

## **Selfish vs. Selfless - Chapel**

1 – Why is selflessness so important to successful teams?

- Which would be more successful -
- 5 on 5?
- 1 on 5?

2 – Here's another angle on this question from John 12:24-25 (read the text aloud).

- If we live only for ourselves, we remain by ourselves – one remains one.
- If we choose to compete selflessly, to involve others and to sacrifice:
  - time
  - possessions
  - minutes
  - points
  - rebounds
  - floor burns
  - we bear much fruit
  - we make everyone better
  - we multiply our team's productivity
- If you only self-protect – you lose.
- If you sacrifice – you win
  - Now
  - Later
  - With teammates, friends, family and in your faith

3 – The challenge today is...

- Rather than seeking your own good, give yourself up to make your team better.
- Sacrifice leads to multiplied productivity.

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### **Bible Reference:**

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