

REALITIES OF THE “FINISH”

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Dwelling Place Church Vision: Manifesting
Christ in Many Ways to Many People

2 Timothy 4:6 - For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure is at hand. 7 I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. 8 Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing.

I. Introduction

- a. Paul's awareness
 - b. Paul is conscious to the reality he has finished his race. Paul is what Scripture refers to as an overcomer.
 - c. Paul imparted what he imparted and multiplied what he multiplied because he was an overcomer.
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II. Goals

- a. If you want to be encouraged to overcome, then follow and glean from those who overcome.
 - b. What do you do when you don't have any overcomers to follow? (2 Tim 4:15-18)
 - c. Paul was able to overcome and able finish his course because first, he was clear on the goal.
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III. Aim

2 Corinthians 5:9 - Therefore we make it our aim, whether present or absent, to be well pleasing to Him. 10 For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad.

- a. Paul was able to overcome and able to finish his course because first, he was clear on the goal.
 - b. Paul was able to overcome and able to finish his course because second, he took aim at the goal.
 - c. When you take aim at the goal then:
 - i. You know when to fight and what to fight
 - ii. You have a motivation creator ((Phil 3:12-16)
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IV. Wise Master Builder

- a. Paul the wise master builder (1 Cor 3:10)
- b. Wise building requires the end in mind. Paul as an apostle had received grace to know the goal of God and was then able to build with that end in mind as a wise master builder.
- c. Where I have not received God's wisdom I am unable to master.
- d. Seasons of life expose where I have not received God's grace and wisdom to know the goal and take clear aim.
- e. God has grace and wisdom for that gap, but pride & complacency must be strongly rejected.
- f. Jesus has overcome all things. Will you turn to Him. Will you ask for His help, His wisdom, and the work of the Holy Spirit?

WELCOME!

If you have questions, please stop by the NEXT STEPS table in the foyer or look for a team member. If we can help you in any way, please email us at dwellinplacemovement@gmail.com.

Our strategy at DPC: Gather (Gatherings), Group (Connect Groups), Grow (Growth Phases), Give (Giving/Gifting Teams), Go (Outreach)

GATHER

*Sundays in July-
"Paul & The Road Ahead"
9:30a + 11:15a*

This series on Paul, an apostle of Christ, reviews his extraordinary life. By examining Paul's life, we can be instructed and spurred to live our lives for the glory of God as well.

GROW

*Thursday, September 2, 7p - 9p
Launch of our Fall Semester
of Growth Phases*

Get signed up today at the Next Steps table for our Fall Semester of Growth Phases!

GO

*Saturday, July 24 - Back to School
Bash at Ansley Park*

Join us as we throw a back to school bash for the students at Ansley Park! Register now at the Next Steps Table to give donations for free backpacks or serve at this event!

GROUP

*Sunday, July 18 -
Connect Group Night*

Our connect groups will be meeting all over the area this evening.

*Sunday, July 25, 2p - 5p - Picnic in
the Park*

Join us at Logan Park Farm in Acworth under the pavillion as we group together for an afternoon of fun. Bring sides for your family; we will provide chicken and drinks. This is a great time to connect with other DP families, we hope to see you there!

GIVE

*"His Blueprint" Capital
Campaign - He Has Chosen Us!*
We encourage each of you to continue to ask God what He would have you give to our capital campaign!

Goal by June 2022
\$220,000

Commitment Levels:

One time Legacy Gifts

20K - Gold Legacy Gift

10K - Silver Legacy Gift

1K - Precious Stone Legacy Gift

Monthly Pledges

\$500, \$250, \$150, \$50

Did you know you can give via text? Just text any dollar amount to 84321 to give. You will follow a quick, self-guided setup process to tie your mobile phone to our church, your donor account, and a payment source. After that, donating is as easy as sending a text.