

# ZEALOUS

Order of Service | March 1, 2020

Greeting

Worship Team ..... Your Love Awakens Me  
See A Victory  
Worthy Of It All

Welcome

Message ..... Senior Pastor Jay Bruner  
Zealous (Week 4)

Offering/Announcements/Dismissal

## Practice Hospitality

*Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord. Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality. Romans 12:11-13 (NIV)*

### How to Live Zealously for Him

1. By *being joyful in hope*. Full of joy because of the REAL HOPE we have in Him.
2. By *being patient in affliction*. Meaning, persistent, patient, and tenacious in affliction.
3. By *being faithful in prayer*. Never quit, never stop believing, never stop expecting, knowing God will, and is answering.
4. By **practicing hospitality**. Be people who passionately persist in hospitality.

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*"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. **By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.**" John 13:34-35 (NIV)*

*For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can **do the good** things he planned for us long ago. Eph. 2:10 (NLT)*

## How to Practice Hospitality

1. By intentionally choosing to do something for someone in God's family.

*He makes the whole body fit together perfectly. As each part does its own special work, it helps the other parts grow, so that the whole body is healthy and growing and full of love. Ephesians 4:16 (NLT)*

2. By intentionally choosing to do something for someone who is not a believer.

*When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today."... the people... began to mutter, "He has gone to be the guest of a sinner."... Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham. For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost." Luke 19:5-10 (NIV)*

3. By intentionally choosing to charitably give to help spread God's love and work in the world.

*All the believers were together and had everything in common. They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need. Acts 2:44-45 (NIV)*

*After this, Jesus traveled about from one town and village to another, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom of God. The Twelve were with him, and also some women...These women were helping to support them out of their own means. Luke 8:1-3 (NIV)*

**Going deeper on your own:** The entire month of March is **FIRST SERVE MONTH** at CPC. Choose to serve God by serving others. Choose to intentionally serve God's family by volunteering with the children, the youth, or the adult services and give of yourself by helping others. Also, choose to intentionally seek out and find someone in your world who does not know Christ and do an act of service to express God's love to them. Lastly, in the month of March, choose to support your church family by obediently and faithfully giving to His work known as CPC.