COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK

The week of Sunday, December 6th

***Last week's sermon & this homework can be found at gbcmt.org/sermons or on the GBC App*

Prayer and Praise:

As a group, praise the Lord for this past year of Community Groups. Reflect upon how you have been encouraged to grow spiritually this year through your group.

After prayer, please continue praising God through song: *#216 – Oh for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

Together in the Word:

1. Read 1 Timothy 6:17-21. How do you struggle with the temptation to trust in riches rather than God?
2. What is a biblical view of wealth?
3. What is Paul referring to when he mentions storing up "a good foundation for the time to come" in verse 19?
4. In verse 20, what is Paul commanding Timothy to guard and how should a faithful pastor do so?
5. When someone strays from "the faith," do they lose their salvation?

STEWARDS OF TREASURE AND TRUTH

I Timothy 6:17-21

Series #25

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon: **"Stewards of Treasure and Truth."** All questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. What two topics does Paul focus on as he closes his letter to Timothy?
2. How we handle money and how we handle the truth of God are two of the most important facts of what?
3. What do you have that you did not receive?
4. Boasting reveals that you don't have an accurate understanding of what?
5. Since we received everything, we are what?
6. Where did Paul warn about the desire to be rich and making riches your number 1 goal in life?
7. The Holy Spirit makes it clear that wealth isn't inherently what?
8. What type of person falls into temptation and a snare?
9. Is the warning of verse 9 only for those who are rich?
10. What is the root of all (kinds of) evil?
11. According to Deuteronomy 8:18, God gives you the power to what?

12. In chapter 2, Paul reminded the wealthy women in the church to not do what by what they wore?

13. Does what Paul says in these verses apply to only millionaires?

14. The first thing that Paul states is to instruct the rich to not be what?

15. What two things can easily walk hand-in-hand?

16. The 2nd exhortation Paul gives is to make sure that we don't what?

17. Do you regularly remind yourself that God is the source of all that you have?

18. Do you find yourself allowing a meal time prayer to become perfunctory?

19. God is good and He gives good things in life to do what with?

20. We can enjoy the money God gives us, but not look down on others, nor trust in uncertain riches, as long as we are what?

21. As a child of God, do you seek to be rich in good works?

22. What are examples of being rich in good works?

23. According to verse 18, one of the ways we use money is to be what?

24. Even though we are just stewards, God graciously allows us to use His money for what?

25. The two Greek words in verse 18, translated, "ready to give" or "to be generous" both mean to be what?

26. Everything we give unto the Lord or because of the Lord is a spiritual investment for what?

27. Verse 19 is almost certainly built upon the teaching of Jesus in what passage?

28. What is Jesus NOT saying in Matthew 6:19-20?

29. Scripture encourages us to do what? (see Proverbs 6:6-8)

30. Would you say that you have a proper perspective about wealth and possessions and things?

31. We ought to invest in what? Do you have a grip on eternal life?

32. What is Paul referring to when he tells Timothy to guard what was entrusted to him?

33. Teaching that opposes God's truth is falsely called what?

34. What can happen if a person exposes himself to supposed knowledge and embraces it?

35. Are there new revelations, new visions, or new doctrines being given today?

36. The last verse of the letter is an appeal/exhortation to what?

37. Has the letter of First Timothy gotten through to you?