

# SERMON NOTES

WHY WE WORK

## Selected Scriptures



**BIG IDEA:** God works and has created us to reflect His glory in our work.

# APPLICATION GUIDE

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## DISCUSS

What are common attitudes toward work and vocation in our world today?

How is a biblical view of work different?

## APPLY

What kinds of work do you find most fulfilling? What's your dream job?

The effects of the fall make our work more difficult (Genesis 3:16-19). How do you feel these effects daily in your work?

How can you actively depend on God to help you work faithfully despite these difficulties?

How is your work affected by laziness, apathy, or distraction?

Colossians 3:23–24 says, "Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ." How does this passage change the way you think about your work?

According to Revelation 14:13 and 22:3, what hope can you take into your work today?

## COMMIT

The purpose of the Lord's Day is to worship Him and enjoy the fruit of our labor. Plan to rest from your work and enjoy its fruits with gratitude this week.