Bethany Church Small Group Notes in 1 Timothy

Discovering Life in the Kingdom October 19-24, 2015

As a group read – 1 Timothy 4:6-4:16 – Don't feel pressure to answer all the questions. Walk through as many as possible and enjoy the time together.

Discuss – What was your takeaway from Sunday's Message?

Questions:

- 1. When you hear the word discipline, what are your initial thoughts? How about spiritual discipline?
- 2. How are you doing at nourishing your life with God's Word? Share a success story or growth area of how you have been, or could, be deeply rooted in God's Word and solid doctrine?
- 3. How do you find the balance between being disciplined and being driven? What hindrances hold you back from being disciplined?
- 4. Jesus was disciplined, but never seemed to be in a hurry. How can we do likewise in our busy culture?
- 5. How would this church be different if every member viewed himself or herself as a minister of Jesus Christ?
- 6. How godly does a person need to be to get involved in ministry?
 - a. What fears do you have in getting more involved?
- 7. How important is it to know your spiritual gifts? What difference does it make?
- 8. Why are so many Christians suffering "burnout"? Is it inevitable? How can it be avoided?

Pray as a group