

In This House | Serve

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START TALKING - Find conversations starters for the group or with a friend.

Can you remember a time when you have experienced really good customer service? What characteristics make somebody a good waiter/waitress?

KEEP READING - Read the Scripture and ask a question to get the group thinking. Read Matthew 20:20-28

Craig talked about how Zebedees sons were desperate for the position that they thought would come with Jesus coronation as king. Jesus then flips this on it's by explaining one of the principles of his kingdom- Whoever wants to be great must serve.

- What stands out from Matthew 20:20-28
- How is Jesus' vision of leadership different to the ideas of leadership we see in the world around us?
- What does it mean to die to yourself?

KEEP TALKING - Choose questions to create openness.

Read 1 Peter 4:10-11

If we want to become more like Jesus then it is crucial that we become servants. The posture of the kingdom is to be a servant- it's time to put on the apron! Here are some ways you can grow in serving:

- 1. Serve according to your gifts
- 2. Serve on a team at church
- 3. Serve in an outside organisation
- 4.Adopt a posture of service in your sphere of influence
- Where do you currently serve?
- What have you learnt from serving?
- How can you better have a posture of service in your daily life? What would others notice is different about you if you did this?

KEEP MOVING/GOING -Commit to a step and live it out this week.

This week commit yourself to serving others by:

- Discovering your gifts (mylgcc.com/joinateam)
- Signing up to join a team at church (mylgcc.com/joinateam)
- Discuss whether there is a need or organisation that your connect group can serve.

These are some really practical steps, but perhaps it might be a good idea to leave time for people to do them while you meet.

KEEP PRAYING

Spend some time together praying. Pray for the various teams/organisations that those in your connect group serve in.