

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What most impacted you in the message?
2. When you think of a “well-run race,” what does a faithful Christian life look like? How might God’s measure of a successful life differ from the world’s?
3. Hebrews 12:1 describes a “great cloud of witnesses.” Who has left a legacy of faith that encourages you, and what about their example do you want to carry forward? The passage calls us to lay aside “every weight” as well as sin. What is the difference between something that is sinful and something that simply hinders your spiritual growth?
4. What makes sin so effective at entangling us? How can confession, accountability, and support from other believers help us stop repeating destructive patterns? What does it mean to run with endurance “the race that is set before us”?
5. How can comparing your circumstances or calling with someone else’s distract you from faithfulness in your own race? Hebrews 12:2 calls us to fix our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. What does that look like in everyday life, especially when distractions, uncertainty, or pressure compete for your attention?