

Series: Individual Sermons

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Scripture: Hebrews 12:1-2

Sermon: Finish the Race

Dig Deeper:

1. What is the main verb of Hebrews 12:1-2?
2. Who are the “cloud of witnesses” in the book of Hebrews?
3. Who are the “cloud of witnesses” cheering you on in life?
4. How does sin weigh a person down in the race?
5. What is currently weighing you down from running the race of the Christian life?
6. How can screen time weigh you down from running the race?
7. How can family weigh you down from running the race?
8. What do you typically fix your eyes on in a regular day? What are some of the things that regularly draw your attention?
9. What is the difference between looking *at* Jesus and looking *to* Jesus?
10. If you were to imagine your relationship with God as a race, where are you currently at and what are you currently doing?

Application:

11. If you have given up or are considering giving up in your faith, press on and keep running the race.
12. Confess your sins to God and to other godly people this week.
13. Pursue someone to help you fight against your sin.
14. Remove the weights that are keeping you from running the race.
15. Set up reminders throughout the day to re-focus on Jesus.

For further study:

16. Read Hebrews 11 and see what you can learn about running the race from the stories mentioned.
17. Read the rest of Hebrews 12 and focus on what the rest of the chapter has to say about finishing the race.