

Early Departures

PASTOR ZAC HESS • 1 TIMOTHY 4:1-5



WARM UP

What's your favorite thing about the city or town you grew up in?

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

Vacation Bible School • Financial donations enable us to bless kids in our community with a free Vacation Bible School experience. Each donation of \$30 supports one child participating in the ministry of VBS where they encounter Jesus and learn about friendship with God. Donate now at GracePolaris.org/VBSGift.

WITNESS

- Who are the people in your sphere of influence you're praying will come to know Jesus or are seeking to share the Gospel with?
- Share any progress/updates. Pray together for God to use you and your Grace Group to influence these people for Jesus.

EXPLORE

- 1 What resonated with you from the sermon?
- 2 What does it mean to have a seared conscience? How can we guard against a seared conscience and how do we identify where it may have already been seared?
- 3 Read 1 Timothy 4:4 and 1 Corinthians 10:23. How do we acknowledge that everything created by God is good while at the same time practicing wisdom in how we enjoy and partake in God's good creation?
- 4 How can we incorporate more thankfulness in our daily life?
- 5 How do we become holy? Is it primarily through things we do or don't do, or something else?
- 6 How do you sense the Lord leading you to apply this passage?

PRAY

Pray that the Holy Spirit would have control over our conscience, not our own will. Pray that the Lord would give us wisdom in how to enjoy His good creation well and to His glory.

COMING UP

GRACEPOLARIS.ORG/CALENDAR

Witness Seminar - God Space by Doug Pollock Saturday, April 13, 10:00 a.m. • MC 4 • Engaging in spiritual conversations with friends, coworkers, and family members without them shutting down can be challenging. This training seminar, led by the author of *God Space*, Doug Pollock, is designed to help create space for these conversations. His multimedia-driven workshop will equip you to increase the quality and quantity of your spiritual conversations in authentic, doable, and practical ways that will truly connect with people. Opportunities to role play, coupled with small and large group discussions, create a fun, spirit-filled learning environment. Lunch will be provided. Register for \$20 by April 10 at GracePolaris.org/Seminar or text SEMINAR to 614-888-7733.

Vacation Bible School Monday-Friday, June 24-28, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. • All kids entering Grades 1-6 in the fall are invited to join us for an underwater adventure! As we explore God's deep sea creations through lessons, games, snacks, crafts, science experiments, and music, we'll learn what it means to have a friendship with God. Students entering Grades 7-8 in the fall are invited to our special Youth VBS where we'll focus on building leadership skills as we serve at the elementary VBS and have our own Bible teaching times. Get more info and register at GracePolaris.org/VBS.