MESSAGE OUTLINE Sunday, August 31, 2008 – 10:45 a.m.

Pastor David Crouse

"ON BEING READY"

Luke 12:35 – 48

Being Ready When Jesus Comes Back

- The disciples didn't know there would be a <u>Second Coming</u>
- They are still in denial that Jesus will be crucified
- Jesus will teach them principles for an in-between time

1. Waiting for Their Master

- Staying <u>dressed</u> for service
- Ready to serve

2. A Picture of a Burglary

- Readiness
- The Lord will come when we don't expect Him

3. Strong Warnings for Leaders

- A picture of Christ and those He calls to lead
- For the faithful manager there will be a great reward
- His return will bring judgement on the manager gone bad

4. Truth For All Servants

• The more you have, the more you are responsible for

We are Privileged People

■ Are we <u>ready</u> and <u>active</u> to the level of our responsibility?