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[CONNECT]

What is something you've been committed to for a long time (i.e. marriage / relationship, exercise, education, etc.? How long has it been?

[ENGAGE]

What stood out and impacted you from the message this weekend?

[GROW]

Read Hebrews 12:12-13. How does this verse impact you? How do we take a new grip with tired hands and strengthen our legs? How does being together with other believers help that to happen? Tell of a time when that helped you?

What does prayer look like in your life right now?

Read Ephesians 6:18. How do we "pray in the Spirit at all times and on every occasion?" What do you think the Apostle Paul would say to you about this?

Share a time when your "remaining in prayer" brought about something you didn't really expect? How has God shown up in your prayers?

Read 1 John 5:21. What are temptations for our heart, priorities, and affections that threaten to take God's place? How do we remain faithful in our hearts and in our love for Jesus and keep His in first place?

[LEAD (YOURSELF)]

Read John 15:5. What 3 things can you do in the coming weeks to "remain in Christ"?