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IMPACT 2021 - Intentional LIFE – The Cross

2 Kings 5:3

Luke 4:27

2 Kings 5:4-12

Can you see why Naaman was so mad? This is how offenses begin.

1. *I thought* he would certainly come out to meet me!
2. *I expected* him to wave his hand over the leprosy.
3. and *call on the name of the Lord and heal me!*
4. *According to my wisdom – I've got a better idea.*

1. Pr. 3:7-8

Submit to God's wisdom. Health and healing are the benefits.

2. Be teachable! Prov. 12:1

2 Kings 5:14-17

1. *The church was never meant to have a consumer mindset. It's not about you. Loving others more than ourselves is our identifier. **Be the church.***
2. *"They'll know you belong to Me because of your love one for another," can only happen if you are around other people. **Be part of the body.***
3. *God's Word instructs us to pray for those in authority over us, not gripe or tear down those in authority. **Be a person of prayer.***
4. *We are also instructed by God's Word to be givers of time and resources. **Be a giver.***
5. *Thanks to all the volunteers in the 10:00 & 11:30 services. We have opportunities for everyone at the Bridge to find community! **Be a volunteer.***

TIFAW – The Cross creates opportunities to get over myself. As I focus on the Cross, submitting to God's wisdom and being teachable are the results. Health and healing are the benefits. **LET THE HEALING BEGIN!**