

PASSING THE
FAITH
To the Next Generation



Small Group Questions

Speaker: Pastor Dave Hentschel

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Text: 2 Tim 2:22

Sermon Title: “Run for Your Life: Building a Pure Church for the Next Generation.”

1. What stood out to you most from the message on 2 Timothy 2:22? Why do you think that connected with you?
2. When Paul says “flee youthful passions,” what do you think that looks like in real, everyday life today?
3. The sermon described the “cycle of lust” (desire → deception → decision → consequence).
Where do you think people most often get stuck in that cycle?
4. Why do you think Scripture emphasizes *fleeing* temptation rather than fighting it?
What makes that difficult in practice?
5. In what ways does our current culture make sexual integrity more challenging than in the past?
6. The idea was shared: “*You’re only as strong as you are honest.*”
Why is honesty so hard in this area? What fears keep people from confessing?
7. What are some practical ways someone can “cut off access” to temptation without becoming legalistic?
8. Paul doesn’t just say “flee”—he also says “pursue righteousness, faith, love, and peace.”
What does it look like to actively pursue these things in your stage of life?
9. How can we create a church or small group culture where people feel safe to be honest, but also encouraged to grow?
10. What is one practical step you can take this week to pursue greater sexual integrity (or help someone else do so)?

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