

# LOYALTY

Psalm 78:1-8

Isaiah 58:12 "Your people will rebuild the ancient ruins and will raise up the age-old foundations; you will be called Repairer of Broken Walls, Restorer of Streets with Dwellings."

## WEEK TWO

### **Key points**

Think back through the message. What stuck out?

#### **Key Scriptures**

Psalms 78:1-8

Proverbs 20:6

Proverbs 17:17

Hebrews 10:23-25

Romans 5:8

Revelation 3:15-16

"Disloyalty is difficult to see in the mirror"

"Anyone who listens to the word but does not do what it says is like someone who looks at his face in a mirror and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like." (James23-24)

### Living out Loyalty

- 1. Spouse
- 2. Friends
- 3. Church
- 4. God

#### The Undivided Heart

"True loyalty is proven, not proclaimed"

## **Key Questions**

- How do I exhibit loyalty in my daily life?
- What can I do to develop a better willingness to be loyal and maintain a commitment to people?
- What blocks loyalty from working and being exhibited in me?
- How can I make loyalty function better, stronger, and faster, even in times of uncertainly and stress?

### START PRAYING: The Key Issue of Loyalty

We are to realize that God works through people, including our church and national leaders (Proverbs 21:1; Romans 13). God uses others to carry His plan to us and those around us. Therefore, loyalty is also a demonstration of our obedience to our country, civil leaders, church, teachers, authority figures, and family (unless they give a command that goes against God's Word). It is something we demonstrate both in public and in private. Loyalty is a character that puts a portion of *love* (agape) into action for those others in your life. It may be the one key aspect, seen in you by others, that will point them to God's love!

### KEEP READING: dig into more Scriptures about loyalty.

Ecclesiastes 8:2-4 John 15:13 Romans 13:1-5 Titus 3:1 2 Samuel 3:6-21 Esther 8:1-2 John 11:16; 20:8 Hebrews 11:24-26

