



All You Need

NorthRidge Church

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Critical Insights for the 21st Century Church in 2 Peter ...

We will find admonition to _____.

We will be equipped to Deal with _____.

We will be encouraged to look for Christ's _____.

We will be challenged to _____.

We have All we Need, When – 2 Peter 1:1-4

I. When We Know _____ we Are (1:1a) – Peter was a ...

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____

II. When we Know _____ we Stand Upon ... (1:1-2)

a. You have Obtained _____

b. You have Imputed _____

c. You have Exponential Measures of _____ and _____

III. When we Know _____ to Do ... (1:3-4)

a. We can Release God's _____

b. We can Utilize God's _____

c. We can Work Through God's _____

My Takeaway ...

Are you Using the _____ that God has provided? If not, you are not living to your _____.

Truth for Life

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(Questions and Scriptures for further study)

1. In your own words, define what it means to “Grow in Your Faith.” What does growth look like? What does it feel like when we are growing? When we are not growing? What does it do for us? How well do we function without it?
2. What role, if any, does understanding who we are and whose we are play in the task of spiritual growth? Does it alter our perspective any to know that God has accepted us? Has given us the ability to believe? Has imparted His Righteousness within us? Has granted us an immeasurable amount to grace and peace?
3. When we take our eyes off of the Lord and His provision ... and begin to focus on our current situation, what happens to our capacity to grow? When the situation is positive, good, and promising? When the situation is negative, depressing, and hopeless?
4. As we start this new sermon series, we learn of Peter’s introduction of spiritual growth to believers. What guidance do the following Scriptures give to help believers to know the resources, the mandate, and urgency we have to grow?
 - 2 Peter 3:18
 - Hebrews 5:11-14
 - Philippians 1:6
 - Ephesians 4:15
 - 2 Timothy 3:16-17
 - Romans 12:2
 - 2 Timothy 2:15
5. What 1 thing might you benefit from as you reflect upon this week, this study, or “My Takeaway” from Sunday?

Appointment with God – Prayer Focus

Father, in Deuteronomy 6:7, You charge parents with the responsibility of diligently teaching their children how to love You with all their heart, soul, and strength. Give us the heart to teach, mentor, and equip parents how to accomplish this charge. Anoint and equip leaders of children and youth ministries to fill in where You lead them to do the same. Oh, Father, fill us with YOUR HEART for these, Your children.



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We will find admonition to **Grow**.

We will be equipped to Deal with **Error**.

We will be encouraged to look for Christ's **Second Coming**.

We will be challenged to **Persevere**.

We have All we Need, When – 2 Peter 1:1-4

I. When We Know **Who** we Are (1:1a) – Peter was a ...

- a. **Sinner**
- b. **Saint**
- c. **Servant**
- d. **Sent**

II. When we Know **What** we Stand Upon ... (1:1-2)

- a. You have Obtained **Faith**
- b. You have Imputed **Righteousness**
- c. You have Exponential Measures of **Grace** and **Peace**

III. When we Know **What** to Do ... (1:3-4)

- a. We can Release God's **Power**
- b. We can Utilize God's **Promises**
- c. We can Work Through God's **Partnership**

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