



Riverstone
BAPTIST CHURCH

Sermon Based Questions

Series: Training For Godliness Pt 1
Sunday 13th September 2026

Formed by the Word

16 All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, 17 so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

1. Hear (Romans 10:14-17)

2. Read (Revelation 1:3)

3. Study (Acts 17:10-12)

4. Memorise (119:9-16)

5. Meditate (Psalm 1:2-3)

“Our first and foremost responsibility as Christians is to maintain a strong, day-by-day abiding fellowship with the Lord Jesus by feeding on His Word.”

— Leroy Eims, The Lost Art of Disciple Making

A. Examining the texts.

Discussion Starter: How would you describe your current relationship to the bible?

1. Read Romans 10:14-17. According to this passage- why does Paul see preaching as important? How according to Paul, does faith in Christ come about?
2. Read Revelation 1:3. Who according to this verse; are the people who enjoy Gods blessing?
3. Read Acts 17:10-12. What activity, according to Luke- was the reason that the Berean Jews were of more noble character than the Thessalonians? What do you think the word 'examined,' here means?
4. Read Psalm 119:9-16. What does this passage say is way to keep a person on the pure path? What do you think is meant by- "hiding the word in ones heart?" What has the Psalmist vowed to do and not do vs 16?
5. Read Psalm 1:1-3. What according to the Psalmist- is the outcome of delighting in and meditating on the 'law of God?'

B. Meditation & application

6. Can you remember preaching or preachers that have impacted your discipleship? Why is 'hearing' good teaching important to us?
7. When you think about your Christian discipleship- how important is reading the bible to you? What do you think has helped or might help you to more consistently read your bible?
8. Given where you are currently at in your Christian discipleship; what struggle with sin or gap in your knowledge could be aided by intentional study? What would that look like?
9. How did Jesus use scripture memory in the wilderness when he was being tempted & how does this relate to Ephesians 6:17? Do you think scripture memory might be helpful for you in your faith?
10. Meditation is the act of setting our mind on a verse or verses on scripture and choosing to 'think deeply about its meaning, it parts, and it application to ones life. Choose a timely verse & try meditate on it this week.