

Are You Agreeing with God?

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This week the sermon explored the power of our words and how agreeing with God through what we speak can direct the course of our lives. Using Scripture, personal stories, and biblical examples, the sermon challenged believers to examine whether their words are aligning with what God has said or with what the world is saying.

Life Group Discussion — Agreeing with God

1. **Do you really believe God loves you and has a good plan for your life?** What makes it easy—or difficult—to believe that when your circumstances seem to say something different?
2. **James 3:4 compares the tongue to a rudder that directs a ship. How do the words we repeatedly speak help determine the direction our lives take?** In a difficult situation, are you more likely to describe what you see or agree with what God has said?
3. **Naaman almost missed what God had for him because God's instruction seemed too simple and challenged his pride.** Have you ever struggled to obey God because what He was asking did not make sense to you?
4. **Think about your words this past week.** In what area have your words agreed more with the world, fear, or circumstances than with God's Word? What could you begin saying instead?

Key Takeaways

- Your words function like a rudder on a ship. They do not merely describe where you have been, they direct where you are going.
- Faith is a positive response to what God has done, and that response involves both the heart and the mouth working together.
- Speaking God's Word is not an incantation. What is in your heart matters. Repetition of Scripture builds confidence in God's Word over time.
- Agreement with God must be consistent. Changing course with your words can keep you from reaching the destination God has planned for you.
- Your words affect more than just your own life. They carry the power to bless or curse your family, your workplace, and your community.

Closing Prayer Focus

Ask God to set a watch over your heart and mouth this week. Pray that the words you speak would reflect genuine faith rooted in His Word. Pray for one another by name, speaking life and blessing over each person in your group. If someone is walking through a difficult season, take time to speak specific Scriptures over them together as a group.