
About This Resource

Does the law of God still impact us today?

Why and how should we pray?

What are the leadership qualities we should be looking for in a church?

What does God desire in our relationships?

How do I find contentment?

This month as we look at the book of 1 Timothy we are going to be looking at the scriptural truth about the law, mercy, prayer, leadership, relationships and hope. We believe that truth is found in the word of God and so in this curriculum we want to point only to what God says about these topics rather than what others may think. Join us on this journey of standing on truth.

Each session includes (60 – 75 minutes):

- ❖ **Share Time:** An opportunity for people to share where they saw God this week. (7 minutes)
- ❖ **Connection Time:** An activity to grow in relationship with each other. (8 minutes)
- ❖ **Worship:** Songs that speak the truth of the session. (10-15 minutes)
- ❖ **Teaching:** A video clip that dives into the chapter. (15-20 minutes)
- ❖ **Scripture Memory:** Tools to hide the word of God in your heart. (5-7 minutes)
- ❖ **Simple Spiritual Conversation Starters:** Questions that can easily transition to spiritual conversations (10-15 minutes)
- ❖ **Biblical Prayer:** Prompts to pray Scripture back to God (5 minutes)

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- Daily tools for personal growth and outreach
- Yearly conference information
- Free curriculum



Lesson #1 Law and Mercy

What you will need for this lesson:

Have a list of weird laws.

Setup:

- Have the song videos and teaching videos pulled up on the computer.
- Prepare the tool for memorizing scripture.
- Put a list of past scriptures on the board to go over.
- Print a copy of the daily tools for each attendee.

Curriculum Note: As you walk through each daily tool, have your group write down who or when they could use that tool this week. This curriculum is a call and an expectation of action in this world. Let's equip, empower and encourage each other to live our lives 100% committed to Jesus every day.

Welcome: (Includes Share Time and Fun Friday)

As you start your time together make sure you come with a list of weird laws you found through a google search. Ask the group if they could figure out if the law is true or not and which state or country it might be in. Spend some time also discussing why laws are important

At Full Send we love to celebrate what God is doing and that is why we want testimony time to be a part of every session. We believe that God has been moving throughout the week and want to celebrate with each other where we saw Him. **Before we start talking about the book of 1 Timothy let's share what God has been doing in our lives this week!** After a few people have shared praise God for His movement in your lives.

Worship: (Includes Tune In Thursday)

Listening and singing to God is a great way to connect with Him and hear Biblical truths. Encourage your group to either listen or sing along, whatever is best for them. As they engage with each song there will be a few questions to unpack what they heard and experienced.

All Because of Mercy by Casting Crowns -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AVcR4LanaoM&list=RDAVcR4LanaoM&start_radio=1

- **How does the mercy of God impact our lives?**

Mercy by Ben Fuller -

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O7AyuqzcsFA&list=RDO7AyuqzcsFA&start_radio=1

- **What can the mercy of God do?**

Word: (Includes Scripture Sunday, Memorize Monday and Watch It Wednesday)

Before we listen to the message from Jeanette let's read 1 Timothy 1

Today we are going to hear from Jeremy Van Genderen about the law and mercy.

<https://youtu.be/P1lq4ybfcRc>

Encourage people to take notes on the back of their sheet of daily tools as they listen to the teaching. **Ask them what stood out to them from the teaching or the scripture.**

Let's memorize 1 Timothy 1:16 But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life.

Today we are going to memorize this verse through song. Click on the link below and listen to it a few times and sing along as you can.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zKkGCcFZ9xQ>

Witness: (Includes Table Talk Tuesday)

Now that we have read and studied about law and mercy, invite the group to answer the questions as they would. Then think about how others may answer the questions and how they can turn that into a spiritual conversation.

The questions of the day are: Have you ever gotten pulled over by a cop? If/When you got pulled over by cop what happened? If you are pulled over by a cop what would you deserve? Have you ever received a warning rather than a ticket? Do you know what we deserve when we disobey God? Can I tell you about mercy?

As we process these questions, we hope that each person is prepared and equipped to use these questions in normal everyday conversations throughout the week.

Let's read 1 Timothy 1:14

Truth: Jesus Christ died and rose again so we don't get what we deserve.

May this section be an encouragement to those who hear it, and may God fill them with the hope they can have in Jesus Christ.

Closing Prayer: (Includes Seek Him Saturday)

Each week we want to teach people how to pray scripture back to God. Sometimes it is as easy as speaking the text and other times it is using the concepts of the passage to say what is going on in our lives. **Let's finish our day by praying 1 Timothy 1:12-16 and thank God for His grace and mercy.**

Encourage the group to come back with stories of what God did this week and how He worked through these daily tools.

Scripture: 1 Timothy 1

Topic: Law and Mercy

Scripture Sunday:

The passage for this week is 1 Timothy 1. Read the chapter and discuss with someone what is true about the law and about mercy.

Memorize Monday:

But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life. 1 Timothy 1:16

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zKkGCcFZ9xQ>

Table Talk Tuesday:

Talk: Have you ever gotten pulled over by a cop? If/When you got pulled over by cop what happened? If you are pulled over by a cop what would you deserve? Have you ever received a warning rather than a ticket? Do you know what we deserve when we disobey God? Can I tell you about mercy?

Text: and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. 1 Timothy 1:14

Truth: Jesus Christ died and rose again so we don't get what we deserve.

Watch it Wednesday:

Full Send 1 Timothy - The whole truth and nothing but the truth - Law and Mercy - Jeremy Van Genderen <https://youtu.be/P1lq4ybfRc>

Tune In Thursday:

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Fun Friday:

Let's have fun with trivia tonight. Do a quick google search and find some weird laws. See if your friends and family can tell if they are real or not. You can also see if they can determine which state or country has the law. After you have completed your trivia about world laws take a moment and share about the law of God and what it does.

Seek Him Saturday:

Take time to pray 1 Timothy 1:12-16 and thank God for His grace and mercy.