SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE



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ICEBREAKER

Which do you prefer tea or coffee? What is your favorite coffee or tea drink?

The WE Coffee House is now open! Grab your group and check it out. https://www.thecoffeehousehtx.com/ IG or FB @thecoffeehousehtx

QUESTIONS

- All of us go through change and growth differently. What are some things that have been helpful to your growth?
- What does spiritual maturity mean to you? (trusting God more, shifting in values and behaviors that come with faith and trust in God)
- How does *believing* in Jesus look different than *following* Him? (faith produces action)

READ

1 Timothy 6:17-18

QUESTIONS

• In the message, Patrick says "Good people do for themselves; great people do for others." Have you found this to be true? Why or why not?

- Describe a time when you made a difference in someone else's life or when someone made a difference in your life.
- What does "be rich in good deeds, and be generous and willing to share" in verse 18 mean to you?
- What is one good deed you can commit to this week to help someone?

READ

Matthew 20:21, 25-28

QUESTIONS

- What have you wanted to be the best at?
- What does this passage say to you about greatness? (greatness is found in being a servant, a servant is the highest-ranking person in God's kingdom)
- How does Jesus' definition of greatness differ from how the world measures greatness?

READ

1 Peter 4:10

QUESTION

- Share some ways we can we be good stewards of our gifts, talents, and resources?
 (to serve others, put others needs before ours)
- What is your favorite way to serve others?

PRAYER: God give us a heart more ready to serve than to be served. Give us hands that are willing to do for others as You would do for them. In Jesus' Name – Amen.

LEADERS:

Fall Fest is THIS weekend. Be sure to invite for a friend or neighbor. Wear your friendly Halloween costume, and invite a friend for some FREE fun! Please go to rpc.me/events for details.

Our Meals for Kids event at Richmond and MoCity is on 11/6. Help us package 150,000 meals for hungry kids who don't have access to nutritious food. This is a kid-friendly event and a great way to serve alongside your family, friends, or group! Sign up today at rpc.me/berich.