# **CLARITY** discussion guide

Sunday, November 15, 2020 Gospel | Gospel in Community Michael Smith | 1 Thessalonians 5:12-28

### BELONG

What instructions would you give to someone who would be taking care of your home while you were away?





In this passage, Christ followers are challenged to grow in their faith as they learn to trust God in new ways. In what ways have you grown spiritually over the last year?

#### GROW

**Read 1 Thessalonians 5:12-28.** What instructions does Paul prescribe for Christian living in **verses 12-22?** Which ones are hardest to abide by? Which are the easiest? Do any of these commands connect personally with you at this time? Why?

Read **verses 23-28** again. What does this say about the way that God is working in the lives of Christians? How do these verses relate back to **verses 12-22**? What are the biggest obstacles to spiritual growth in your life? What can you do to overcome those obstacles?

Who is someone that is a few steps ahead of you spiritually? How can they help you in your faith journey? What spiritual goals do you have for your life in the coming year?

In what ways has the Clarity series helped you grow over the past year?

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Sunday	1 Thessalonians 5:12-28	
Monday	2 Timothy 1:1-18; Psalm 147:1-7; Proverbs 31:10-13	Ec Ec Ari
Tuesday	2 Timothy 2:1-13; Psalm 147:8-12; Proverbs 31:14-16	the so Or
Wednesday	2 Timothy 2:14-26; Psalm 147:13-20; Proverbs 31:17-20	the to
Thursday	2 Timothy 3:1-17; Psalm 148; Proverbs 31:21-23	De se in
Friday	2 Timothy 4:1-19; Psalm 149; Proverbs 31:24-27	ca
Saturday	Jude; Psalm 150; Proverbs 31:28-31	

#### chelon

Echelon is the youth version of the Salvation Army. The Army realized they were not reaching the younger generation and, as a result, created something that is tailored towards young adults. On December 9 there will be an event supporting the Salvation Army and Angel Tree. Click here to sign up for one of the two time slots on December 9. The time will be spent sorting and sending Angel Tree gifts that were purchased in the area. More information about this ministry can be found by clicking here.

## pray

Pray for global worker, Will and his team, that the peace of God will guard their hearts and minds.