

This is Pastor Paul. Sunday is always the big day at The Christian Center! I hope you will come weekly. Out of town, tap live <http://bgw1.itexttoday.com/apps/2323/8833/indexm.html>

### Everyone in Heaven Serves God and Each Other

Jesus came to serve; not to be served. In Heaven there is no selfishness, and every one there lives to serve. Jesus came to the earth from Heaven to reveal His Father's nature and His Father's home. Let's look at some Scriptures that reveal this to us.

John 8:21-23 KJV Then said Jesus again unto them, I go My way, and ye shall seek Me, and shall die in your sins: whither I go, ye cannot come. [22] Then said the Jews, Will He kill Himself? because He saith, Whither I go, ye cannot come. [23] And He said unto them, Ye are from beneath; I am from above: ye are of this world; I am not of this world.

Matthew 23:11-12 NCV Whoever is your servant is the greatest among you. [12] Whoever makes himself great will be made humble. Whoever makes himself humble will be made great.

In these next verses we can see Jesus teaching His disciples how Heaven operates. We can live it on the earth just like He did.

Matthew 20:20-28 NCV Then the wife of Zebedee came to Jesus with her sons. She bowed before Him and asked Him to do something for her. [21] Jesus asked, "What do you want?" She said, "Promise that one of my sons will sit at Your right side and the other will sit at Your left side in Your kingdom." [22] But Jesus said, "You don't understand what you are asking. Can you drink the cup that I am about to drink?" The sons answered, "Yes, we can." [23] Jesus said to them, "You will drink from My cup. But I cannot choose who will sit at My right or My left; those places belong to those for whom My Father has prepared them." [24] When the other ten followers heard this, they were angry with the two brothers. [25] Jesus called all the followers together and said, "You know that the rulers of the non-Jewish people love to show their power over the people. And their important leaders love to use all their authority. [26] But it should not be that way among you. Whoever wants to become great among you must serve the rest of you like a servant. [27] Whoever wants to become first among you must serve the rest of you like a slave. [28] In the same way, the Son of Man did not come to be served. He came to serve others and to give His life as a ransom for many people."

I've noticed this in my life; when I'm loving and serving others, I'm the most joyful and fulfilled. When I'm selfish, I'm the most miserable. The world we live in right now is becoming more and more evil. I believe a big reason for this is much of mankind are turning their backs on Jesus' teachings. Even in the Church itself people have been taught take instead of give. Our nation of America has people in it that are teaching people to be selfish instead of teaching people how to be givers. John F. Kennedy said, "It's not what your country can do for you, it's what you can do for your country". I'm convinced that the closer we get to the end of this age, people will become more self

centered. They will love themselves more than they will love God and people.

Everyone that is born again has a spirit that's like Jesus; we have the love of God in us. Our flesh still wants us to love ourselves more than others, but our reborn spirit is just like Him. We must let our new spirit live out it's nature to be a servant to all. I'm praying for you that you will see that you have this potential in you, and that you will let it out.

Love you,  
Pastor Paul

#### This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday	2 Samuel chapter 18
Tuesday	2 Samuel chapter 19
Wednesday	2 Samuel chapter 20
Thursday	2 Samuel chapter 21
Friday	2 Samuel chapter 22
Saturday	2 Samuel chapter 23
Sunday	2 Samuel chapter 24

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#### Sunday Schedule

\* Prayer: 9am Lee Blvd entrance    \* Fellowship in Café 9:15-9:45 am.    \* Services 10:45 am

Adult, Youth, and Children classes 9:45-10:30 am

Faith Class: -----Michael Whitley  
Foundation 1 Class: ---Pastor Paul  
Foundation 2 Class: ---Mike Wiggins  
Healing Class: -----Lester/Monica Witherspoon  
Marriage Class:-----Danny/Demetrice Williams  
Prayer Class: -----Joe Cunningham  
Children's Sunday School: 6 months - 5th grade  
Youth Service: 6th grade-senior-Lucas/Cyndi Moore  
Young Singles/College&Career: ---Eliav/Kim Nash

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Men's Fellowship: Saturday 9am at Golden Corral

Crosses at the Corner: Saturday 12-1pm

Brown Bag sale: College & Career fundraiser; brown bag hot dog special

#### REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Daily \* Early Morning Prayer in Sanctuary: Monday-Friday 6:15-7:15am

\* Noonday Bible Study: Mon-Fri 12:15 in Sanctuary or 91.1fm or live stream on TCC app

\* Women's Dance Aerobics: Mon-Fri 10-11am in the Gym

Weekly \* Sunday Services: 9:45 am classes; 10:45am Main Service

\* Monday Night Care Group: In Sanctuary under balcony 7pm

\* Wednesday night: Adult and Youth Services 7pm (Youth meet in Youth area)

\* Mobile Prayer: Wed 2-3:30pm Lee Blvd parking lot; Fri 2-3:30pm Sam's

Warehouse

\* Friday Night Prayer: 7pm in Sanctuary under balcony

Monthly \* Men's Meeting: 1st Saturday of each month at Golden Corral 9am

\* Crosses at the Corner: 1st Saturday corner of Sheridan and Cache Rd.  
11am-1am

\* Women's Meeting: 2nd Saturday of each month in Fellowship Hall

9am

\* Women's Discipleship: 3rd Thursday of each month 5pm in Sanctuary

\* Horse Ministry: 3rd Saturday 11am-1pm at Camp Faith