On Their Shoulders

2 Chronicles 17:1-6

Introduction: We are a part of a wonderful, strong heritage. It is our responsibility to continue the good work for the glory of Christ.

I. A Church of Convictions

- A. Our faith is a taught faith Deuteronomy 6:6-7, 2 Timothy 1:5
- B. Our faith is a standing faith 2 Timothy 1:12-14
- C. Our faith is a defining faith Matthew 5:13-16, Romans 12:2

II. A Church Of Character

- A. Our world today is a moral vacuum Romans 1:21-32
- B. The church today is called to be different 2 Peter 1:5, 1 Peter 1:15-16
- C. The Christian today has character
 The difference between character and reputation
 Proverbs 22:1

III. A Church of Compassion

- A. Scripture shows God as a compassionate Father Ephesians 6:4, Colossians 3:21
- B. As God's people, we must show compassion as well Galatians 5:13, Matthew 25:33-46
- C. Your convictions, character and compassion are shown by the way you treat those who cannot repay you.