

iServe - March 13, 2016
“Finding your Place”

1. iServe because it is how the Body of Christ is built.

He gave some *as* apostles, and some *as* prophets, and some *as* evangelists, and some *as* pastors and teachers, for the equipping of the saints for the work of service, to the building up of the body of Christ; until we all attain to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a mature man, to the measure of the stature which belongs to the fullness of Christ.

Ephesians 4:11-13 (NASB)

2. iServe because we are following Christ’s example.

A dispute also arose among them as to which of them was considered to be greatest. 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 22:24-27 (NASB)

For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many.”

Mark 10:45 (NASB)

3. iServe because it pleases God.

Whatever you do, do your work heartily, as for the Lord rather than for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the reward of the inheritance. It is the Lord Christ whom you serve.

Colossians 3:23-24 (NASB)

4. iServe because I am free!

For you were called to freedom, brethren; only *do not* turn your freedom into an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another.

Galatians 5:13 (NASB)

5. iServe to say thank you!

Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, *which is* your spiritual service of worship.

Romans 12:1 (NASB)

Announcements:

March 13th - Sign-up to Serve Today

March 20th - Connect 1.0 & 2.0 Find out more about our Church and how you can get Connected!

- Please RSVP today if you plan to attend

March 27th - Easter - Who is coming with you??

- We still need stuffed eggs and candy
- We will have Easter Egg hunts for each age group
- Children in the Nursery will also receive a special Easter Gift.

April 10th - Beach Baptism and Picnic