

Sermon Discussion Questions - June 28 & June 30, 2024 Follow: Grow - Week 4 2 Timothy 1:5-7, 2:1-6

Sermon Resources

Every week, we cultivate a list of resources to help you dig even deeper into the text and message from a weekend service. You can check them out at: https://cornerstonechurch.community/sermon-resources

Cornerstone Men

More than just pancakes and devotions, Cornerstone Men exists to build a community of men who face the challenges of life together and learn to follow Jesus more closely through action and shared experiences. cornerstonechurch.community/men

RightNow Media

Cornerstone provides access to RightNow Media, so if your group would like to use their resources for a study, check out the site!

rightnowmedia.org/Account/Invite/cornerstonesi

Cornerstone Women

Cornerstone Women's mission is to help women follow Jesus through growth in community at Cornerstone Church.

cornerstonechurch.community/women

Meal for Celebrate Recovery

Each week, a small group provides dinner for those in attendance at Celebrate Recovery. If your group is interested in serving in this way, email Gayle at qdwight@cornerstone.team

2 Timothy 1:5-7, 2:1-6

Questions:

- Read 2 Timothy 1:5-7, 2:1-6. Timothy would not be the spiritual giant we know today without the influence of his mother and grandmother. Who in your life has impacted your faith the most? On the other hand, who is your Timothy (who are you currently pouring into)?
- Paul encourages Timothy to fan into flame the gift of God. What does that mean for us and our walks with Jesus today? What are practical ways we can nurture and grow our spiritual gifts and talents?

- Verse 7 says that God has given us a spirit not of fear but of power, love, and self-control.
 As you pursue spiritual growth, what kinds of things tempt you to fear? How does your faith help you to fight against those temptations?
- Chapter 2, Verse 3 calls us to "share in suffering" as soldiers of Christ. What are your initial reactions to that statement? Why is our suffering a good thing rather than something to be feared? What does suffering have to do with spiritual growth?
- In Chapter 2, Verses 4-6, Paul compares following Jesus to being a soldier, an athlete, and a farmer. Of these three metaphors, which one resonates with you the most? Why?
- Why is discipline such an important element of living for Christ? How is being self-disciplined different from being legalistic? What are some ways that you can grow in the area of self-discipline this week?
- This month has been all about fully developing all that God has entrusted to us! What is the main thing you are taking away from our Follow: Grow series? How has God challenged you in the area of Grow this month? Where do you want to keep improving?
 - Share with your group, and pray for one another as we close out this FINAL chapter of Follow!