

Small Group Questions February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017 LeaveAMark is.....Pastor Steve

Matthew 21:28-32

1. Do you, or have you had in the past a personal vision or mission statement?

The Vision of LeaveAMark church as defined by the LeaveAMark Church Elders is: To Provide a place where everyone is loved and the Love of Jesus is effectively proclaimed.

- 2. What part of that vision statement connects strongest with you?
- 3. What part of the vision statement would you say is the most challenging to live out as a church?

Pastor Steve cited this data: The average Christian will lose their passion to share their faith about 2 years after their conversion.

- 4. Do you find this statement to be true?
- 5. How do you feel we can be different than the norm or the majority as described in the report?

Matt. 21:28-32 – The Parable of the Two sons

6. In your life are you someone who tends to over-promise and under-deliver or under-promise and over-deliver?

In the parable the first son illustrates someone who is religious but is not willing to accept the life change that Jesus offers. The second son illustrates someone who was initially resistant to God or religion, but later comes to accept the life that Jesus offers.

- 7. Do you see yourself in the parable? If so, where do you see yourself in the story?
- 8. Do you feel that others that may have a more rich and full relationship with God than you do?

  If you had to guess, what might be an obstacle for you having a more full experience with God?
- 9. What life situation seems to be impacting your relationship with God right now? How can your relationship with God impact that situation?