SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS NOVEMBER 24, 2024

WORKING OUT YOUR OWN SALVATION PHILIPPIANS 2:12-16

MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

God's work of salvation in your life requires your active work pursuing Christ using the means He has provided.

- I. Command to Pursue Christ (v.12)
- II. Provision to Pursue Christ (v.13)
- III. Goal of Pursuing Christ (v.14-16)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

- 1. What does this passage teach about the importance of taking Scripture in context? What is the danger of taking verse 12 by itself?
- 2. Does God's choice to use means of grace to work in us allow us to take any credit for our salvation? Why not?
- **3.** How are you pursuing Christ through the means of grace? Where do you need to grow?
- 4. Covenant children why should you obey God even when your parents aren't watching? Who gives you the desire and ability to do this?

FURTHER READING: Phil 1:9-11; Acts 2:37-47; Eph 3:20-21; Phil 1:6; Deut 32