
DISCUSSION GUIDE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16TH

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday Worship Service

10AM at Lighthouse Church

May 31-Aug 30 Beyond Offering

Learn more at lighthousecoc.com

Aug 23 Group Leaders Training

3PM at Lighthouse Church

Aug 30 Re—Group Signup

Sep 13 Sunday Park Service

10AM at Finkbiner Park

Sep 20 House Church Sunday

OUR VISION

Love God.

Live Change.

Light the Way.

OUR VALUES

God's Word: is our Narrative

We discover who God is and how we participate in his story.

Love: is our Calling

We honor and value one another above ourselves.

Serving: is our Passion

We do everything with zeal and ownership.

Prayer: is our Priority

We pray as our first response, not our last resort.

Hospitality: is our Mission

We seek opportunities to share what God has given us.



2026 BEYOND OFFERING

Once a year we have a special opportunity to go above and beyond in our generosity during our annual Beyond Offering. This year we are giving on **Sunday, May 31st** through **Sunday, August 30th**. If you have never participated in this special endeavor, please prayerfully consider joining with us as we forge the way forward. God is moving among us in our church and beyond. We are so thankful for your generosity. Lighthouse would not be what is without you! You can download our Beyond Offering outline on our website for more information.

ONLINE GIVING

You can give either a one-time gift or setup re-occurring giving that fits your personal pay schedule using PushPay. There are two ways you can do this. You can go to lighthousecoc.com and click the “give” button or you can text **LCOC** to **77977** and you will receive a text message with directions to follow. Finally, you can also write a check to Lighthouse Church and mail it to 3508 East Temple Way, West Covina, CA 91791. Thank you so much for investing into the mission of Jesus Christ!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Mark Ramirez Please pray for healing for his health complications.

Amira Angulo Please pray for Amira to make a full recovery from surgery.

Andy Harrison Please pray that God would completely heal his kidneys.

Ruben Narvaez Please pray that God would heal him of cancer.

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Conversation Starters

- Who was your favorite teacher, coach, or mentor growing up, and what made them memorable for you?

Sermon Discussion

- **Read:** 2 Timothy 1:1-7, Matthew 22:37-40
1. Paul reminds Timothy that his sincere faith first lived in his grandmother Lois and his mother Eunice, showing how God often uses people to shape our faith. None of us arrives where we are spiritually completely on our own; someone helped encourage, teach, pray for, or invest in us along the way. Who has had a significant impact on your faith? What did they model or teach that still influences you today?
 2. Lois and Eunice couldn't make Timothy choose faith for himself, but they could live in a way that showed him what sincere faith looked like. Whether we realize it or not, the people closest to us see what we prioritize, how we respond to difficulty, and where we turn when we need help. What kind of example is your faith setting for the people around you?
 3. Paul tells Timothy *to fan into flame the gift of God*, reminding us that even sincere faith needs to be continually stirred and strengthened. Every disciple has seasons when the fire feels strong and others when it feels like only embers remain. How would you describe the condition of your spiritual fire right now? What could help you begin feeding that fire again?
 4. Even as a grown man and church leader, Timothy still needed someone like Paul to encourage him, challenge him, and remind him of God's calling. Spiritual maturity doesn't mean outgrowing our need for guidance. Who is someone you allow to challenge and strengthen your faith? How could you become that kind of person for someone else?
 5. Paul reminds Timothy that God has saved and called him according to His purpose and grace, and he challenges him not to be ashamed of the gospel. Where might God be calling you to move beyond comfort and use your faith, gifts, or testimony to make a difference in someone else's life?