

Sermon Discussion Questions - October 24 & 26, 2025 Threats From the Enemy - Week 1 1 Peter 5:6-10

Cornerstone Men

Cornerstone Men equips men to follow Jesus, connect in community, and grow in their faith.

cornerstonechurch.community/men

RightNow Media

Cornerstone provides access to RightNow Media. 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 Care Night

Each week, a small group provides dinner for attendees of Care Night, held on Wednesday nights. If your group is interested in serving in this way, email Gayle at gdwight@cornerstone.team.

<u>Ice Breaker:</u> We are all engaged in a spiritual war, and our enemy uses some tried and true combat tactics.

• Q1: Imagine yourself as a soldier in this war. What kinds of things do you picture on the enemy's side?

Distraction is one of the primary weapons in Satan's arsenal against us.

- Q2: What are some of the primary distractions that you deal with on a daily basis—both internally and externally?
- Q3: What is it about those things that draws you in—what makes them so attractive or appealing?

Read 1 Peter 5:6-10 together. This passage shows us how much is at stake in this war!

• Q4: How have you seen distractions directly affect your relationship with God, with others, or even with yourself?

This war is a difficult one, but we don't have to be passively victimized—God gives us ways to fight!

• Q5: What are your go-to strategies for fighting distractions when you recognize them creeping into your life?

When it comes to distractions, we often know the right thing to do...but it's hard to get started.

- Q6: What makes your go-to distractions so hard to resist? In other words, what kinds of needs are you trying to fill with them?
- Q7: What is one step that the Holy Spirit is leading you to take this week when it comes to fighting distractions?

We will never fight this war perfectly, and we don't have to—Jesus has already secured the victory!

 Q8: As you take steps of response, where do you need your group to help you lean into the grace of God this week?

Take a few minutes to encourage each other, and spend some time in prayer together!