



rGroup Guide

THE PROPHET'S LIFESTYLE

Pastor Miles McPherson | August 11, 2019

Recite the Do Something Disciple Prayer

“As a Do Something Disciple, I am in a disciplined pursuit for the heart of The Father, a heart that is being perfected in love for God and people.

Father give me a heart that:

- Desperately seeks face-to-face intimacy with You.
- Faithfully avoids that which displeases You.
- Humbly embraces a Kingdom Mindset.
- Values making disciples that make disciples.

Jesus, create in me a heart that:

- Values being guided by the Word of God.
- Gratefully grows in generosity.
- Nurtures a burden for lost people.
- Demonstrates a commitment to a Spirit-filled expression of my gifts.

Holy Spirit develop a heart in me that:

- Gracefully gives and receives forgiveness.
- Passionately worships God.
- Is dependent on the power of prayer.
- Serves with Humility.

"Father, with Christlikeness as my goal and the Holy Spirit as my Guide, knit my heart with Yours. Fill my heart with Your passions, motivations, and desires. In Jesus' Name, Amen."

Sermon Application Questions from Sunday's Message:

On Sunday, Pastor Miles encouraged us as a church to listen to God's voice. People generally accept the fact that the devil speaks negatively to people and to discourage people. Yet, so much greater to God's voice to speak life, love and encouragement to His people should we make a commitment to be attentive to Him. God's sheep hear His voice (John 10:27-28). Pastor Miles taught about how important it is to *know* God's voice and to *listen* to God's voice for our direction for our lives. In his message he focused on the voice of a prophet. A prophet is someone who declares 'a Word' that becomes a 'thing' that brings 'heaven to earth.' Rather than letting the issues of the culture dictate to our beliefs and choices, as God's people we need to be committed to speaking on behalf of God's Kingdom and to be an influence to our family, workplace, and community.

Discuss the following statements in your rGroup and how these statements apply to your life:

1. Prophetic people are from all walks of life. Jeremiah 1:1
2. Prophetic people are a fulfillment of a prophetic utterance. Jeremiah 1:5
3. Prophetic people are aware of the times. Jeremiah 1:3
4. Prophetic people communicate what they hear. Jeremiah 1:6-8
5. Prophetic people represent God to people, cities, and nations. Jeremiah 1:5
6. Prophetic people walk in the favor of God. Jeremiah 22:1-3
7. Prophetic people live a sacrificially obedient lifestyle. Jeremiah 16:1-2

Next Steps:

Register and complete LIFE Class: <https://www.sdrock.com/lifeclass/>

Monthly Memory Verse: Lamentations 3:22-23 (NKJV):

"Through the LORD's mercies we are not consumed, because His compassions fail not. They are new every morning; Great is Your faithfulness."

This Week's Bible Reading: Jeremiah 1-30

Background for the Book of Jeremiah: <https://thebibleproject.com/videos/jeremiah/>