

Week 2: Get In the Game

The best teams are formed with people who choose to put the team over their own interests. That's what makes a great team in sports, and it's equally true in the games of life. As a teammate, are you ready to get in the game? The coach is calling—it's your time.

Discussion Questions

- 1. What team have you found most enjoyable to watch? What made them so compelling?
- 2. What teams are you currently a part of? What is your role inhelping those teams "win"?
- 3. In the message, Gavin suggested that while the Christian life seems on the surface to be an individual pursuit, it's more of a team effort than we sometimes think. What are some examples of this that you have seen?
- 4. Read 1 Corinthians 12:12-27.
 - What does Paul observe about the "team" nature of the church?
 - What goes through your mind as you think about different roles in the church?
- 5. Being a good teammate often means valuing others above yourself to help everyone win. What is the biggest obstacle that keeps you from leveraging your God-given talents, wiring, skills, and experience to help others win?
- 6. If you're currently sitting "on the bench," what would it look like for you to "get in the game" at Woodstock City Church? If you're already an active teammate, how could you help someone else get in the game?

Changing Your Mind

Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves, not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of others. — Philippians 2:3–4