

CONTINUE THE CONVERSATION WITH YOUR SMALL GROUP, FAMILY, OR IN YOUR PERSONAL BIBLE STUDY TIME.

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Memory Verse: Romans 1:12 "When we get together, I want to encourage you in your faith, but I also want to be encouraged by yours."

Romans 1:8-12: "8 Let me say first that I thank my God through Jesus Christ for all of you, because your faith in him is being talked about all over the world. 9 God knows how often I pray for you. Day and night I bring you and your needs in prayer to God, whom I serve with all my heart by spreading the Good News about his Son. 10 One of the things I always pray for is the opportunity, God willing, to come at last to see you. 11 For I long to visit you so I can bring you some spiritual gift that will help you grow strong in the Lord. 12 When we get together, I want to encourage you in your faith, but I also want to be encouraged by yours."

This week Pastor Steve has encouraged us to get together with our small groups and family to share stories that encourage each other. Our faith grows when we hear stories of faith from other people—these are our faith stories. Each week we hear biblical truth in our church services but there is sometimes a gap between this truth we know and how to apply it to our lives. This week we want to bridge this gap between biblical information and how to apply it to our lives.

Think about a faith story you can share to bring encouragement to others. Something current or from your past--a real life situation--where you were able to bridge the gap between God's truth and the application to what is or was happening in your life.

How have you applied a Biblical truth or promise to get through a tough time in your life? What is your faith story?

(Sickness, Addiction, Marriage, Job, Fear, Anxiety, Depression, Parenting)

As God continues to work in our church and community, we know we need to take some steps to ensure we are strengthening our roots and expanding our reach. We are currently in a fundraising campaign to raise \$102,700 of which we have \$44,468 as of 09/17/2020.

Everything we have experienced God do in and through North Pointe has been made possible because of the dedication and support of the families and individuals who call NPC "home," and this next chapter is no different. We are excited to ask you to partner with us and join God in the work He is doing as we reach out and dig deep together.

Please pray about the need and pray about how you can participate. Visit the website below to learn more and stay up to date on our journey!

https://northpointefl.org/reach/