

LIVING OUT YOUR FAITH

Titus 3:12-15

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Four keys to living out your faith:

I. Be intentional with _____.

Titus 3:12 (NIV84) As soon as I send **Artemas** or **Tychicus** to you, do your best to come to me at **Nicopolis**, because I have decided to winter there.

A. Paul was _____ with his relationships.

B. We _____ each other.

Acts 2:42a "...they were like family to each other." (CEV)

Romans 12:10 (GW) Be devoted to each other like a loving family.

1 John 3:16 (NLT) We know what real love is because Christ gave up His life for us. And so we also ought to give up our lives for our Christian brothers and sisters.

II. Be united with others on _____.

Titus 3:13 (NIV84) Do everything you can to help **Zenas** the lawyer and **Apollos** on their way and see that they have everything they need.

A. Paul was _____ with others in the Gospel.

Luke 19:10 (NIV84) For the Son of Man came to seek and to save what was lost.

B. Our mission: To _____ people about Jesus.

Romans 10:13-14 (LB) "Anyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved. But who can ask ... unless they believe in Him? And how can they believe if they have never heard about Him? And how can they hear about Him unless someone tells them?"

Acts 1:8 "You will be my witnesses." (Tell your story.)

III. Be committed to good _____.

Titus 3:14 (NIV84) Our people must learn to devote themselves to doing what is good, in order that they may provide for daily necessities and not live unproductive lives.

A. Paul was _____ in urging us to do good!

B. We were created to _____, not just consume.

1Peter. 4:10 (NIV84) Each of us should use whatever gift he's received to serve others."

Matthew 20:28 (LB) "Your attitude must be like My Own, for I did not come to be served, but to serve..."

IV. Be sure you've embraced _____.

Titus 3:15 (NIV84) Everyone with me sends you greetings. Greet those who love us in the faith. Grace be with you all.

A. Paul was _____ about our need for grace.

B. But, grace must be _____ by faith.

Ephesians 2:8-9 (NIV84) For it is by grace that you have been saved, through faith and this is not from yourselves. It is the gift of God. Not of works so that no one can boast.

C. Have you been _____ by grace?

> **Bad news: Romans 3:23** "For all have sinned..."

> **Good news: Romans 6:23** "For the wages of sin is death..." & **John 5:24**

Discussion Questions:

1. What was one thing that you learned or were convicted about from this message?
2. How can we cultivate deeper connections within our church community? Share a time when a relationship with someone in your church made a difference in your life.
3. In what ways can we better support those in our church who are involved in ministry or missions? How can you personally contribute to this support?
4. What are some good works or community service projects you feel passionate about? How can you get involved in them?
5. After hearing this message, what is one specific step you are willing to take this week to live out your faith, support someone in need, or foster community?