

## Sermon Notes: Stewards of Grace

1. A perspective.

2. A priority.

3. A practice.

a. <u>Cover</u> one another's <u>sins</u>.

b. <u>Show hospitality</u> to one another.

c. <u>Serve</u> one another.

4. A power.

5. A purpose.



**Gospel Applications: Stewards of Grace** 

- 1. What are some key end goals that currently shape and influence your day-to-day actions, reactions, and interactions?
- 2. What are some ways you live in light of your key goals (#1)? Give some examples of things you do or don't do because of those long-term goals.
- 3. What do your key end goals do for your perspective when things are going really, really badly? When things are going really, really well?
- 4. If you were able to live in light of the Resurrection and Return of Christ, what effect would that perspective likely have on your everyday life?
- 5. How do your typical prayers <u>not</u> reflect the hope of #4? What would your prayers sound like if they were more grounded in this hope?
- 6. What would it look like for you to "cover a multitude of sins" right now? [Hint: You're not going to use another person's name in small group!]
- 7. What fears/concerns/hangups do you have with hospitality? How does the Gospel speak to these?
- 8. What are some practical ways you could show hospitality?
- 9. What's a gift (at least one) that God's given you? How are you currently using that gift to build up and encourage the Church? How are you currently drawing on God's strength for the use of that gift? How is Jesus currently being glorified by what you're doing with that gift? What needs to change in light of your answers to these questions?
- 10. How are you currently demonstrating through your life that you are just a steward of God's gracious gifts and that every good thing is from him, through him, and to/for him? How would other people know that?
- 11. What one thing will you do in response to this message?