

“Recommit”

1. Tell of a time when you failed to keep a commitment to yourself or to someone else—a commitment you fully intended to keep. What caused your failure to keep the commitment (for example, unexpected problems, competing commitments, simply forgot)?

Read Exodus 20:1–6; Deuteronomy 6:4–5; Matthew 6:33; and Luke 9:23–25. Sum up these passages in a single sentence. In your own experience, what are the greatest threats to your commitment to serve the Lord above all else?

2. A fellow believer remarks, “I’m saved by grace, not by my own obedience!” What questions would you ask, what statements would you make, in reply?

Another Christian states, “I’m in love with Jesus — not with the Bible.” Do you see anything within that statement that is wholesome? Do you see anything within it that is dangerous?

3. As those who have put our faith in Christ, we are “standing on the promises.” What is your favorite promise in Scripture? Why? What warning in Scripture most frightens you? Why?

Recurring Questions

- » How have you seen God working in your life or the lives of those around you this week?
- » What prayer requests would you like to share with the group, including prayer for any spiritual struggles you may be experiencing?