

Sermon Notes

Luke 18:9-14, 22:42; Colossians 2:8; Philippians 2:8-11

_____: A set of principles or procedures _____ to _____ something.

Embrace _____ and _____.

Pray for heart _____ as you _____ in spiritual disciplines.

_____ God's will and _____ to His leading.

MY NOTES | OBSERVATIONS | QUESTIONS

SAVE THE DATES:

Friday August 18 @ 2pm - Prayer Walk at Forest Creek Middle School

Sunday August 20 - Special Heart4Schools Service with School Administrators

Prayer Walk at River Trail Elementary after August 20 service

Discussion Guide

1. What is one thing from the message that God used to encourage, challenge, or grow you?
2. Today we talked about rituals and systems. Do you have any rituals or systems that you follow to start your day? Share your story.
3. Have you ever found yourself drifting into the trap of just going through religious rituals or systems in your faith journey? If so, what are they and how did you realize it? Share your story.
4. In the parable, Jesus highlighted the importance of humility and confession in approaching God. How do these play out in your faith journey? What are some steps we can take to cultivate more of these in our daily walk with the Lord?
5. How can we balance having a daily structured spiritual routine (prayer and Bible study) and avoid losing the genuine personal relationship with the Lord? Share your thoughts.
6. What are some ways religious systems or rituals show up in our culture? What are some steps we can take to encourage others to move from “working the system” and move toward a personal relationship with the Lord? Share your thoughts.
7. Take a few minutes to SOAP through one of the passages referenced in the message today. These are found on the top of the notes page. You may want to include verses before/after the passage listed too. Share your insights with the group.

Scripture:

Observations:

Application:

Prayer:

Prayer Requests: