

GraceWay Church Groups Discussion Guide Oct. 12 - 18, 2025

"Faith For The Future"

Open It

1. When you think of a relay race, what stands out to you—the speed, the teamwork, or the baton pass? Why does that stand out to you specifically?

Read It (Read Hebrews 12:1-2b)

- 2. Who surrounds us as we run our race? What does this teach us about the importance of spiritual community and legacy in our walk with Christ?
- 3. Verse 1 says sin can "easily entangle us, or trip us up". What does that imagery suggest about how sin works in our lives?
- 4. Verse 2 tell us to fix our eyes on Jesus. Why is it so important to keep our eyes on Jesus rather than comparing ourselves to others in the race?

Get It

- 5. Pastor D used the metaphor of a relay race to describe our faith journey. How does this image change your perspective on YOUR role in God's kingdom work?
- 6. *Celebrate Faith Stories*. Read **Deut. 6:10-12.** Why does God tell His people to remember and recount His works? How can sharing testimonies from GraceWay's journey help strengthen the "cloud of witnesses" in our generation?
- 7. Share a Faith Story: What's one moment in your life where you can clearly say, "God was faithful"?
- 8. Choose Faith Today. Joshua 24:15 says, "Choose this day whom you will serve." What does it look like to choose faith daily rather than fear or comfort? How does walking "by faith, not by sight" (2 Corinthians 5:7) challenge the way we approach uncertainty?
- 9. *Commit to the Future*. What does **2 Timothy 4:7–8** teach us about finishing our race faithfully? How does this passage remind and encourage you to commit to the future race set before you?
- 10. If you could pass a 'baton' of wisdom or advice to the next generation, what would be the most important thing you'd want them to know?

Apply It

- 11. This week, share a 'faith story' either your own testimony or something you've witnessed God do with at least one person who needs encouragement.
- 12. How can we pray for you this week?