

Lynn Valley Full Gospel Church
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Series: “*The Unknown God*”

Topic: “*Unknown Grace*”

Scripture: Acts 17:24-25

1. God is not served by human hands...Bad news to the **self-sufficient**

- Galatians 1:14
- Philippians 3:4-7

2. God is not served by human hands...Good news to **the weak**

- Mark 10:45

We need someone to die in our place and ransom us from the penalty and power of sin, so that we might escape God's judgment and enter eternal life.

3. What being a **Christian** means...

“Jesus, You are my Saviour, my king, my friend,

my treasure, my forgiver, my hope, my joy, my guide, my protector, my wisdom, my advocate, my strength. I need you. I love you. I trust you to be all that for me today. I know you have given me muscles and a mind and a will. I know you intend me to use them in doing things that are just and loving and God-honoring. But you have shown me that without you, my will is rebellious, my mind darkened and my muscles obey the rebel will and darkened mind! And so, Lord Jesus, I need you every day...WORK FO ME TODAY! Not that I deserve it, but because you paid a ransom. SERVE ME TODAY, to subdue my will, so that I will love what you love and find joy in doing your will. WORK FOR ME TODAY, to bring light to my mind so that I think the truth and see you for who you are...infinitely loveable and beautiful...Amen!”

4. God **works for us**.

- He makes Himself our **servant**
- Isaiah 64:4
- Isaiah 41:10

5. A God who loves to **serve** those who know they need **mercy**

- Matthew 11:28-30