Small Group Questions — 1 Thessalonians 1:1–10 9/17/2023

1. If someone asked you to describe our church, what kind of things would first come to your mind?

2. Can we tell if someone is a Christian (or know that they are brothers loved by God) by observing their life?

3. What makes faith, love, and hope important virtues that mark out truly Christian lives?

4. Why do you think Paul would view receiving the word in much affliction as a mark of genuine Christian faith?

5. The Thessalonian's faith in God had gone forth everywhere so that we need not say anything. Is this the same idea as the cliché': "Share the gospel, and when necessary, use words?"