

DISCIPLE GROUP CURRICULUM GUIDE

1 Timothy: Prayer
January 23 & 26, 2025
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LEADER NOTES - FREE For the Men in Your Group - No Regrets Men's Conference, Sat. 2/1, 9am-2pm: Pastor Joby is one of the featured preachers. You can stream the conference for your group for free! For more information and to get the code to stream the conference, email gregory.knapp@coe22.com.

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Spring trimester: January 13 – May 12 **Summer trimester:** June 2 – July 28 **Fall trimester:** August 18 – December 8

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Serve at Night To Shine, Feb. 7, 6-9pm: The Church of Eleven22 is proud to be one of the host churches collaborating for Jacksonville's Night to Shine, an unforgettable prom night experience centered on God's love for people with special needs. Register to serve at nighttoshinejax.com. If your disciple group would like to cook a dish or bake a dessert for the event, email: nighttoshinejax@coe22.com.

Our Equipping Ministry teachers will come to your disciple group: Choose from sessions on interpreting scripture, world religions, sharing your testimony and how to disciple your family. [Click here](#) for more information and to schedule a time for one of our teachers to attend your group.

THIS WEEK'S READING PLAN: Download our app for [Apple](#) and [Android](#). Click the "Daily" icon at the bottom of the app for our daily Bible reading plan.

Share Wins, Praises and Prayers: Where did you see God move this week? ***What can you share from the action step last week?*** *How did it go? What did you learn about God? About yourself?*

Sermon Text: Psalm 42:1; Matthew 6:5-15; Mark 3:13; 1 Timothy 1:18 – 2:6; James 5:13-16

Action Step Set aside time each day this week to pray intentionally about what God has put on your heart. Use the model of the Lord's Prayer as a guide. Focus on S.P.I.T. - Supplication, Prayer, Intercession and Thanksgiving. Make this your new, daily habit of praying first.

Discussion Questions

Leaders: The goal is to grow in our relationship with Christ and each other. **It's ok if you don't cover every question.**

- **Read 1 Timothy 1:18 – 2:6.** What stood out to you in the sermon this week and what did God reveal to you in the Scriptures, maybe for the first time?
- **Everyone struggles with insecurities and wonders if they have what it takes.**
Discover: Share a time when you took your insecurities to Jesus or when someone prayed for and prophesied (spoke God's truth) over you. *(How would Paul encourage you if he was your mentor? Do you have a "Paul" in your life?)*
Deepen: What happened next?
- **Discover:** What "whispers" do you listen to that keep you from pursuing God and becoming all that He has created you to be?
Deepen: How can you fight those lies? *(Pray. Worship. Preach sound doctrine. Do whatever Jesus tells you to do. Take action!)*
- **Discover:** Read **Matthew 6:5-15.** Discuss the four types of prayer Jesus modeled for us. *(Remember S.P.I.T. Supplication - ask, Prayer - where power comes from, Intercession - pray for others, Thanksgiving - the foundation of our prayer life.)*
Deepen: Share how you use these in spiritual warfare and to deepen your relationship with Jesus.
- **Discover:** We are called to pray first and plan second, not the other way around. How do you currently do that in our busy world? *(Praying to be in alignment with Jesus was fundamental for the early church, like the one described in Acts. It has become supplemental for some churches and believers today. Let that not be said about us.)*
Deepen: A prayerless life is a powerless life. Where in your life do you feel powerless and need to pray desperately? *(Is your Prayer life warfare? During your worst AND best times do you agree with Psalm 42:1? "As a deer pants for flowing streams, so pants my soul for you, O God.")*
- **Read 1 Timothy 2:5-6.** What big, world changing, and "small" prayers has God put on your heart? Spend five minutes praying out loud for those things right now. *(As a child of the King, He wants you to come to Him and ask him for anything and everything. Ask and keep on asking.)*

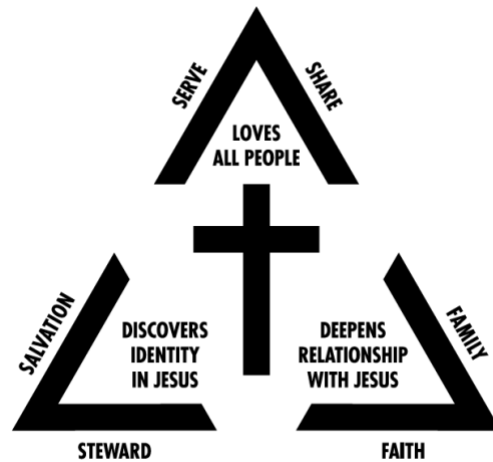
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