

Day 3 – Living the Golden Rule

Scripture

Matthew 7:12 – “In everything, therefore, treat people the same way you want them to treat you, for this is the Law and the Prophets.”

Reflection

The Golden Rule summarizes how God’s people should live in community. We long to be loved, respected, and heard; therefore, we extend the same to others. Kingdom relationships are marked by dignity, kindness, and selfless love.

Illustration

The moment when you’re in a rush and the person behind the counter messes up your drink order. It’s frustrating, and often this is the moment when someone loses their cool and berates the worker. As a Christian, this provides a perfect opportunity to extend patience, kindness, and love. The actions in such moments speak loudly.

Application

- Look for one opportunity today to treat someone the way you’d like to be treated.
- Ask God to make your church family a place where everyone feels loved and valued.