

Williams Memorial CME Church

Developing a Healthy Church

“Christian Living Within the Context of Your Surroundings”

Bible Study Questions

Philippians 2:12-18

Wednesday March 6, 2024

1. 17. What do we learn about salvation according to 2:12? Explain the significance of fear and trembling?

2. 18. List other passages that show that salvation requires us to work – that is, to obey. Does this mean we earn salvation? Explain.

3. 19. Explain the significance of the fact we must work out our own salvation. List other passages showing that salvation is an individual responsibility.

4. 20. In what sense does God work in us to will and to do His good pleasure – 2:13? Does this mean we have no choice about serving God? Explain.

5. 21. How should we serve the Lord according to 2:14? What lessons should we learn?

6. 22. What characteristics should children of God seek to develop according to 2:15? Explain the meaning.

7. 23. Why is it important for Christians to have such characteristics according to the passage? List other passages about our influence or example as Christians.

8. 24. What role should the word of God have in our lives and example – 2:16? In what sense would their conduct affect Paul?

9. 25. How did Paul view his service to them according to 2:17,18? In what sense was this a cause for joy?