

Putting Your Faith Into Action

"The Foundation" 2 Timothy 3:16-17

Main Idea of the Text:

Scripture serves as the foundation on which all other spiritual growth builds upon. Without Scripture, there is no growth in Christ.

Outline:

- 1. Scripture Begins from God
- 2. Scripture is Profitable
- 3. Scripture is Purposeful

Scripture Begins from God

- Verse 16
- "All Scripture is inspired by God"
- The names of Scripture
- Revelation
- Knowing an unknowable God
- What does this mean for us?

Scripture is Profitable

- Verse 16 continued...
- Profitable means for a gain
- We have something to gain from God's Word
- Teaching, reproof, correction, and training towards righteousness
- Paul's contrast to Timothy
- What does this mean for us?

Scripture is Purposeful

- Verse 17
- Our God is one of purpose
- God has created us for a purpose
- Ephesians 4:12-13
- The purpose behind equipping
- What does this mean for us?

Next Steps

- 20 in 24
- Take 20 minutes a day to read God's Word in 2024

- Seek the profit as promised in God's Word, be intentional about your time
- Share with someone else something new that God has shown you with your time in the Word