#### Sermon Notes April 7, 2024

#### Theology Matters

### 2 Timothy 2

#### **Theological Words give a Handle**

Christianity: Grace

& Knowledge

#### Core Message (Gospel)

Messiah from God raised from the dead.

#### Remember

If we died with him, we will also live with him; if we endure, we will also reign with him. If we disown him, he will also disown us; if we are faithless, he remains faithful, for he cannot disown himself.

#### **Don't Quarrel about Words**

- Get the basics right
- Get your life right

Be Kind Be Able to Teach Don't Get Resentful

# JESUS

## ENCOUNTER GROUPS

Questions to help you go deeper and grow closer

Review the sermon, what were the key points? What questions did it raise for you? What felt most important to you?

Paul in 2 Timothy gives one summary of the gospel (good news). What other summaries have you heard? If someone asked you what is the core message of Christianity, how would you answer them?

Why do you think it is easy and natural to make the gospel complicated?

How familiar are you with big theological words? Have you ever gotten into quarreling about words? What did you learn? What words have you heard that you have questions about? How can you learn without quarrelling?

What section of 2 Timothy chapter 2 was most interesting to you? Spend more time examining it. What other scripture passages does it bring to mind?

Prayer:

Lord Jesus, thank you for coming for me, dying for me, and living forever as my resurrected Savior. I know that I am not always faithful, but I praise you for the fact that you are always faithful. I trust you with my whole life, seek to turn from wickedness, and share your good news with others. Thank you for your grace. Amen.