

FUTURES & FOUNDATIONS | GROUP CONTENT

SERMON QUESTIONS:

Ice Breaker: What's something you want to learn this year?

1. **Zeal** – The sermon emphasized that God's mission is fueled by His *zeal*. (Isaiah 9:7) Where are you seeing evidence of God actively pursuing people in your life or community right now?
2. **Relentless Pursuit** – If God is just as passionate and relentless about His mission today as He was when He sent His Son, what does that reveal about His heart—and how should that shape the way we view the people around us?
3. **Lock In** – The warning about mission drift was clear. Where are you most prone to distraction, comfort, or routine that pulls you away from what matters most—and what helps you realign?
4. **Be Honest** – If you were to honestly assess it, what is the current “temperature” of your zeal for God's mission? What tends to cool it down, and what helps stir it back up?
5. **Your Part** – The invitation was to have “skin in the game.” What is one specific next step you will take this week—through prayer, serving, giving, discipling, or sharing the Gospel—to more fully engage in God's mission?

“I Will” STATEMENT: An ‘I Will’ Statement is where we respond to what we discussed by making a simple commitment to an action we can complete in the next week. It is a deliberate commitment to practically obey the Word of God and listen to the Holy Spirit. Share what you feel like God may be calling you to do.

PRAYER: Take time to ask each person how the group can be praying for them during the next week. Take notes so you can follow up. If this is your first meeting, plan to be the one to pray out loud for the group. As the group continues, pay attention to everyone's comfort level with praying out loud before inviting others to do so. No one should feel pressured, but should be encouraged.