

## Virtues of Christ: Humility



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- 1-4 Be willing, caring, serving, examples to your flock
- receiving the Crown of glory that will never fade away.



## Allow the Spirit of God to ignite!

“For this reason I remind you to fan into flame the gift of God, which is in you through the laying on of my hands. For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love, and self-discipline.”

-2 Timothy 1:6-7



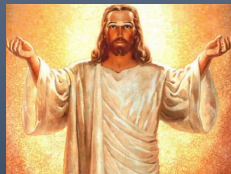
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- 7-10 ‘Cast your cares on GOD...not others or things or shortcuts ...soberly resist the devil, standing firm in your faith in GOD.’



## Virtues of Christ Inspire Us

- Every sermon this Lent is meant to encourage you to come along side each other – to take the risk of being more like Jesus and receive the rewards of a fuller, more holy life - transformed by the power of Christ.



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- “And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself [reward you]...restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast.”



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- 6 “Humble yourselves, therefore, under God’s mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time.”



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- Humbleness is dependence on God not ourselves.
- It’s self-forgetfulness.
- Using our talents to serve instead of impress.
- It is an openness to God’s filling what is empty instead of pretending we are full of all the right stuff.
- It’s a risk not to do things that will get us ahead in this world, but the reward is a joyful spirit while serving others.



## The transformation power of Jesus is in living like him.

