

1 TIMOTHY 6:1-2

DISCUSSION GUIDE

Here are some questions and thoughts to help guide discussion:

1. What stood out to you from this Sunday's sermon? Was there anything that was new to you, or anything that surprised you?
2. Do you struggle with confidence in being a "public Christian"? What would it look like for you, in your current situation, to begin to be more confident with your faith in Jesus? What steps can you begin to take to get there?
3. What are some experiences you've had where you've had boldness to speak about Christ, and it's gone well?
4. Read 1 Corinthians 1:18-24 and 2:1-5. Do these passages encourage you? In what ways? How will these passages influence the way you share the gospel in the future?
5. Review the breakdown of the gospel message at ebcnipawin.ca/gospel. What are some steps you can take to understand and remember this message, so that you can grow in confidence in sharing it?
6. Have you noticed our culture's attitude changing toward Christianity? As we look at other countries in the world today, other periods in church history, or even just at the pages of Scripture, what do we learn about the "normal" level of difficulty or persecution that Christians have faced? How can we prepare ourselves for this new normal here in Canada?
7. Compare your current employment or life situation to slavery. What advantages do you have that the slaves in verse 1 did not? What are some specific ways and opportunities you can bring glory to God in your current employment or life situation?