

COMMISSIONING LITANY

SERVE 2024 - Fill your cup!

- Leader:** This week, you will be challenged to examine yourself through the fruit of the Spirit, which is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.
- Congregation:** May we all examine what we fill our hearts and minds with each day.
- SERVE Participants:** Lord, may we be open to change that will glorify you. Give us the courage to remove things that are not pleasing in your sight and are not useful for building your kingdom.
- Congregation:** We send you to serve with love and joy.
- SERVE Participants:** We will serve one another in love. For the entire law of God is fulfilled in keeping this one command: "Love your neighbor as yourself."
- Congregation:** We send you to serve with peace and patience.
- SERVE Participants:** Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called children of God.
- Congregation:** We send you to serve with kindness and goodness.
- SERVE Participants:** Surely your goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.
- Congregation:** We send you to serve with faithfulness and gentleness.
- SERVE Participants:** Since God chose you to be the holy people, he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience.
- Congregation:** We send you to serve with self-control.
- SERVE Participants:** Better to be patient than powerful; better to have self-control than to conquer a city.
- Congregation:** Go and share the gospel with boldness and humility.
- SERVE Participants:** We will proclaim your name to all nations using words and deeds.
- Leader:** We commission you to go with the blessing of the fruit of the Spirit from this congregation of believers into our community and throughout the world.