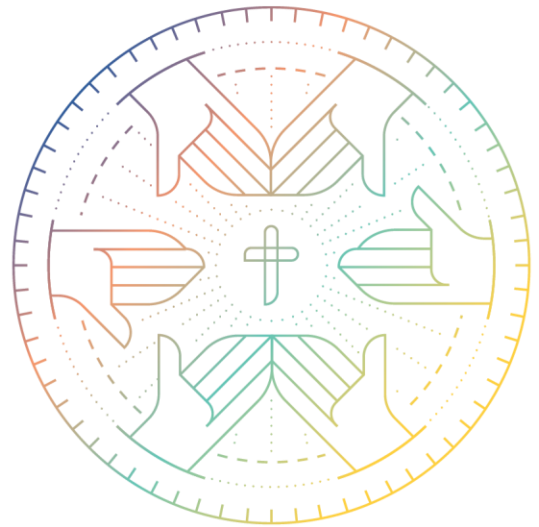


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ICEBREAKER (10 MINUTES)

If you could have one superpower, what would it be and why?

INTRODUCTION (5-10 MINUTES)

Anchor Verses: 2 Peter 1:1-4

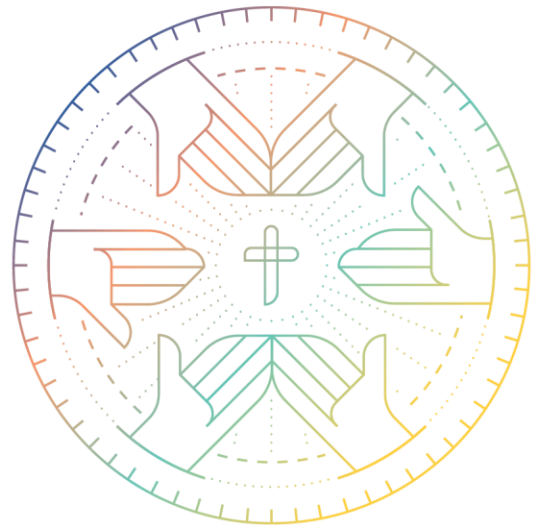
At the time of this letter, Peter is at the end of his life and is writing a last will and testament to help warn believers about losing the truth of who they are in Christ. We are reminded that faith is the foundation on which to build our life on.

INTO THE WORD (25 MINUTES)

1. Read 2 Peter 1:1, Romans 1:17, and Hebrews 11:1-3. When you think about the word faith what comes to mind and how does that look practically in your life?
2. Read 2 Peter 1:2-3, Ephesians 1:17, Colossians 1:9-10. Faith comes out of a proper understanding of who God is. What is something that you once believed about God but after understanding Scripture better you realized wasn't true?
3. Read 2 Peter 1:3, Romans 1:16, and 1 Corinthians 1:18. We receive power not from our will but by yielding to the Holy Spirit's work in our lives. Where in your life do you need to surrender to the power of the Holy Spirit?

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APPLICATION (25 MINUTES)

1. Peter lays out four main components of a foundational faith:
 - a. Faith is found in a person. (2 Corinthians 5:21)
 - b. Faith involves a divine power. (2 Timothy 1:7)
 - c. Faith is trusting in God's promises. (2 Corinthians 1:20)
 - d. Faith is partaking in the divine nature. (2 Corinthians 5:17)

Of the four components listed, which truth do you need to focus on this week?

2. Read Isaiah 41:10, Lamentations 3:22-23, Philippians 4:7-8, and James 1:5. We have been given many promises by God. What promises do you see listed in these verses and what truths from them can you take with you this week?

PRAYER (10 MINUTES)

Dear heavenly Father, thank you for giving us faith that we can build our foundation with You. May grace and peace be multiplied to us in the knowledge of God and Jesus our Lord. May we grow in the understanding of Your great promises, so that we may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world. Thank you for all of the blessings You bestow on us and the power that we can live in through You. We pray all these things in Your wonderful name. Amen.