

I. _____ God constantly for His unparalleled power and life-changing love. (1 Thes. 2:13)

IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

KEY PASSAGE: 1 THES. 2:13-14A, 2 COR. 3:18

Opening: What truths impacted you most from the sermon/passage? *Thank God for His unparalleled power and life changing love. Let's praise God for His life transforming glory, and live for Jesus.*

INFORM THE HEAD/STIR THE HEART

Please read 1 Thessalonians 2:13-14a, 2 Corinthians 3:16-18 and answer the following questions:

1. As you look back on your time at Summit Point, what is one (or more) thing that you are thankful for?

2. According to 1 Thessalonians 2:13, what was Paul thankful for concerning the Thessalonian believers?

3. Please read 2 Peter 1:21. Why is the Bible so important and life changing?

4. Paul is praising their faith and the love of the word. From Hebrews 11:1, what is faith? From Hebrews 11:3, why is faith essential to a better understanding of this world?

5. What do the following verses teach you about the importance of God's word?

- a. 2 Timothy 3:16-17

- b. Hebrews 4:12

c. James 1:21-22

6. According to 1 Thessalonians 2:14, in what way did the believers imitate other believers in Christ? What are some truths about God that are essential to cling to if you follow in that way?

7. Please read 2 Corinthians 3:16-18. From verse 16, what is the necessary role of the Holy Spirit in helping us experience the living God? From verse 17? From verse 18?

8. From 2 Corinthians 3:16-18, what is our role in experiencing the living God from verse 16? From verse 18?

9. What truths from these passages inspire you to wholeheartedly belong, pursue, and experience your living God?

CHALLENGE THE WILL

What is one thing from this passage that you will apply to your life—in your actions, thoughts, or desires—to better center your worship on the Lord?

WEEKLY READING PLAN

Monday, September 28 // Psalm 19:7-14
Love His Word

Tuesday, September 29 // James 1:16-25
Receive and Obey

Wednesday, September 30 // Hebrews 10:32-39
Don't Shrink Back, Stand Firm in Faith

Thursday, October 1 // Romans 8:1-14
Let the Spirit Lead

Friday, October 2 // 1 Peter 5:1-5
Faithful Leaders