Welcome to "Anchored". The target is the growing believer in Jesus Christ, so if this isn't sinking in circle back and sign up for the next Starting Point class experience.

The Bible is Our Authority

Anchored Part 1- Week 3

• The Bible has authority over us because God speaks to us through the Bible. Everything we need to know to experience a life of human flourishing has been recorded for us in the Bible.

2 Peter 1:1-11

 Verses 1-2— Peter is writing to help growing believers grow through knowing God.

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 Verse 3— When we come to know Jesus we come into all the knowledge and power needed to live godly lives. We have everything we need.

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• Verses 4-11— As we learn to respond to God's promises we will be productive and useful for His kingdom to the end.

2 Peter 1:20-21

Above all, you must realize that no prophecy in Scripture ever came from the prophet's own understanding, 21 or from human initiative. No, those prophets were moved by the Holy Spirit, and they spoke from God.

Who Wrote The Bible?

 Men wrote the words being carried by the Holy Spirit. Their personality, knowledge, background, and literary style is all included, but the result is God's Word.

2 Timothy 3:16

- All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.
- 2 Timothy 3:16 (ESV)

God's Word

· Throughout time, skeptics have regarded the Bible as mythological, but archeology has confirmed it as historical. Opponents have attacked its teaching as primitive and outdated, but its moral and legal concepts and teachings have had a positive influence on societies and cultures throughout the world. It continues to be attacked by pseudo-science, psychology, and political movements, yet it remains just as true and relevant today as it was when it was first written. It is a book that has transformed countless lives and cultures throughout the last 2000 years. No matter how its opponents try to attack, destroy, or discredit it, the Bible remains; its veracity and impact on lives is unmistakable.