



# Table Group Weekly Experience

February 20, 2022

## Mixer

When you were a kid, what did you look forward to the most during school breaks? The least?

## Neighborly - Daily Devotional

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1. In Pastor Pam's 2/19/22 entry, *Do You See Me?*, she challenges us to "stop doing" and "just be" to someone in our life. Think about a time when you felt like you weren't "seen" or mattered to someone? What turns those kind of moments around for you? And what do your past experiences inspire you to do in turn for someone else?
2. In Counseling and Group Life Director, Som's, 2/16/22 entry, *Spring Cleaning*, she reminds us of the importance of 'decluttering' our spiritual life. What does that look like for you? If God is doing a new thing in you, how can you join Him and make room for Him, tossing out the old?

## Sermon Notes

*The Blueprint of Service - Pastor Ken Ingold*

Scriptures: John 13:1-17; James 1:22-25 (see Message Notes on your CRB App for the NT Wright and Phillip Yancey quotes)

1. What impacted or challenged you in today's message?
2. Why does consistent humility (humbleness) characterize Jesus' ministry? Why is it important to understand Jesus came as a servant - a different kind of script?
3. What were the disciples not understanding about why Jesus came? (Remember the two Greek words Pastor Ken shared: LOUW - wash entirely; NIPTW - washing a part of the body)
4. What does "repent" mean? Why is it important that we repent daily? Does this understanding make obedience to God's commands easier for you, or harder?

5. Why did Jesus wash everyone's feet at the table, knowing what he knew about them? What does this reveal about your own willingness to serve others?
6. Describe a time when you have experienced the truth of this statement: "What seems like sacrifice becomes instead a kind of nourishment because dispensing grace enriches the giver as well as the receiver." *Phillip Yancey, Vanishing Grace - Whatever Happened to the Good News?*
7. Discuss the qualities necessary in a servant-leader. (See quote by NT Wright) What changes do you need to make in order to follow a servant-leader, and be a servant-leader?
8. What is the role of the Holy Spirit in servant-leadership?
9. Who can you identify today to figuratively "wash their feet"?

## Go Deeper

Jesus Christ is Servant of all. And as followers of Christ, we are to step out of idleness and selfishness, into purpose by following His example of servanthood. Spend some time going through these verses and hear what God is saying to you:

Mark 10:45; Mark 9:35; 1 Peter 4:10; John 15:12-13; 2 Corinthians 4:5; Philippians 2:6-7; Matthew 28:18-20; Colossians 3:23-24; 1 Thessalonians 1:5-6; Matthew 20:26-28; Luke 4:8; Matthew 4:23; 1 Corinthians 13; 1 John 4:9-11; 1 Timothy 1:12-14; 2 Corinthians 9:12-13; Hebrews 6:10; John 16:13; 1 John 4:8

## Serve

Good Neighbor Day is coming up Saturday, Feb 26! Register online or in app.

## Pray

Pray this week that each person who calls The Church at RB their church home would grow as Good Neighbors in response to the call to servant leadership. Pray that hesitations, misconceptions, and unwillingness about serving one another would be erased and replaced by the grace of Jesus' example.