

Session 5: Demonstrated
Suggested Week of Use: April 3, 2022
Core Passage: 1 Thess. 4:1-12

News Story Summary

A group of doctors in Quebec are providing training on life-saving procedures through video tutorials to medical personnel in Ukraine. In less than twenty-four hours, Dr. Dan Deckelbaum, surgical and procedural skills director at McGill's Steinberg Centre in Montreal, and his colleagues delivered a series of video tutorials. These tutorials will enable Ukrainian doctors who may need to provide emergency medicine and trauma care which is outside their area of expertise.

For more about this story, search "Quebec doctors providing virtual training for Ukrainian health-care workers."

Focus Attention

To supplement the Begin idea under Focus Attention, summarize the article about the Quebec doctors providing virtual training for the Ukrainian health-care workers. Discuss the importance of the videos, the willingness of the Quebec doctors to provide the training, and the impact these videos may have. Transition to the Introduce idea following the discussion.

Summarize and Challenge

To supplement the Challenge idea under Summarize and Challenge, review the article about the Quebec doctors. Characterize the actions of the doctors as a demonstration of their concern for others and that they did so as a group. Draw attention to the first question set under Apply the Text: Discuss as a group ways your group has demonstrated self-sacrificing love. What self-sacrificing actions can your group take this week to show God's love in your church and community. Lead the group to share their responses.