

## Cups of Water Mother's Day 2012

### **Matthew 25:34-40**

- Serving Christ is simple, it doesn't require "heroic" activity
- Serving often requires that we set aside (temporarily) what we may have planned
- We serve Christ by serving those who need to be served

### **1 John 3:16-18**

- Jesus provided many "cups of water" before He saved souls
- Loving with action fulfills the intentions of our words
- We will not always do what we should, but there is grace

### **1 John 3:19-23**

- We will not always care for others as we want to, but there is grace
- The best parent is a believer
- Ask God to help you care for your kids and He will help!

### **Discussion Questions:**

- What are some joys that you have experienced serving others?
- Do you ever feel less than adequate as a servant? What are some "solutions" that you have found helpful?
- Do you believe that God can help you grow in this area? What is "your part" and what is "his part?"