



Series: As You Are Going
Sermon: Persist in Prayer
Luke 18:1-8; Matthew 25:32-46

Sermon Discussion Questions

1. Persistence can be a healthy character trait and an unhealthy one. Which of these does your persistence look like, explain: tenacious, persevering, dedicated, determined, stubborn, obstinate, fleshly?
2. In Luke 18:1, Jesus said a life of Spirit-led persistent prayer is learned behavior to be practiced. Do you persist in such a manner? Why/why not?
3. The widow in Luke 18 persisted in prayer/petition for justice. Why should our prayer be motivated by people in all forms of crisis?
4. The unjust judge finally granted her justice, but only so she wouldn't bother him anymore. How does the Righteous Judge differ in dispensing His justice? What's the importance of waiting for Him to act?
5. In Matthew 25:32-46, persistent prayer leads to doing for the least of these. Such doing can be the difference between being a goat or sheep. What good is persistent prayer without doing? Discuss the potential impact of this parable if we take it to heart.

Closing Questions:

- A. What did the Holy Spirit TELL YOU during the teaching Sunday?
- B. What did the Spirit tell you to DO about it?
- C. How can we help you by our prayers and support?