

Sunday, 10-02-22

Faith Requires Mutual Love
Bible Background: Hebrews 13:1-6; 1 Corinthians 13
Printed Text: Hebrews 13:1-3; 1 Corinthians 13 KJV/NLT
Devotional Reading: John 13:31-35

Aim for Change:

1. **DEFINE** Christian love and discuss its implications
 2. **REFLECT** on ways we experience Christian love in our lives
 3. **PRACTICE** love as it is rooted in our faith in Christ
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Devotional Reading:

- **Friday – John 13:31-35**
 - Whose love do you exemplify? – **1 John 3:14-17**
 - What type of love is demonstrated by you in the church? – **Leviticus 19:17-18**
 - Does your love reflect Jesus? – **Ephesians 5:1-2**
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Focal Verses:

- **Sunday – Hebrews 13:1-3**
 - (v. 1) – Is your love towards others genuine? Is your love hindered by lack of forgiveness? – **1 Thessalonians 4:9-12**
 - (v. 2) – How do you entertain others while away from the assembly of God? – **1 Peter 1:22-25**
 - (v. 3) – Have you forgotten where you came from? – **Hebrews 10:32-39**
 - **Sunday – 1 Corinthians 13**
 - (vv. 1-3) – What type of love do others know you by both in/outside the body of believers? – **1 Corinthians 11:17-22**
 - *Eros* – sensuous or erotic form of love
 - *Philia* – brotherly affection or friendship
 - *Agape* – commitment of the will to cherish and uphold another person
 - (vv. 4-7) – What’s the basis of your love? Is your love self-seeking/self-giving? – **Romans 5:8-11**
 - (v. 10) – Is God’s gift not good enough for you to wait? – **Philippians 3:7-11**
 - (v. 11) – How have you grown/matured in the Lord? Are you to grown to be taught how to love God’s way? – **James 1:19-26**
 - (v. 13) – Is your faith/hope on one accord? Does your love elevate others? – **Philippians 2:2-11**
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Daily Readings:

- **Monday – Psalms 18:1-6**
 - What is God to you? – **2 Samuel 22:2-7**
 - Do you cry out or whine when asking God for help? – **Psalms 69:1-6**
- **Tuesday – Deuteronomy 7:7-11**
 - How do you set your love? – **1 Corinthians 1:8-10**
- **Wednesday – Deuteronomy 5:6-10**
 - If you’re not growing spiritually, then who’s your god? – **Daniel 9:3-10**
- **Thursday – Deuteronomy 6:1-9**
 - What kind of teacher/student are you? – **Ephesians 6:1-8**
- **Saturday – Luke 6:27-36**
 - Does your love have ulterior motives? – **Romans 12:16-21**

Note – **Bold/Italicized scripture(s) are additional scriptural reference(s) that may be read during class**

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