

I Will: Week 1

(Corresponding to message on Oct. 4 & Chapter 1 in book)

Opening Prayer

Ice Breaker:

What is your favorite food at the state fair?

Opening Question:

Share a story from your life when your attitude made a difference.

Discussion Questions:

1. Read Ephesians 4:1-3
 - a. Explain how this passage works in the context of our relationship with fellow church members.
 - b. How has grace in your life impacted your ability to be humble, gentle, patient, and your willingness to accept people unconditionally?
2. Read Philippians 2:1-8
 - a. How does this passage relate to our commitment in church today?
3. Read Hebrews 12:1-2
 - a. How is the joy of Christ connected to the sacrifice of Christ?
 - b. How is joy connected to the sacrifice of Christ in your life?
4. Read Colossians 1:9-10
 - a. List who and what Paul was praying for.
 - b. How can this inform who and what you pray for?
 - c. How has prayer changed your attitude towards an issue or a person?
5. Read Philippians 4:4-7
 - a. How does giving thanks in all things effect joy in your life?
6. Why do you think church members are less committed to their churches today than they were several years ago?
7. Would you say your commitment to your church is more or less today than it was five years ago? Why?
8. How have you seen attitude affect actions... in life? In church? At home?

Application:

Write down one take away from this discussion that you can apply to your life...

Closing Prayer