



Introduction:

There are certain basic needs that are crucial to sustaining life: food, water, shelter, and of course oxygen. In this series, we will be talking about the basic components of a life lived following Jesus: basic needs that are *Oxygen* to our bodies and to our world. This week, we will focus on serving.

Scripture:

Romans 8:11 - "The Spirit of God, who raised Jesus from the dead, lives in you. And just as God raised Christ Jesus from the dead, he will give life to your mortal bodies by this same Spirit living within you."

For More, Read & Discuss John 15:1-17

Discussion Questions:

- 1. Two of the most important days in your life are the day you are born and the day that you are called by God. What is one day you have experienced that might join those two to make a 'Top 3' list?
- 2. One of Cokesbury's Core Values is "Saved people serve people, and served people get saved," God has called you and has set you on a path for the purpose of serving. How do you serve?
- 3. How do you feel in the midst of serving? How do you feel after you have served?
- 4. When you serve well, you may have an opportunity to receive glory. How do you make sure that glory goes to God? Why is that important?
- 5. If you aren't currently serving, what is holding you back?

Take the Next Step:

Who are you serving right now? Do you believe your service is drawing someone closer to Jesus? How can you take the Next Step in the way you serve?