Message Notes:		
	Participate in the Work of the Church	November 9, 202
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Growth Group Homework

Warm Up

- 1. What does it feel like to be part of a group or team where people value what you bring to it? How would this impact your desire to participate?
 - Have you ever had the opposite experience? What did that feel like?

Talk it Over

- 2. What in the message did you find interesting, challenging or helpful?
- 3. Read Ephesians 4:11-13. The Greek word, "work" means "toil" or "labor". It's work that requires energy and effort. What do you think of the idea that God wants to work through you to benefit the church?
 - The Greek word for "service," often translated "ministry," could be used for the serving work of a table water or errand runner. How should that idea affect our attitude as we serve in the church?
- 4. Colossians chapter 3 provides helpful insight into the life transformation we participate in when we decide to follow Christ. Read verses 1-4. What shifts in viewpoint and mindset are Christ-followers to make? Why?

• Read Colossians 3:5-14. List the old things that are to be "put to death/off" and the new things that are to be "put on." Why are we to make this shift?

5. Thinking through the Seabreeze Heart Attitudes, what are some ways they help us live out the instructions from Colossians 3?

Put the goals and interests of others above my own.

Live an honest and open life.

Give and receive Scriptural correction.

Clear up relationships.

Participate in the work of the church.

Support the church financially.

Follow spiritual leadership in the church within Scriptural limits.

6. If each of us is aiming to live the Heart Attitudes, what kind of group and team environment do you think we will create?

Take it Home

7. As you aim to live out the Heart Attitudes, which one do you think God wants you to take a next step in? Explain.