



**Thank You Notes - The Peace of God  
Phillippians 4:2-9**

**July 16, 2023**

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**DAILY DEVOTION**

Find a rhythm in God's word this week! Follow this 5 day plan on your own or with your group!

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**INSPIRATION**

"Peace cannot be kept by force. It can only be achieved by understanding." - Albert Einstein

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**ICE BREAKER**

1. What is one skill that you wish you were a master of?
2. What is a TV show that you could binge watch?

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**DEEP DIVE**

**Read this out loud**

An excerpt from the message this week:

"Imagine how foolish you would feel if you were to spend years caring for a fake plant that you thought was real."

**Read John 15:5 and then answer the following questions:**

3. What are some things in our lives that are "fake plants"?
4. Why do we water these "fake plants"?

**Read this out loud**



An excerpt from the message this week:

“Relationships are built on communication.”

**Read Luke 11:1-13 and then answer the following questions:**

5. Jesus gave us the Lord’s prayer as an example. What is Jesus trying to show the disciples?
6. What would you say is the easiest form of prayer for you to talk to God?
7. Using examples from the message, what forms of prayer would push you out of your comfort zone?

### **Additional Study**

If you have time during your Small Group or you want to study more about the message topic, read and consider the following passages:

- Galatians 5:22-23
- John 18:38
- Ephesians 2:4-5

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### **NEXT STEPS**

8. How are you going to apply the lessons learned in the message this week?
9. What can you do to encourage someone in your group to take their next step?

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### **PRAYER**

1. After sharing prayer requests, pray for the person on your right. Pray for that person throughout the week.
2. Is there someone in your group that you can grab coffee with and pray for this week?

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### **SERVE YOUR COMMUNITY**

Establish a regular rhythm of serving together! Below are some service opportunities.

- BENSON - Local Mission Partner is ABIDE. Contact Campus Pastor for more information.



- MILLARD - Local Mission Partner is Heartland Hope. Contact Campus Pastor for more information.
- FREMONT - Local Mission Partner is LifeHouse. Contact Campus Pastor for more information.
- OMAHA - Local Mission Partner is Open Door Mission. Contact Lyndsey Deyoe for more information.
- Or get to know your community! Seek out service opportunities in your area.