New Song Community Church Sunday, July 24, 2016 The Church That Jesus is Building Part 8 Luke 18:1-8

Scriptures: Matt. 6 515; Pro. 16:2; Pro. 21:13; I Thess. 5:17-18; Mark 11:25-26; Eph. 3:20

Three questions:

1. Did you know that God answers every prayer of a righteous believer?

2. Did you know that unanswered prayer is often caused by us accepting a false identity of who we are in the kingdom of God?

3. Did you know that God desires to have a relationship with you that surpasses the things that you ask Him for?

Finding Favor Through Perseverance

Answered prayers are those that contain six elements:

P= Pause; R= Reflect; A= Acknowledgement and Y=Yielding E= Engage; R=Rejoice

Pause : We take time to take note of who we are approaching

Reflect: Take note of the things that are going on in our lives

Acknowledge: we release the power of the Lord to in our lives for divine intervention

Yield: We surrender our will to be conformed to His will and purposes

Engage: We assume a posture in prayer that will invoke the presence of God

Rejoice: We give thanks and celebrate Jesus love for us through worship and praise