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2 Timothy

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Gym

Main

9:15

Contemp

11:00

Contemp



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# Fall Sunday Worship

## Why?!

To create an environment where all generations can worship from their heart so that we can unit together in resourcing the next generation to help their generation discover life in Jesus



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Why?!

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# A Little Help From My Friends



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For I am ready to be poured out like a drink offering, and the time has come for my departure. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day – and not only to me, but also all who have longed for his appearing.



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## Main Thrust:

Being together ... for tomorrow ...  
demands thinking strategically about  
relationships



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In order to be “Together for Tomorrow”  
is there some re-prioritizing I need to do ...  
some “this world” things I need to let go?



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2. Are there some “hurtful” relationships I’m still tasting the after-effects of I need to let go?



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Do I need to give myself to “just” being faithful in the role I’ve been given? Even little, ‘un-noticed’ roles have a huge impact



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And ... bring the cloak I left ... And my scrolls, especially the parchments



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## Paul's "Tomorrow" Team

Paul

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+50%  
of  
New  
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An I was delivered from the lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and will bring me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To him be glory forever and ever. Amen!



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1. About what “loss” is God inviting you to say, “Will you use this loss to let go and go deeper with me?”

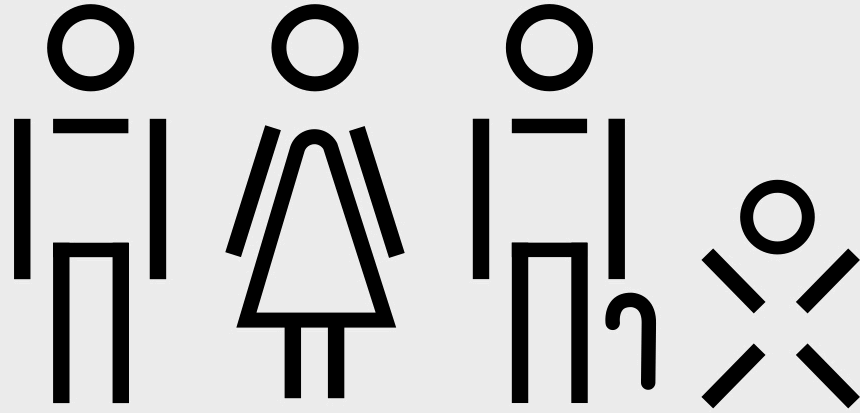


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2. Will you see the opportunity this loss allows you to leverage for me?





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