

Week 5 (February 9)

Announcements:

1. Two Services
 - a. 9:30 AM & 11:00AM
 - b. Beginning March 1st (Soft Launch February 23rd)
2. Tax Giving Forms
 - a. Email finances@4pointes.org

Check-in Questions

- 1) On a scale of 1-10, how was your week?
- 2) Were there any revelations you had from the sermon this past Sunday?
- 3) How has the Lord spoken to you this week through The Word?

Getting Personal	Sermon Discussion	Weekly Bible Reading (<i>if there's time</i>)
<p>Checking In...</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> This section is a little longer, so you can just get right into it. HAVE FUN! <p>Let's Roll the Dice: Get a 6 sided die to roll (or use a random number generator). Have each person roll the die and the number it lands on is the category they have to answer or do. You can ask one question from each category or ask all of them. I'll leave that up to your discretion.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Personal <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Who is the most important person in your life right now and why? What is your favorite type of food? How many different schools have you attended in your life? How would you describe your life? Tell us about one time in your life where you were worried the most. Spiritual <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What does God's decision to become human say about how he feels about us? If you could have God answer one question, what would it be? How would you describe your spiritual life today? If God could take care of one problem in your life, what would He take care of? If you could lead one person to Christ, who would that be? 	<p>"House Rules" - Pastor Peter Lim</p> <p>Main Point</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Expectation 1: Family Participation <p>Discussion Question</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What were some things about the sermon this past Sunday that stuck out to you? What were some "house rules" or "household expectations" you had growing up? Why do you think this sermon was heavily leaning on giving and offering? Do you think this a reasonable expectation to have for the members of our church? Why or why not? What were your thoughts about the fact that in 2018 we were giving roughly the same amount in offering as we are now in 2020 even though our attendance has doubled in size? Read the following passages: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Chron. 29:14-16 Pro. 3:9 Matt 6:19-21 2 Cor. 9:7 Mal 3:8-12 <p>What do we need to understand about God's heart for our lives and our livelihoods?</p> What did Pastor Peter mean by "God is in every business of meeting our need, but in no interest in meeting our greed."? <p>Application</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What would our church look like if every household member decided to put their "skin in the game"? In other words, what would it look like if we all committed to dedicate a portion of our time, talents, AND treasures to 4Pointes on a regular basis? 	<p>WEEKLY PASSAGE 1 Corinthians 5</p> <p>Observations/Questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What do you remember from the previous chapters in 1 Corinthians? What are some general observations you made from this chapter? Beyond the obvious, what was it about the situation in verses 1-4 that bothered Paul? In what ways is Paul holding the church accountable? What was the failure of the church and why had the Corinthians failed to take action? What does the metaphor of the leavened and unleavened bread signify? What is Paul saying when he tells his readers to "not associate" with sexually immoral people? Compare verse 9 with 2 Thes. 3:14-15. Has your opinion changed? Cross-reference the verses below. Are all of these talking about the same kind of situation as in 1 Cor. 5? If not, how are they different? What do we learn about how the church is to act with regard to its members? <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Matt 18:15-20 Rom 16:17-18 2 Thess 3:6, 14-15 Titus 3:9-11 <p>Applications</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> What does it mean to be a part of the local church today? How can we become more involved with our community's spiritual welfare?

3. Family

- a. What do you like best about your family?
- b. How would you describe your family interaction?
- c. If you had to choose one family member to be around 24/7 for a week, who would it be?
- d. If you can have a trait from each parent, what trait would you take from each to have as your own?
- e. What spiritual interaction do you have with your family?

4. Social

- a. Of your friends you have, what percentage help you out spiritually?
- b. On a scale from 1 to 10 with 10 being the greatest, how important is it to you that your significant other is a Christian? *(Expand on this if you like)*
- c. Do you like to “make new friends”, “stay with the friends you have” or “not have many friends at all”?
- d. What characteristic is most important to you in a friend?
- e. When put in a new environment, is it easy for you to socialize with other people?

5. Miscellaneous

- a. How is Jesus different from other leaders?
- b. Is war always wrong?
- c. Mac or PC?
- d. Chicago style pizza or NY thin crust pizza?
- e. What do you like best about 4Pointes? Least?

<p>6. Just for Fun</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Get a cup of water and gargle your favorite song. Tell us your favorite joke. Make your funniest face for us, and then send it to Pastor Sam so he can post it on the 4Pointes FB wall. Make the strangest sound you can think of. Point to each person in the group and try to repeat at least one thing they said tonight. <i>(Save this one for the end of you can)</i> 		
<p>Prayer Topics and Requests</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Going to 2 services • New EcoGroups • The health and continual spiritual growth of 4Pointes and its staff. • Any other topics you share amongst your group. 	