXAMPLE**

“It was just before the Passover Festival. Jesus knew that the hour had come for Him to leave this world and go to the Father. Having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.” John 13:1 (NIV)

**1. IT'S NOT A \_\_\_\_\_, IT'S A \_\_\_\_\_.**

“He was in the world, and though the world was made through Him, the world did not recognize Him. He came to that which was His own, but His own did not receive Him. Yet to all who did receive Him, to those who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God.” John 1:10-12 (NIV)

- **Jesus is the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_.**

“So from now on we regard no one from a worldly point of view. Though we once regarded Christ in this way, we do so no longer. Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here! All this is from God, who reconciled us to Himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: that God was reconciling the world to Himself in Christ, not counting people's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making His appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God.”  
II Corinthians 5:16-20 (NIV)

“A dispute also arose among them as to which of them was considered to be greatest.” Luke 22:24 (NIV)

“Jesus said to them, ‘The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those who exercise authority over them call themselves Benefactors. But you are not to be like that. Instead, the greatest among you should be like the youngest, and the one who rules like the one who serves. For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one who is at the table? But I am among you as one who serves.’”  
Luke 22:25-27 (NIV)

**2. IT'S NOT A \_\_\_\_\_, IT'S \_\_\_\_\_.**

“The evening meal was in progress, and the devil had already prompted Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot, to betray Jesus. Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under His power, and that He had come from God and was returning to God; so He got up from the meal, took off His outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around His waist. After that, He poured water into a basin and began to wash His disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around Him.” John 13:2-5 (NIV)

“When He had finished washing their feet, He put on His clothes and returned to His place. ‘Do you understand what I have done for you?’ He asked them. ‘You call Me ‘Teacher’ and ‘Lord,’ and rightly so, for that is what I am. Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet.’” John 13:12-14 (NIV)

3. IT'S NOT \_\_\_\_\_, IT'S \_\_\_\_\_.

"I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. Very truly I tell you, no servant is greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him. Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them." John 13:15-17 (NIV)

- If my main concern is "What's in it for me?", I don't \_\_\_\_\_  
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### MY NEXT STEP THIS WEEK IS ...

- I will discover what it means to be a follower of Jesus Christ.
  - Check box on back of Communication Card.
- I will sign up for a baptism interview. Next Baptism Celebration: 7/29/2018.
  - Check box on back of Communication Card.
- I will get involved in serving my Church Family
  - Check serving opportunities on back of Communication Card.
- I will pray for and invite \_\_\_\_\_  
to come and check out the Good News of Jesus Christ.