

## **First Week 2 Study Questions**

Do you find prayer something easy to do or is it a struggle? Do you tend to devote time to prayer each day or offer up prayers as you go?

How often do you pray for other Bridgers? Are the prayers mostly about physical needs or spiritual needs?

### **Read Colossians 1:9-12**

What are Paul's primary prayer requests for his readers?

According to vs. 10-11, why is knowledge of God's will and spiritual wisdom necessary for believers?

Are you seeking out God's will and His wisdom on a daily basis or do you tend to do this only when a big decision arises?

How do we gain this wisdom? How can we better understand God's will?

What does it mean to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord? What type of fruit could Paul be talking about in verse 10?

Why do you think Paul prays for the believers to have strength, patience, and endurance? How do these characteristics knowing God's will and walking in a manner worthy of the Lord?

According to v. 12, why should believers give thanks?

**APPLICATION:** Who can you begin praying for in a similar way to Paul in Colossians 1:9-12?