

CONVERSATION GUIDE

Middle-High School

DATE: 7/5/20

SCRIPTURE: 1 Timothy 6:11-16, 20-21

LESSON: Fight the Good Fight

INTRO

This conversation guide exists to help parents interact with their middle and high school students. Our goal in having middle and high school students attend gatherings (or worship at home) with their parents is to help them transition toward being adults who are fully functioning members of the church. But most middle and high school students still need some translation and help connecting what they're learning to their lives. We want our sermons to be accessible, but they aren't specifically targeted toward the transitional teenage years.

- **Read 1 Timothy 3:15.** After hearing what the church is meant to be like during this series, what do you remember is important for the church being the church?

- **Read 1 Timothy 6:11.** Everyone is pursuing something. What are some things that you see people pursuing who don't know Jesus?
 - What does Paul say here that we should pursue as followers of Jesus?
 - How can you practically pursue these things?
 - More importantly, WHY do we pursue these things? Is it to be better people? To make friends? Or to feel good about ourselves?

- At Midtown, we say we are "Jesus-Centered". Based on what Tim talked about, what do you think that means?
 - How can we grow in being Jesus-Centered? Individually? As a family? As a church?