



Worship Guide for July 17, 2022

## Sermon Notes

### **Understanding Every Role in Light of our Identity as Bondservants of Christ** Ephesians 6:5-9

The Danger of *eisegesis*: or, Returning Bible Study 101

Taking the Necessary First Step: Understanding this Cultural Context

Paul's Continued Household Exhortations...

*For Bondservants (v. 5-8)*

*For Masters (v. 9)*

Application for Us Today

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## Weekly Discipleship Guide

### Know

**What does God intend for me to know?  
In your journal, use the following prompts to write  
some truths that stood out from this week's message.**

I never knew...	I was reminded...	A question I still have...
I was challenged...	I was convicted...	A truth I could share...
I was encouraged to...		I need to dig deeper into...

### Be (Consider)

**What does God's Word lead me to prayerfully consider?  
In your journal, use the following questions to write  
some prompts to use in praying through this week's passage.**

Is there a command to obey?	Am I convicted to confess any sin?
How am I compelled to exalt God?	Is there a sin to avoid?
Is there a promise to claim?	How do I need to rest in Jesus/the gospel?
Is there a principle to follow?	How can I pray for someone else?
Is there an example to follow?	What am I compelled to love or desire?

### Do (Yield)

**How does God's Word call me to yield my life? In your journal, write  
your answers and thoughts in response to the following questions.**

Why is it important for us to strive to attain a good *exegetical* understanding of the passages we study? Why is it important to guard against *eisegesis*, both in our personal study and in the teaching we hear?

How does a foundational understanding of our identity as "bondservants of Christ" change virtually every interaction we have? What is your greatest struggle in abiding in this identity?

How does a view toward Christ's return shape the way we view our lives right now? What is the danger in falling into patterns of forgetting that future reality?

\*Use this guide to help you internalize this week's message & to prepare for Life Group.

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