

SERMON APPLICATION GUIDE

GOOD DOCTRINE AND GOSPEL DEVOTION | 1 Timothy 1:1-7

「WORSHIP」

How can your discipleship group start with **worship** today?

「WALK」

Spend time **understanding** and **applying** God's Word.

1. REVIEW + UNDERSTAND

Why do you need the church? Why does the church need you?

Read 1 Timothy 1:1-7. Paul urged Timothy to protect sound doctrine. What is doctrine? Why do you think it matters that we hold to and protect sound doctrine? What happens if we don't?

So much of our doctrine centers around the true gospel of Jesus Christ. If that's true, all who follow Him should be able to articulate the gospel clearly and passionately. What is the gospel? What should always be stated when explaining the gospel? What can't get left out?

Easy question: What is "the aim of our charge?" Identify the components that Paul lists.

2. ASSESS + APPLY

Not so easy question: Is the aim of your charge in all things love?

How would you explain the connection between good doctrine, gospel devotion, and love (from a pure heart, good conscience, and sincere faith)?

Why do you think that those who know what's "right" often struggle to be loving with those who don't?

How does one become more loving?

Pray for our church as we enter into this new study. Pray expectantly. God will move.

PRAYERS & APPLICATIONS

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5 DAY READING PLAN

Each day answer the questions: What does it **say**? What does it **mean**? How should I **respond**?

DAY 1
1 Tim. 1:1-2

DAY 2
Acts 16;1-5

DAY 3
1 Tim. 1:3-4

DAY 4
1 Tim. 1:5-7

DAY 5
1 Tim. 3:14-15

WORK

How should this message affect how you **serve one another**?

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WITNESS

How should this message affect how you **share the Gospel**?

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