

LEAD WHERE YOU ARE:

“Priest”

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During this pandemic, leadership is needed now more than ever. No matter who you are, someone is looking to you to help them through. Christ’s ministry consisted of three ways He led us – as a **prophet** (someone who proclaimed God’s Word), as a **priest** (someone who sacrificed on our behalf), and as a **king** (someone who rules according to God’s ways). Christ, in turn, gives to us what He has done. He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to death on a cross. He gave everything. Paul says we are to have this same mindset. Before we can challenge others, we must give to them. What are we willing to sacrifice for the sake of others?

“In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus: Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death— even death on a cross!” — Philippians 2:5-8

My Next Step(s):

- I will sacrifice something of privilege that I am able to do, but others aren’t .
- I will seek to DO right, rather than be concerned with my own rights.
- I will secretly serve for God’s glory, rather than bringing attention to myself.
- I will set aside my own desires to help satisfy the desire, or need, of someone else.

Memory Verse: “In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus.” – Philippians 2:5

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