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Do Good - It Matters
First Responders Sunday

4 Corners Church
October 27, 2024

Joshua 1:9 *'Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.'*

Galatians 6:9 *And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.*

Doing Good make a difference:

1. First Responders who faithfully and bravely serve our community.
2. 4C's Pastoral Team who faithfully and skillfully shepherd our church family.
3. Godly men and women in a fallen and broken world.

God Established Three Institutions on Earth:

- Family: If you won't lead your family, Satan will (Genesis 3).
- Church: If godly Pastors won't lead their churches, Satan will (Revelation 2 and 3)
- State: If godly leaders do not rule, godless people will rule – they are all that are left.

Romans 13:1 *Let everyone be subject to the governing authorities, for there is no authority except that which God has established. The authorities that exist have been established by God.*

Proverbs 29:2 *When the righteous increase, the people rejoice, but when the wicked rule, the people groan.*

3 Types of Leaders In the Bible of the Old Testament

- Josiah: Righteous, faithful leaders who promotes righteous things.

- Jezebel and Ahab: Unrighteous leaders who promote and celebrate wicked things.
- Jehu: Flawed leaders used to do some good things.

Jesus is not on the ballot.

A flawed leader is better than suffering under wicked leaders.

Personalities come and go. Policies last a long time.

*I believe, in the USA, voting is a stewardship issue for believers where we can stand against the tide of evil in the culture and do good in standing for godly values.