

Dynamic Duo
Jumping Hurdles – Part 7
Life Church St. Louis – October 17, 2021
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John 14:15 (ESV) “If you love me, you will keep my commandments.”

1 Peter 4:10 (ESV) As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God’s varied grace:

1. Practice _____ ministry

Acts 18:1-2a (ESV) After this Paul left Athens and went to Corinth. And he found a Jew named Aquila, a native of Pontus, recently come from Italy with his wife Priscilla, because Claudius had commanded all the Jews to leave Rome.

Acts 18:2b-3 (ESV) And he went to see them, and because he was of the same trade he stayed with them and worked, for they were tentmakers by trade.

Romans 12:13 (ESV) Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality.

2. Invest in _____ ministry

Acts 18:24-25 (ESV) Now a Jew named Apollos, a native of Alexandria, came to Ephesus. He was an eloquent man, competent in the Scriptures. He had been instructed in the way of the Lord. And being fervent in spirit, he spoke and taught accurately the things concerning Jesus, though he knew only the baptism of John.

Acts 18:26 (ESV) He began to speak boldly in the synagogue, but when Priscilla and Aquila heard him, they took him aside and explained to him the way of God more accurately.

Matthew 28:19-20 (ESV) Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.

3. Participate in _____ ministry

Romans 16:3-4 (ESV) Greet Prisca and Aquila, my fellow workers in Christ Jesus, who risked their necks for my life, to whom not only I give thanks but all the churches of the Gentiles give thanks as well.

Romans 16:5 (ESV) Greet also the church in their house.

Ephesians 4:11-12 (ESV) And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ,

Action Plan for This Week

- Have a daily time of Bible reading & prayer (Acts 18)
 - Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat Sun

- Invite a friend to attend the service next week.

- How will I obey God’s Word this week? _____

Dynamic Duo Study Guide
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Intro. In what ways could keeping Jesus' commandments be a hurdle in our lives (John 14:15)?

Intro. What kinds of gifts has God given believers to serve others with (1 Peter 4:10)?

Intro. What does it mean to be a good steward of God's grace (1 Peter 4:10)?

1A. What ways did Aquila and Priscilla show hospitality to Paul (Acts 18:1-3)?

1B. How did showing hospitality benefit both Paul and Aquila and Priscilla?

1C. How would you define showing hospitality (Romans 12:13)?

1D. What can we do to show Christian hospitality today in our church and homes?

2A. What was lacking in Apollos' understanding of the Gospel (Acts 18:24-25)?

2B. How did Aquila and Priscilla show wisdom in correcting Apollos (Acts 18:26)?

2C. How does Matthew 28:19-20 teach us that discipleship is more than just getting someone saved?

2D. What are some opportunities for you to get involved and grow in discipleship in your life?

3A. What other ways did Aquila and Priscilla help the apostle Paul in his ministry (Romans 16:3-4)?

3B. What does Romans 16:5 tell us about how Aquila and Priscilla were growing in ministry in the local church?

3C. According to Ephesians 4:11-12, who is supposed to do the work of the ministry in the local church? Why is this important?

3D. What are some ways that people can use their giftings to do the work of the ministry in the local church?