

## How do we treat the poor?

*If anyone has this world's goods and sees a fellow believer in need but withholds compassion from him – how does God's love reside in him? Little children, let us not love in word or speech, but in action and in truth.*

1 John 3:17-18

*They asked only that we would remember the poor, which I had made every effort to do.*

Galatians 2:10

**Self-centeredness, consumerism and materialism are some of our greatest enemies to faithfully caring for others.**

### Questions to consider:

- Do you think of others?
- Are you currently helping others?
- Do you desire to help others?

## The Good Samaritan

*Luke 10:25-37*

### Principles in Helping Others

- Notice others.
- Be compassionate.
- Willingly help all.
- Selflessly serve others.
- Love others.

### Message Reflection:

- How are you currently helping others?
- List 2 people in need and how you (or your family) can impact their lives in a positive way.
  1. \_\_\_\_\_
  2. \_\_\_\_\_
- Serving others begins at home. List two ways you can serve your family or friends on a regular basis.
  1. \_\_\_\_\_
  2. \_\_\_\_\_
- Are you loving others with your actions or just with words?