July 18 Discussion Questions

"God's Answers to Prayers"

Passages to read:
Exodus 28: 27-30, 1 Samuel 28:1-6, Luke 11:1-10
Memory Verses If you can quote Colossians 1:11 and Ephesians 2:14 tonight, please make sure to add an entry to the end of the year prize drawing!
New Verses: 1 John 5:14-15 "And this is the confidence that we have in him, that, if we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us: And if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of him."
Discussion Questions
1.In the Old Testament, God provided Israel with a way to receive clear answers from Him with the Urim and Thummim. What resources has God given us today to know His answers and His will in our lives when we ask?
2.Consider a time when you asked the Lord for a specific thing and received a specific "no." Was it what you expected? How did God work in ways that you may not have seen at the time?
3.In Luke 11, we see the friend's importunity, or his helpless, urgent consistency. What is an area of your life where you have had to exercise importunity in prayer? What was the result?