Sermon

"A Humbled Life" (Luke 19:1-9)

Ordinary (Week 6: "God-Centered Humility")

1) Humble

³ For by the grace given to me | say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned (Romans 12:3).

⁸And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. ⁹Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name (Philippians 2:8-9).

2) He ______ us without ______ us.

⁵And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today." 'So he hurried and came down and received him joyfully (Luke 19:5-6).

Behold my servant, whom | uphold, my chosen, in whom my soul delights; | have put my Spirit upon him; he will bring forth justice to the nations. ² He will not cry aloud or líft up his voice, or make it heard in the street; ³ a bruised reed he will not break, and a faintly burning wick he will not quench; he will faithfully bring forth justice. * He will not grow faint or be discouraged till he has established justice in the earth ... (Isaiah 42:1-4a).

3) A Life for

⁸And Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods | give to the poor. And if | have defrauded anyone of anything, | restore it fourfold." "And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house... (Luke

19:8-9a).

⁸ Finally, all of you, have unity of mind, sympathy, brotherly love, a tender heart, and a humble mind (1 Peter 3:8).