

**MATTERS OF THE HEART**

**Nehemiah 2:1-10**

**January 21, 2024**

**LEADERSHIP PRINCIPLE #2:** Leaders move in faith, based on deep convictions.

**BELIEF:**

Acceptance of a truth.

Something you argue about.

**CONVICTION:**

Demonstration of a truth, a truth acted out

Something you are willing to die for.

**FAITH CONVICTIONS of a Christian:**

A vivid awareness of God's beauty, majesty, mystery, and holiness. (*Psalm 27:4, 63:2*)

Pray regularly. (*Ephesians 6:18*)

Deep Engagement with the Scripture. (*Colossians 3:16*)

The presence of Jesus in someone's life will change it. (*2 Corinthians 5:17*)

Christians are to live a separated life. (*Romans 12:1, 2*)

**A LIFE OF:**

- Integrity
- Purity
- Love
- Commitment