Sermon Series: Message # 14 Now and Not Yet 1 Thessalonians 5:23-28 Seaside Community Church June 4, 2023

Now and Not Yet The Grand Finale

1 Thessalonians 5:23-28

Looking back

1 Thessalonians

A prayer, a charge and a blessing

1 Thessalonians 5:23-28

The Prayer

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

The God we are connected with

The God who is working in us

The Charge

1 Thessalonians 5:23-27

Please pray for each other

Please show love for each other

Please read God's word together

The Blessing

1 Thessalonians 5:28

Notes and audio available as a podcast at www.seasidehb.org

Growth Group Questions

Pray the following Bible verse over your group before you begin your discussion time together.

Psalm 119:34

"Help (us) understand your instruction and (we) will obey it and follow it with all of our heart."

1. Share a time when God spoke to you through our study of 1 Thessalonians and what change God encouraged you to make in your life as a result? Is there a change that you are looking forward to?

2. Read 1 Thessalonians 5:23-28

3. What is one thing that John said on Sunday that stuck out to you?

4. Read Mark 12:28-30. What does Jesus say is the most important commandment? "To love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength." Is there an area in your life that you find difficult to allow God to be a part of and why?
5. Reread 1 Thessalonians 5:23,24 If God calls you and He is faithful to do it, what do you feel your part is?
6. Discuss the quote from Dallas Willard. "God is not opposed to effort, He is opposed to earning."

7. Review our bible verse	e of 1 Thessalonians	3:12,13
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