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The BuildingUp Podcast (Also on our church app):
Awakening a Hunger for God Episode #121

Upcoming Events

For Details: info@agapepinson.com

GROW Discipleship Groups

Youth Group: Nov 6th 5pm @ Dardens

Youth Girl's Group: Nov 7th 6pm @ The Deans

Men's Group (Students welcome)

Ladies' Group (Students welcome)

Nov 2nd 6:30p @ Agape

Oct 31st 6:30p @ The Deans

For a full list of our discipling communities, including family small groups in your area, please visit **Groups / Building Community** on our church app.

5th Sunday Fellowship Meal - TODAY after worship. We will eat together and enjoy building connections with others in the congregation.

Thanksgiving meals - In November Agape will provide **Thanksgiving Meal boxes** to local families in need. **We can use your help!** Please consider bringing at least 1 frozen Turkey to the church to donate to these meals. We hope to provide boxes for 20-25 families in our community. If you or someone you know could use one of these boxes or if you have any questions, please see Nick Jenkins or Mary Ledbetter.

If the LORD leads you to give as part of worship, you can use the offering box in our main worship area.

You can also give on our **website or Church Center app**.

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Sunday Morning

Worship Service Guide

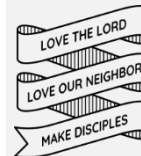
October 30th 2022

A Reading From

Matthew 9 (ESV)

⁹As Jesus passed on from there, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth, and he said to him, "Follow me." And he rose and followed him.

¹⁰And as Jesus reclined at table in the house, behold, many tax collectors and sinners came and were reclining with Jesus and his disciples. ¹¹And when the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" ¹²But when he heard it, he said, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. ¹³Go and learn what this means: 'I desire mercy, and not sacrifice.' For I came not to call the righteous, but sinners."



Prayer Focus Text: *A generous person will be enriched, and the one who gives a drink of water will receive water. Proverbs 11:25*

Ask God to build up Agape to be a church filled with people who refresh others through the constant practice of mercy.

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The Good Samaritan

David McConnell

Sermon Text

Luke 10 (CSB)



²⁹But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, “And who is my neighbor?” ³⁰Jesus took up the question and said, “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of robbers. They stripped him, beat him up, and fled, leaving him half dead. ³¹A priest happened to be going down that road. When he saw him, he passed by on the other side. ³²In the same way, a Levite, when he arrived at the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³But a Samaritan on his journey came up to him, and when he saw the man, he had compassion. ³⁴He went over to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on olive oil and wine. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. ³⁵The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the inn-keeper, and said, ‘Take care of him. When I come back I’ll reimburse you for whatever extra you spend.’ ³⁶“Which of these three do you think

proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?” ³⁷“The one who showed mercy to him,” he said. Then Jesus told him, “Go and do the same.”

Life-Truth: What we find in the parable of the Good Samaritan is that Jesus is not interested in _____ who our _____ is. Rather, He wants to ask us a far more _____ question: _____?

Notes on the Context of this Parable:

Observations from the Text:

- Jesus supposes that a person who truly obeys the 2 great commands, *from their heart*, will display generous, compassionate _____ of _____. **See Matt 7:16-20**
 - Acts of godly mercy are not _____ by _____ or _____. **See Matt 5:45-48**
- Mercy _____ much more than _____.
 - _____ with _____ is the only way to do what is otherwise _____ for us. **See John 15:5**

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2. Once inside the app, search for **Agape Pinson**
3. Choose the option called **This is My Church** and then follow the instructions to register

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