Start Presentation

2 Timothy 1:9

9 [God] has saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works, but according to His own purpose and grace which was given to us in Christ Jesus before time began.

9 [God] first saved us and then called us to this holy work. We had nothing to do with it. It was all his idea, a gift prepared for us in Jesus long before we knew anything about it.

10 But we know it now. Since the appearance of our Savior, nothing could be plainer: death defeated, life vindicated in a steady blaze of light, all through the work of Jesus. [Message]



DOOR OF LIFE SUNDAY SERVICE YOU HAVE A CALLING



Hearing The Call

1 Corinthians 12:14-18 - It's A Sovereign Call

14 For in fact the body is not one member but many.

15-17 If the foot should say, "Because I am not a hand, I am not of the body," is it therefore not of the body? And if the ear should say, "Because I am not an eye, I am not of the body," is it therefore not of the body? If the whole body were an eye, where would be the hearing? If the whole were hearing, where would be the smelling?

18 But now God has set the members, each one of them, in the body just as He pleased.

Ephesians 2:10 - Called To Good Works

10 For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

10 For we are God's [own] handiwork (His workmanship), recreated in Christ Jesus, [born anew] that we may do those good works which God predestined (planned beforehand) for us [taking paths which He prepared ahead of time], that we should walk in them [living the good life which He prearranged and made ready for us to live].

Philippians 2:13

13 for it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure.

Philippians 2:13

13 [Not in your own strength] for it is God Who is all the while effectually at work in you [energizing and creating in you the power and desire], both to will and to work for His good pleasure and satisfaction and delight.

2 Corinthians 10:12

For we dare not class ourselves or compare ourselves with those who commend themselves. But they, measuring themselves by themselves, and comparing themselves among themselves, are not wise.

Answering The Call

1 Timothy 1:12

12 And I thank Christ Jesus our Lord who has enabled me, because He counted me faithful, putting me into the ministry,

12 I give thanks to Him Who has granted me [the needed] strength and made me able [for this], Christ Jesus our Lord, because He has judged and counted me faithful and trustworthy, appointing me to [this stewardship of] the ministry.

Philippians 3:12-14

Not that I have already attained, or am already perfected; but I press on, that I may lay hold of that for which Christ Jesus has also laid hold of me.

13 Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead,

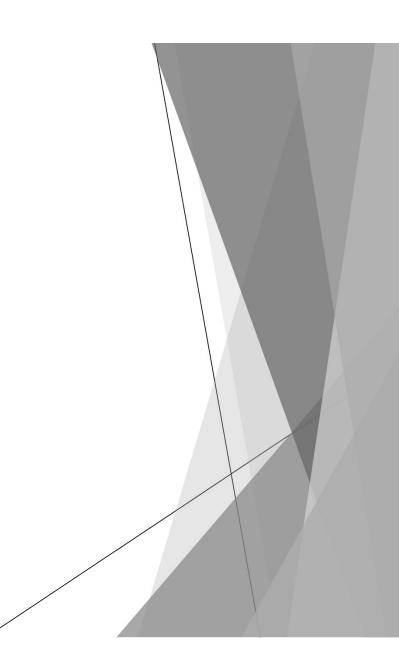
14 I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.

Isaiah 6:8

8 Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying:

"Whom shall I send, And who will go for Us?"

Then I said, "Here am I! Send me."



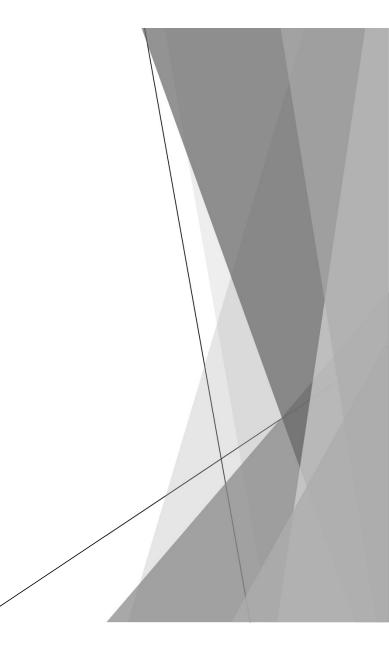
Romans 11:29

29 For the gifts and the calling of God are irrevocable.

29 For God's gifts and His call are irrevocable. [He never withdraws them when once they are given, and He does not change His mind about those to whom He gives His grace or to whom He sends His call.]

You Have A Calling

- Hearing The Call
- > Answering The Call





DOOR OF LIFE SUNDAY SERVICE YOU HAVE A CALLING



The End