

SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS
NOVEMBER 27, 2022

GOD'S WILL IS THAT YOU BE SANCTIFIED
1 THESSALONIANS 4:1-8

MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

God's will is that that you continually put off uncleanness and pursue holiness by the Holy Spirit.

- I.** Always Abound in God's Will (v.1-3a)
- II.** Actively Pursue Holiness (v.3b-6)
- III.** Abide in the Spirit (v.7-8)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

1. How does your experience of battling sin align with Scripture's description of the need for sanctification? What hope does the gospel give you?
2. How would you explain to someone that the motivation behind sanctification and pleasing God is not to earn salvation?
3. What area in your life most needs your active pursuit of holiness? What Biblical commands, promises, and helps would you draw on? How will you pray about it?
4. Children – what sin do you need to get rid of out of your life? How does Jesus promise to make you able to do that?

FURTHER READING: 2 Sam 11:27; Rom 8:11, 29; 1 Cor 6:18; 1 Thess 2:13; Heb 12:14