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Romans 12:1-21

Mercy and the Church...

- ▶ **We are mercy-driven** _____.
- We live to worship...
 - Sacrificing our _____.
 - Surrendering our _____.
 - Submitting our _____.
- Worship is not our religious duty; it is our greatest _____.

- ▶ **We are a mercy-molded** _____.
- We _____ to each other.
- We _____ each other.
- We _____ for each other.
- We _____ each other.
- We _____ on each other.
- We _____ with each other.
- We _____ with each other.
- We _____ with each other.
- We _____ each other.
- The gladness of the family reflects the glory of the _____.

- ▶ **We are on a mercy-giving** _____.
- We trust in God's _____.
- We triumph with God's _____.
- We follow the One who _____ for His enemies...

So What Now?

- ▶ **Today...**
 - Make an 8-week commitment to journey together with a small group this fall.
- ▶ **This Week...**
 - Pray continually that God will make us a community with great mercy for each other and for people in Birmingham and all nations.



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Mercy and the Church...

- ▶ **We are mercy-driven worshippers**.
- We live to worship...
 - Sacrificing our **bodies**.
 - Surrendering our **minds**.
 - Submitting our **wills**.
- Worship is not our religious duty; it is our greatest **delight**.

- ▶ **We are a mercy-molded family**.
- We **belong** to each other.
- We **love** each other.
- We **care** for each other.
- We **honor** each other.
- We **spur** on each other.
- We **share** with each other.
- We **rejoice** with each other.
- We **weep** with each other.
- We **accept** each other.
- The gladness of the family reflects the glory of the **Father**.

- ▶ **We are on a mercy-giving mission**.
- We trust in God's **justice**.
- We triumph with God's **love**.
- We follow the One who **died** for His enemies...

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