Week 2 – Waiting for the Son: 1 Thessalonians Series

Sermon-based Growth Group Questions

Introductory Discussion:

What was "the takeaway" (the most important point) from Sunday's sermon and/or the sermon text, in your opinion?

What insight from Sunday's sermon did you find most helpful, or eye-opening, or troubling (pick any or all of the above)?

Read 1 Thessalonians 2:1-12

Discussion:

1. From verse 1-6, what rumors about Paul have been spread by his opposition? How do his assurances speak to the concerns some may have had about his integrity?

2. From verses 1-11, what does ethical evangelism look like? What do the images of being a mother (v. 7) and father (v.11) teach about ministry?

3. What really turns you off about the way some people present the gospel? How are you attempting to avoid these mistakes and yet still maintain a strong witness?

4. What helps you persevere in the face of opposition to your Christian faith? Who can you encourage in their faith and witness this week?

5. What has influenced you positively for godly living? What characterizes their life? How can you be more like that person for the sake of someone else this week?

Prayer: Take time to pray together as a group.

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