

SPIRITUAL EMPHASIS

Week

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Spiritual Emphasis Week offers an opportunity for each local church to begin the year on a high spiritual note. The entire membership should be encouraged to participate as the church gathers Sunday through Friday for prayer, praise, and proclamation of the word. This annual event should climax with the clergy and laity of the Presiding Elder District coming together for a special District service. The suggested theme and daily sub-themes for Spiritual Emphasis Week 2022 are as follows:

QUADRENNIAL THEME:

The Freedom Church - A Movement Empowered by Holy Spirit:
Strengthening our Fellowship, Serving our Flock, Sharing our Faith,
and Securing our Future."

[SCRIPTURE: PHILIPPIANS 2:1-11]

KEY VERSES

Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus: Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. (Philippians 2:5-6)

PROPOSITION: Serving Our Flock epitomizes the ministry of Christ and the continuous shared responsibility of the Church.

January 2, 2022

Serving Our Flock by being United with Christ (2:1)

January 3, 2022

Serving Our Flock by having the Mind of Christ (2:2)

January 4, 2022

Serving Our Flock with the Humility of Christ (2:3)

January 5, 2022

Serving Our Flock with the same Interest for Others as for Ourselves (2:4)

January 6, 2022

Serving Our Flock by having the Attitude of Christ (2:5)

January 7, 2022

Serving Our Flock by being a Servant like Christ (2:6-7)

January 8, 2022

Serving Our Flock by being Obedient like Christ (2:8)

