

JCS FAMILY DEVOTIONAL

THURSDAY

Christ's Action

1. Happy Thursday! I'm praying you have an awesome day!!
2. Do you think they had paved roads and sidewalks when Jesus was alive?
3. How about Adidas and Nikes to protect your feet?
4. How about a Pedicure?
5. What do think people's feet were like at the end of a long day's walk?

John 13:2-17

The evening meal was in progress, and the devil had already prompted Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot, to betray Jesus. ³ Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; ⁴ so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. ⁵ After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him.

⁶ He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?"

⁷ Jesus replied, "You do not realize now what I am doing, but later you will understand."

⁸ "No," said Peter, "you shall never wash my feet."

Jesus answered, "Unless I wash you, you have no part with me."

⁹ "Then, Lord," Simon Peter replied, "not just my feet but my hands and my head as well!"

¹⁰ Jesus answered, "Those who have had a bath need only to wash their feet; their whole body is clean. And you are clean, though not every one of you." ¹¹ For he knew who was going to betray him, and that was why he said not every one was clean.

¹² When he had finished washing their feet, he put on his clothes and returned to his place. "Do you understand what I have done for you?" he asked them. ¹³ "You call me 'Teacher' and 'Lord,' and rightly so, for that is what I am. ¹⁴ Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. ¹⁵ I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. ¹⁶ Very truly I tell you, no servant is greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him. ¹⁷ Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them.

6. Usually the low person on the list gets to wash the feet. The servant. The "Master" or "Teacher" would never wash feet. What was Christ trying to teach the disciples and us?
7. Is anyone too important to serve?
8. Pray that God would help your family be active in serving others for Christ.
10. Continue memorizing this week's verse: Matthew 9:37-38 "Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; ³⁸ therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.""

I miss seeing you and your family. Please know I am praying for all of our families. Please send any requests or blessings to my email or text them to my cell.

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