

“Replacement Trinity”
A Personal or Small Group Experience

I am intrigued by the journey we have been on with regards to “how” we read and listen to the Word of God. The whole idea that was presented on Sunday of how in our current culture we are vulnerable to centering our lives (and therefore our reading of Scripture) around a “Replacement Trinity—Holy Wants, Holy Needs, Holy feelings challenges me!

- 1) Discuss what you remember from this section of the message!
- 2) Add to your discussion by reading a few pages from Eugene Peterson’s book, “Eat This Book!”! This is where I was first challenged by this thought. Copies of these pages are available at the PoG office or on our website under this week’s message resources. We can also email you a copy. Just send a request e-mail to pog@pointofgracechurch.org
- 3) Include in your discussion how this “replacement trinity” affects our approach to the Word of God!
- 4) Finally I would encourage you to look at 2 Timothy 3—the whole chapter. It seems to me that Paul begins this chapter describing a culture much like ours with this replacement trinity very much in play. Notice how he ends the chapter—a call to sit humbly “under” the Word of God!

Enjoy!

“A Summer to Thrive!”

“Connecting With God” Weekly Guide

This booklet is a resource to help you “Connect with God” this week. He deeply desires ongoing personal connection with you. You are that important to Him.

This Page has some scripture verses for you to meditate on each day this week. Notice the helpful hints section – these are great things to consider when personally engaging with God through His Word.

The Center Pages contain the notes and outline for the message given on Sunday. The message is also available as an audio download from www.pointofgracechurch.org

The Back Page has a study written specifically for a small group of people (or an individual) to drill down deeper into a particular aspect of the week’s theme. Small groups can review memorable points of the week’s message and then work through the study concluding with a time of prayer.

Scripture & Meditation Guide - June 20-25

Helpful Hints:

- 1) Find a quiet place along with 15-20 minutes!
- 2) Focus on God for a few moments asking His Spirit to speak to your heart and offloading your heart of stifling, burdens, guilt, worry etc.!
- 3) Listen to Him by reading a section of scripture then rereading it several times, dwelling on “words and phrases” which grab your heart’s attention. As you read and reread keep asking God, “What do You want me to hear?” “Why this word at this time?” “How are You inviting me to respond? Keep talking it over with Him—chew!
- 4) Pray (and journal) everything that is on your heart and mind as you are ready!
Worship Him, Bless Him, Thank Him, Ask Him, Trust Him

Monday: Psalm 40:5-8

Tuesday: Joshua 1:8-9

Wednesday: Psalm 119:81-88

Thursday: 2 Timothy 3:14-17

Friday: Colossians 3:15-17

Saturday: Psalm 42