



## **-Samson-**

### **Ice-Breakers:**

- In sports, as in life, why is it important to never give up?

### **Questions:**

1. Read Judges 13:25; Judges 15:14. What was the source of Samson's power?
2. Read I Corinthians 1:2, II Timothy 1:9 and Judges 13:5. The word "sanctified" means "holy" or "set apart" (that is, set apart for God's purposes in your life).
  - What do Samson's calling as a Nazarite and your calling as a Christian have in common?
  - What does it mean for you to be "holy" or "sanctified"?
3. Read II Peter 1:3; II Timothy 1:7; Ephesians 3:16; Acts 1:8; John 15:5; II Corinthians 12:9. Pastor Bryan said: *"When you're operating outside of your calling, you're operating outside of God's power."* Why is it important to lean on God's power and not our own?
4. Read I Peter 4:10. What is your gift and how are you using it to serve others?
5. Read I John 1:5-10 and I John 2:9-11. You can only regain what you lost because of sin by repentance (changing your mind and agreeing with God that you've done wrong). Why is confession and repentance so important in the Christian life?

### **Application:**

- We are blessed to be a blessing. If you've been delivered from a trial in your life, who are you delivering because God has delivered you?