

THE BOOK OF 1 JOHN

Sunday, February 4, 2024

Begin: Take this time to hear how everyone is doing, and get settled.

- What is something to celebrate from this past week?
- IceBreaker: What ads can you remember that promise more than they deliver?
 - How does this promise, even if it is too good to be true, pull us in?

Listen: Reflections on Sunday's Sermon and thoughts from the message

- What stood out to you about this week's message?
- Is there anything you still are thinking about or have questions about?

Discover: Take time to dig deeper into the passage/topic for this week.

- Read: 1 John 2:15-17
 - In what sense do believers have victory over the evil one?
 - How does this give you encouragement & hope?
 - What are some ways that worldliness is often misunderstood?
 - How should we understand worldliness, biblically?
 - What are some things that the world promises to provide but cannot?
 - What are some things we need as God's image-bearers that the world cannot provide?
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Apply: Take time to apply these Biblical Truths to your own life

- Spend some time thinking about how these areas in your life can be temptations waging war on you. (How are they different & similar?)
 - Lusts of the flesh
 - The Desire of the Eyes
 - Pride in possessions
- How does Jesus set an example for how to resist each of these temptations?
- John argues these pleasures are fleeting. How do you see that in today's Culture? Or In your own life?
- How does increasing our love for God help defeat these sinful desires?

My One Thing — What is your 1 takeaway from this study and how will it impact your upcoming week?

Pray: Feel free to pray in a way that best fits your group. Take time each week to pray with and for each other.

Notes: Space for your notes from your time together. Added Memory verse at the bottom to keep these truths in your mind.

For all that is in the world —
the desires of the flesh and
the desires of the eyes and pride of life —
is not from the Father but is from the world.
1 John 2:16