

PREACHING CURRICULUM

Our Walk

1 John 1

'...don't found your faith on people...found your faith on Jesus and walk with Him in joy...'

1 REVIEW THE SERMON

LEADER NOTES: Encourage your members to pull out their notes and review the main points of the sermon. (9-12 mins)

What are the facts that comprise the foundation of Christianity?

What does God want built on this foundation?

What is a disciple?

2 ASSESS YOUR LIFE

LEADER NOTES: Evaluate the condition of your lives in relation to the truth from God's Word. Encourage heart examination. (12-15 mins)

What are the foundations of your faith? How strong is your spiritual foundation?

What are the foundations of the church's faith? How strong is the church's foundation?

3 APPLY THE TRUTH

LEADER NOTES: Create a list of ways to close the gap between your lives and the truth of the Bible. Be practical and intentional. (12-15 mins)

Does the idea of changing aspects of the church that are above the foundation unsettle you? Why, or why not?

How does knowing and following Jesus provide a completeness of joy unlike the inconsistent moments of joy this world has to offer?

How do the lies about sin, of the 'excuser' and the 'denyer' abuse the grace we have received? What needs to be confessed and changed from this indication of unbelief in order to walk with Jesus?

What does the truth that God is absolute light teach us that we can apply in our lives?

4 COMMIT THIS WEEK

LEADER NOTES: Call your small group members to make a commitment and get the group working together to follow-up with each other. (9-12)

How will you start/continue to build on a strong foundation this week?