

Our Power: Persistent Prayer

Prayer changes lives, families, and nations. We desire to be a church characterized by passionate, fervent prayer. We pray believing that whatever we ask in Jesus' name according to God's will, He will do it. We pray missionally, knowing that God is not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. We come boldly to God's throne of grace, knowing we will find the help we need. Prayer is our power – it is one of our weapons in the spiritual battle.

Discussion Questions:

If you could choose one meaningful phrase or statement of truth that grabbed your attention today, what would it be? What makes that important to you?

How is the Holy Spirit prompting you to align with persistent prayer? How could McCoy help?

What would you like to learn more about as a result of today's message?

What text has taken on a richer meaning for you today? In what way?

One month from now, what do you want to be different about your prayer life?

Considering the value of persistent prayer, what could McCoy do to be 5-10% better?

If McCoy were to fully pursue persistent prayer, what would be different 12 months from now?

When you consider today's value, what do you think McCoy should add or subtract from its ministry

activities?

On a scale of 1-10 (10 being best), how well does McCoy honor persistent prayer?

On a scale of 1-10 (10 being best), how well do you honor persistent prayer?

For both of the above questions—What action/change would increase that score 1 point?