

SOCIAL JUSTICE: CARING FOR THE POOR, HOMELESS, REFUGEES/IMMIGRANTS, AND THE MARGINALIZED

Jesus said that when we care for “the least of these” we are caring for Him. Thus, it is a crucial part of a gospel-driven life to care for the oppressed and marginalized. The problem is when this is politicized or when arguments arise about how best to do it. While we can differ in our view of strategy, we as followers of Jesus, cannot differ in believing that it is critical to care for those who are less privileged and cannot care for themselves.

SCRIPTURE VERSES

1 John 3:17-18
Proverbs 14:31
Isaiah 58:6-7
Leviticus 19:33-34
Matthew 25:41-43

SERMONS

Russell Moore interviews two Hispanic pastors about immigration
<https://www.thegospelcoalition.org/article/thinking-christianly-about-immigration/>

ARTICLES

<https://www.thegospelcoalition.org/article/the-gospel-and-immigration/>
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<http://resonate.net/resblog/immigration>
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<https://www.thegospelcoalition.org/article/help-even-the-unrighteous-poor/>
<https://www.thegospelcoalition.org/article/its-not-enough-to-care-about-the-poor/>
<https://relevantmagazine.com/reject-apathy/worldview/its-time-christians-acknowledge-privilege>

BOOKS

Generous Justice: How God’s Grace Makes Us Just - Timothy Keller
Humanitarian Jesus: Social Justice and the Cross - Christian Buckley and Ryan Dobson

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