

**SUNDAY SERVICE AT THE GOOD NEW MISSION**

**THEME: HONOR**

**TOPIC: HONOR FOR HONOR**

Definition of honor: (Merriam webster dictionary) to regard or treat “someone” with admiration and respect. To hold in high respect, reference, and distinction. Recognition of importance or value; respect; veneration

1. Honoring his name; Revelation 4:11 ***“You are worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor and power; For you created all things, and by your will they exist and were created”***.
  - By sacrificing our bodies, Romans 12: 1 ***“I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God which is your reasonable service”***.
  - By sacrificing our pleasures; Matthew 16:24-26 ***“Then Jesus said to his disciples, ‘If anyone desires to come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me’”***.
  - By revering his name, for the name of the lord is sacred; Exodus 20:7 ***“You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who take His name in vain”***.
2. Honoring His body “The Holy Church”.
  - Holding the church of Christ at the highest esteem; 1 Corinthians 11:27 NIV ***“So then, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord”***, Acts 20:28 NIV ***“Keep watch over yourselves and all the flock of which the Holy Spirit***

***has made you overseers. Be shepherds of the church of God, [a] which he bought with his own blood”.***

- Promoting the sound doctrine 2 Timothy 1:13 ***“Hold fast the pattern of sound words which you have heard from me, in faith and love which are in Christ Jesus”.***
- Participating in the holy ordinances ie Holy communion and Water Baptism.  
***“And He took bread, gave thanks and broke it, and gave it to them, saying, ‘This is My body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of Me’”.***
- Honoring His servants Hebrews 13:7 NIV ***“Remember your leaders, who spoke the word of God to you. Consider the outcome of their way of life and imitate their faith”.*** Number 12:8, Romans 13:7 ***“Render therefore to all their due: taxes to whom taxes are due, customs to whom customs, fear to whom fear, honor to whom honor”.***

### 3. Honoring His House

- The articles; Exodus 40:9 ***“And you shall take the anointing oil, and anoint the tabernacle and all that is in it; and you shall hallow it and all its utensils, and it shall be holy”***, Daniel 5:3, 5:23
- Instruments
- Furnitures, and everything else set a part for the service of the kingdom