




Compassion – Deep-Seated Caring

Week 11 | Christ-Like
Character Series

A close-up photograph of a hand reaching upwards, with fingers slightly spread, against a bright, hazy background of a sun or light source. The image is partially obscured by a large, semi-transparent circular graphic on the left side of the slide.

'Moved to Action'

- Share a time you saw a need and felt you had to do something about it.
- Compassion always leads to action.



What Is Compassion?

- Deeply moved in your inner being to the point of acting to meet a need.
- Not just pity, but allowing God's power to work through you.
- Biblical compassion always produces action (Luke 7:11–15; Matt. 14:14; Mark 1:41).
- Examples: Mother in 1 Kings 3, Paul's love for the church, Jesus' ministry.

Scriptural Instructions in Compassion

Don't block compassion – 1 John 3:17–18.

Share resources – Luke 3:11; 1 Tim. 6:17–19.

Ministering to others = ministering to Jesus – Matt. 25:34–40.

Intercession – Ezek. 22:30; Heb. 7:25; Matt. 5:43.

Isaiah 58:6–14 – Physical help linked with spiritual ministry.

Group Reflection

Which instruction
is easiest for you
to live out?

Which is most
challenging?

Activity – Compassion in Action

Think of one way to show
compassion this week in:

1. Family

2. Community

3. Church

Share ideas briefly if you want.

Meditation & Challenge

Read 1 John 3:17–
18 & Matthew 5:43
(MSG).

Challenge: Don't
just feel
compassion—let it
move you to action.

Promises for the Compassionate

Prosperity &
refreshing – Prov.
11:25; 19:17;
28:27.

Abundant grace – 2
Cor. 9:6–8.

God's blessings:
guidance,
protection, speedy
healing – Isaiah 58.

Closing Prayer

1

Thank God for
His compassion
toward us.

2

Pray for a heart
that acts quickly
to meet needs.

3

Ask for
opportunities to
be His hands and
feet this week.