STAYING STRONG IN THE FAITH 2 TIMOTHY 2:1-7 (NASB77)

- I. Empowered by His Grace, How Could This Happen?
- A. 2 Timothy 2:1 (NASB77)
- B. Three types of grace: 1. <u>Saving grace</u>: Ephesians 2:8-9 (NASB77), 2. <u>Equipping grace</u>: Romans 12:6a (NASB77) 3. Empowering grace: 1 Corinthians 15:10 (NASB77)
- C. Paul knew God's grace! 2 Corinthians 12:9a.
- II. How Can We See God's Empowering/Sustaining Grace?
- A. 1st, How does James see it? James 4:6 (NASB77)
- B. 2nd, <u>Get To The Filling Station!</u> John 17:17 (NASB77), Psalm 119:11 (NASB77), Psalm 119:28 (NASB77), Psalm 19:7-8 (NASB77), and S.O.A.P.
- C. 3rd, Reflect on the past! 1 Timothy 1:12
- III. Givers Of Grace/An Example To Follow 2 Timothy 2:2 (NASB77)
- A. Take The Initiative! How?

- 1. As a solider, ³ Suffer hardship with *me*, as a good soldier of Christ Jesus. ⁴ No soldier in active service entangles himself in the affairs of everyday life, so that he may please the one who enlisted him as a soldier.
- a. John 15:18 (NASB77), John 16:33
- 2. As an athlete, ⁵ And also if anyone competes as an athlete, he does not win the prize unless he competes according to the rules.
- 3. As a farmer, 2 Timothy 2:6 (NASB77), 1 Corinthians 15:58 (NASB77), Galatians 6:9 (NASB77)
- IV. Staying Strong
- A. **2 Timothy 2:7 (NASB77)** ⁷ *Consider* what I say, for the Lord will give you understanding in everything.
- B. Consider, reflect, think over, understand, mark well, grasp the meaning of what is being spoken...



May 29-June 1—Children's Camp for grades 3-6.

June 17-21 Falls Creek—Cost is \$100. Forms and fee due by June 2

July 14-17VBS—Breaker Rock Beach— Registration is open. Volunteers needed.

Volleyball every Sunday @ 6:00 pm Regional Food Bank of Oklahoma Food Bank **Drive Cereal Drive -** Donation boxes are in the

gym, or you can give a monetary donation.

6:45 pm



Sunday

Sunday School

10:30 am

Morning Worship

Children's Church

Wednesday

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Youth Bible Study Children's Master Classes

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