

## **LIFEGROUP NOTES: Your Will Be Done**

*As ever, please use (or discard!) these ideas as is most suitable for your group. Don't feel you have to use everything.*

### **Introduction**

1. When did God's will last clash with your will (it might be something big or something small)? How did you respond? With what result?

### **Please read Mt 6:5-15**

2. "Your will be done" (v.10). How can we learn what God's will for us is?
3. How much of a priority is it for you to know and do God's will? Why? How is this reflected in your life?
4. "On earth as it is in heaven" (v.10). With what attitude do God's servants in heaven do His will? How does this compare with our earthly obedience?
5. Consider this prayer: "Father, do anything You will with me and mine. I rest in Your will." How do you feel about praying this way? Why?
6. "Your will, not mine, be done" - Jesus prayed this way, and the result was our salvation. How does this encourage you when you are hesitant about asking for God's will to be done?
7. Why is it better for God to be the sovereign author of your life story? Think of specific reasons, and remind yourself that you are in the hands of your heavenly Father.
8. How can our hearts be changed so that things we ought to do become things we want to do?

### **In conclusion:**

- Where would you most like to see God's will being done in your life, or the life of loved ones, today? Pray about that now, for the honour of God's Name.

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