



Stand Alone Sermon

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Sermon Questions for 7.31.2022*

Opener

How long have you been connected to Bent Tree? How did you hear about Bent Tree?

Read

John 14:16-17, 25-26; John 15:26; Acts 2:42; 2 Timothy 3:14-17; Hebrews 10:24-25

Main Points

1. A Reassuring Promise - the Spirit of Truth (the encourager) (John 14:16-17, 25-26)
2. The early church devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching (Acts 2:42)
3. Pauls' Prophetic Challenge - growth in understanding the Word of God equips us for every good work (2 Timothy 3:14-17)
4. Our Blessed Privilege - to encourage one another (Hebrews 10:24-25)

Engage with God in a Group

- When have you found it best in your life to read God's Word?
- What challenges to reading the Bible do you typically incur?
- How has God used His Word in your life?
- What has been the biggest encouragement in your faith and how has God encouraged others through you?

Bottom Line

The Holy Spirit is *the encourager*, and now we are sent to encourage one another.