Use these questions in your Life Group gatherings or for further discussion as a family.

### **WORK OUT YOUR SALVATION | JULY 13, 2025**

# SERMON RECAP

Spiritual growth is a lifelong journey that begins at salvation and continues as we pursue Christlikeness through daily obedience and dependence on God. While we are called to actively "work out" our salvation, we do so with the assurance that it is ultimately God who is working in us to will and to act according to His good purpose.

### THE LEAD IN

 Tom began by asking us to consider how we think about progress. How would you describe your attitude toward progress? Has it changed over the years?
Is there a specific area of your life where you've seen measurable growth – physically, mentally, or spiritually – in the past few years?

#### **GETTING INTO THE TEXT**

- Read Philippians 2:12-13 together. What does it mean to "work out your salvation" (vs. 12)? How does this command speak to the daily realities of your spiritual life? How is this different from trying to earn salvation?
- What does it mean that "it is God who works in you" (vs. 13)? How does this statement change the way you approach obedience and sanctification? What role does God's power and grace play in your growth as a believer?

#### **GOING DEEPER**

- Tom challenged us to consider how we might grow in the kind of obedience that Jesus modeled. What distractions, sins, or misplaced priorities tend to hinder your spiritual growth? How does remembering the obedience of Jesus on the cross shape your motivation for pursuing holiness?
- Who in your Oikos could you encourage or build up in their spiritual walk this week? What might that look like practically?

## PRAYER

 Ask God to help you live out your salvation with an obedience that looks like Christ's. Pray for God's help to both desire and act according to His good purpose. Ask that God would provide you with the opportunity to encourage another believer in their pursuit of holiness this week.