



Sermon Discussion Questions

May the Word of God SHAPE and MOLD us into the image of Jesus!

CHECK INS: Let's check in with each other; how are we doing folks?

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9.6.26 - SERMON RECAP:

As we look at the local church as a Family On Mission we must consider the distinctive of being 'Disciple-Multiplying Disciples'. In 2 Timothy 2:1-10, Paul's challenge to Timothy is not simply to become a better disciple himself, but to intentionally invest what he has received into others who can carry it forward. The picture specifically in II Timothy 2:2 is multiplication: Paul → Timothy → faithful men and women → others. Read 2 Timothy 2:1-10 together and discuss these questions as God desires to continue molding us to be Disciple-Multiplying Disciples to advance His Kingdom!

DIGGING DEEPER:

1. Read: II Timothy 2:1–2; Titus 2:1–8. Who are the people God has used to invest in your spiritual life?? Tell some stories among the group and celebrate how God has worked!!
2. Can you identify one person who is helping you grow TODAY in your own life??
3. Read: II Timothy 2:1; II Corinthians 3:4–6. Why do you think we so easily believe that we have to be spiritually "qualified" or have everything figured out before we can invest in another person? What would change if you trusted the grace of Jesus to be your strength rather than waiting until you felt completely prepared? WHO might God be nudging you to invest in??
4. Read: II Timothy 2:1; Ephesians 2:8–10. Paul begins his challenge to multiply disciples with, "Be strengthened by the grace that is in Christ Jesus." Why do you think Paul puts grace before the command to multiply disciples? What does it mean to be "strengthened by Jesus' grace"?
5. Are you trying to serve Jesus and disciple people out of your own strength, or are you learning to depend upon the grace of Jesus? What would greater dependence look like?
6. Read: II Timothy 2:3–7; Hebrews 12:1–2. Paul uses three pictures—the soldier, athlete, and farmer—to describe the kind of intentional perseverance required for disciple multiplication. Which picture challenges you the most, and why?
7. What distractions, competing priorities, or patterns of busyness could be keeping you from investing intentionally in others?
8. Read: II Timothy 2:2; Matthew 28:18–20; Acts 2:42–47. Imagine every disciple at HVC intentionally discipled one or more people who then discipled others. How could that change our church, our families, our neighborhoods, and ultimately our community in the Grand Valley?
9. What is one concrete step you can take in the next seven days toward becoming a disciple who makes and multiplies disciples? And who can you tell to keep you honest with this action step??

How Does ALL THIS Apply to our Values?



Gospel Transformation

Compassionate Engagement



Authentic Relationship

Kingdom Multiplication

