New Life Small Group Questions - Sunday, Nov 22, 2020

Turn Away from Wickedness Gahanna campus

1. In 2nd Timothy, the apostle Paul warned Timothy about some of the difficulties which come along with pastoring a church. As you think about the church, what are some difficulties and what are some joys about being part of a church? How can you be a part of adding to the joy which is needed in the church?

2. Pastor Brett mentioned that being a Christian means being a "little Christ" and how we are from Him, we belong to Him, we are related to Him, and we are like Him. How do those 4 aspects of being a Christian help you understand your identity as a Christian? In what ways do you want to be more like Jesus in your everyday life?

3. Read 2nd Timothy 2:19-21. Why is it so important for us to depart from iniquity and cleanse ourselves from what is dishonorable?

4. Read 2nd Timothy 3:1-5. "Times of difficulty" will come upon us and are upon us because of the sinful hearts of people. Which of these sinful heart attitudes can tend to creep into your life when you are straying from the truth and grace of the gospel?

Meeting on Zoom or in a room - Use this format:

- 1. Welcome everyone Check-in! How's everyone doing?
- 2. Make plans for any ministry or fun activities you'll be doing soon as a group!
- 3. Discuss the Small Group Discussion Questions.
- 4. Share prayer requests, break into smaller groupings, and then pray for each other.

Looking for a QUICKER agenda for your Zoom meeting – Try this:

- 1. Check in share how everyone's doing Discuss plans for any upcoming ministry or social actions as a group.
- 2. Read any key passages from Sunday's message. Then ask:
 - a. What for you were the main takeaways from this week's message?
 - b. What steps of obedience are you feeling prompted by the Holy Spirit to take?
- 3. Share prayer requests and pray for each other.

If launching or starting a NEW online small group:

- 1. Pick a couple of friends.
- 2. Pick a platform to use (Zoom or any number of options!)
- 3. Use either of the above agendas!