

**MADE FOR MINISTRY:  
LIVING A LIFE OF SIGNIFICANCE**

October 13, 2024

The Passage: Romans 12:1-8

1. THE RIGHT ATTITUDE TO SERVE

Thinking \_\_\_\_\_ about ourselves

2. THE ENABLEMENT TO SERVE

\_\_\_\_\_ ability/gifts and power

3. THE MOTIVATION TO SERVE

We Were \_\_\_\_\_ for Ministry

We Benefit \_\_\_\_\_

We Benefit \_\_\_\_\_

4. THE CHALLENGE:

Jump in and \_\_\_\_\_ to serve

*Fill-ins: accurately; God-given; Made; Others; Ourselves; begin*

Works of the following consulted: Danny Franks; J.D. Greear; Tim Keller; Ray Stedman

**Life Group Questions for the Week of October 13, 2024**

1. Looking back at your notes from this Sunday's message, was there anything that particularly caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?

2. We live in a very individualistic society in which depending on others can be seen as a weakness or looked down upon. Because of this, the idea of working together or being one "body" of Christ can feel somewhat foreign. What guidance does 1 Corinthians 12:12-26 give on being a united body of Christ?

Can you think of ways you've benefited from others playing their role? What could happen if someone isn't playing their part? How does this passage address diversity and unity occurring at the same time?

3. If you don't know your giftings, what could you do to discover what your gifts are?

4. What's your response to someone telling you, "You have an essential role you need to play for our ministry and the team to win"? (*circle any that apply*)

Great	Stick with it	Confuse
I need to find my position	Not me	Other

5. When it comes to finding and playing our position, what are some of the potential roadblocks that can keep us on the sidelines?

- Don't think about it
- Feels like I'm a servant
- Pressure of your own responsibilities
- Past hurt
- My own success
- Not sure how to
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

6. None of us want to be categorized as someone who failed to fulfill their role or was too self-absorbed to serve others. Yet all of us can, at times, lack the motivation to get involved or sense that we really do make a difference. How might the following verses motivate us to get or stay in the game and play our role? Matthew 25:37-40; 2 Thessalonians 3:6; Ephesians 2:10