

Loving the Poor

June 13, 2021 – Proverbs 14:20-21
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1. The **Causes** of Poverty.
2. The **Treatment** of the Poor.
3. The **Priority** of the Poor.
4. **Giving** to the Poor.

Questions

1. What do you think causes poverty? How does the Bible challenge or broaden your understanding about the causes of poverty?
2. In what ways is poverty more than a financial situation?
3. In your own life, how do you treat the poor? How have you or have you not prioritized loving the poor?
4. What is keeping you from loving or giving to the poor as you should? Which organizations do you know that are working to care for the poor?

Next Steps: June Reading Plan (Week 2)

Day One: Nehemiah 13

Day Two: Malachi 1

Day Three: Malachi 2

Day Four: Malachi 3

Day Five: Malachi 4

Bless Every Home

Challenge:

- Sign up to be a light.
- Prayer for your neighbors.
- Think about how you can build a relationship with your neighbors.
- Act

June Scripture Memory:

7 Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God. 8 Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love. 9 In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him. 10 In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins. 11 Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another.

-1 John 4:7-11 (ESV)

What was your big take-a-way from the message this morning?