



Sunday Nights 5:30 – 7:45 PM
For ages 7th – 12th grades
September- May

UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER:

Tonight- We will be having our regular meeting but will be ending early at 7PM for the annual meeting

*OCTOBER 4- 5th Quarter 9-11:30 PM

*November 8-9- REVERB

**Annual Congregational Business Meeting will be held
TONIGHT, September 22nd at 7:15 PM.**

**Annual Reports are located on the back table.
Please pick up your copy today.**

Items up for Discussion/Vote:

1. The deacon and elder boards recommend a 3% pay increase for Pastor Joe Benedict. (from \$35,277 per year to \$36,695.31 plus \$12,000 yearly housing allowance for a total of \$48,695.31 per year).

2. The deacon and elder boards recommend a 3% raise for Pastor Retirement from \$228.75 per month to \$235.61 per month.

3. The deacon and elder boards recommend a 3% pay increase for the church secretary Sara Martin (from \$13.37 per hour to \$13.77 per hour).

4. The deacon and elder boards recommend a 3% pay increase for the church custodian. (from \$11 per hour to \$11.33 per hour)

vote to Elect Candidates for 1 Open Deacon Positions:

Nominee: Cody Harris (1st Term)

vote to Elect Candidates for 3 Open Elder Positions:

Nominee: Jack DeGroot (2nd term)

Nominee: Clark Rickerd (1st Term)

Nominee: Nathan Raiche (1st Term)

Important information for our Church Members

1. If you are using the church for any approved activity (ministry, group, or special event)please be sure to write down the times of your groups use of the church on the church calendar, located in the back secretary's office next to the filing cabinets (not the one near the computer). We want to know what is happening in the church at all times for safety and proficiency in coordination.

2. If you are coming to the church and have not written the event on the calendar please be sure to notify our church secretary Sara Martin by text @ (616)438-6089 that you will be in the church, even for training, maintenance, or practices.

Sermon Notes

1 Corinthians Series
Chaos in the Dysfunctional Church
1 Corinthians 3:5-16
The Need for a Restart

A spiritual restart allows a believer to Refocus, Rebuild, Refine, and Realize.

1. Refocus (5-8)

2. Rebuild (9-12)

3. Refine (13-15)

4. Realize (16-17)

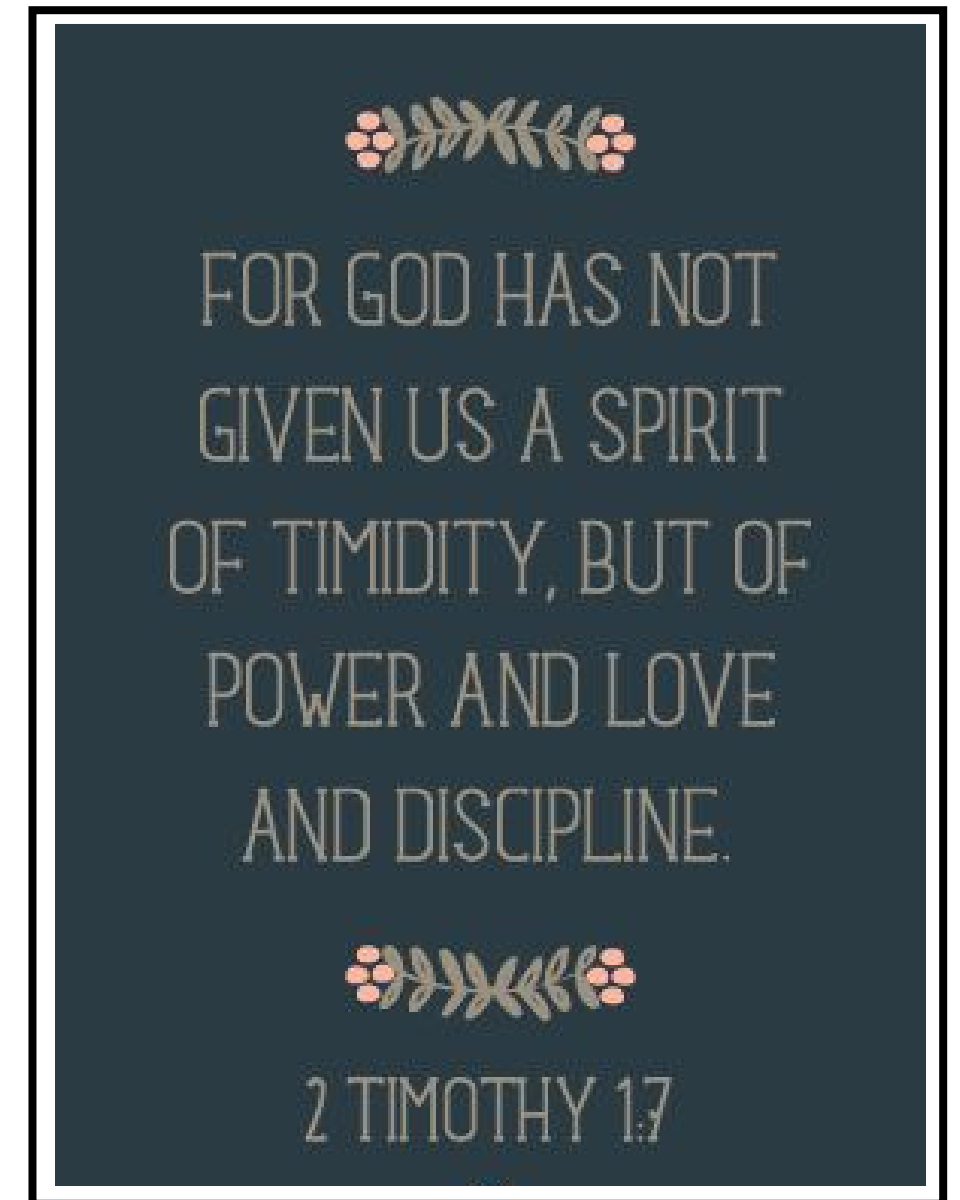
In order to have a successful restart there are a few things to consider.

A. In what ways have we lost focus as a church?

B. How can we rebuild on a firm foundation?

C. What in our lives needs refining now?

D. Do we realize the trouble we make for the entire body when we are fleshly?



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