



SERMON SERIES: Living Generationally

SERMON TITLE: Telling to the Generation to Come

KEY TEXT (NKJV): Psalm 78:1-8

OTHER TEXTS (NKJV, NLT, The Message): Deuteronomy 4:9, Deuteronomy 11:18-21, 2 Timothy 2:1-2, Hebrews 5:11-14, 2 Corinthians 3:2-3, Philippians 4:9, 1 Peter 1:17-19

Big Idea: Living generationally means more than just knowing God's Word for ourselves; it is about receiving His truth, living it out as a daily example, and intentionally passing it on to others so that faith does not end with us. Each generation is called to declare who God is, what He has done, and the hope found in His Word, so that our children and those looking up to us may arise and teach the next generation. By teaching through words and actions, we become living letters of Christ, creating a new godly tradition that replaces aimless conduct with a legacy of faith, obedience, and devotion that endures beyond our lifetime.

In the first sermon of the series, Pastor Walker encourages us to live out God's Word and intentionally pass it on, so that future generations may know Him, follow His ways, and continue the legacy of faith.

Psalm 78:1-8 NKJV

Give ear, O my people, to my law; Incline your ears to the words of my mouth. I will open my mouth in a parable; I will utter dark sayings of old, which we have heard and known, and our fathers have told us. We will not hide them from their children, telling to the generation to come the praises of the LORD, and His strength and His wonderful works that He has done. For He established a testimony in Jacob, and appointed a law in Israel, which He commanded our fathers, that they should make them known to their children; That the generation to come might know them, the children who would be born, that they may arise and declare them to their children, that they may set their hope in God, and not forget the works of God, but keep His commandments, and may not be like their fathers, a stubborn and rebellious generation, A generation that did not set its heart aright, and whose spirit was not faithful to God.

God Bless You!

The Connection Groups Office

Leader Heads-Up: Attendance is not just about numbers; it is about people. Celebrate with those who are there and look out for those who couldn't make it; reach out and remind them they still belong.



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A. Start Talking: Prayer Drive

Build Together: What practical ways can we create rhythms of united prayer, whether in person, online, or through corporate prayer, to keep each other stirred up?

B. Start Thinking

1. How can you use what you do every day, at home, work, or school, to show others what God's Word means to you? Read **Deuteronomy 11:19 NKJV**.
2. Share about two or three people who influenced you to live for God and showed you an example to follow as a believer? What did you learn, and how will their influence be seen in your life? Read **2 Timothy 2:1-2 NKJV**.
3. Share how God has shown His strength or done wonderful works in your life, and how you will testify to the coming generation. Read **Psalms 78:4 NKJV**.

C. Start Praying (Pray as a group during the meeting)

1. **Group Prayer:** Pray that you will live as a clear example of Christ, asking God to help you model His Word daily so others can learn from your life (**2 Corinthians 3:2-3**)
2. **Pray for the Church:** We value Evangelism and Miracles (**Acts 1:8 NIV**)
Reaching the Lost through the Power of the Holy Spirit: Pray that every member of MLFC will boldly share the Gospel, be led by the Holy Spirit in witnessing, and that God will confirm His Word with signs and wonders, drawing many to faith in Christ.

D. Start Doing

1. **Reflect** on how consistently you share God's faithfulness with others and commit to testifying how God has worked in your life.
2. **Identify** one daily habit where you can model God's Word to those around you and intentionally practice it.
3. **Evaluate** the message your life communicates to others and take one step to ensure your actions reflect Christ clearly.
4. **Commit** to mentoring or guiding someone younger in faith, passing on what you have learned so that the next generation may grow in knowledge of God.

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