## Life in Community Series A Multi-Generational Community of Faith 2 Timothy 1:1-5

- I. Timothy Is Paul's "Son" (1-2)
  - A. Paul is writing to his "spiritual son"
  - B. Timothy, like Paul, is what he is because of God's will and the work of Jesus
- II. Paul and His "Forefathers" (3-4)
  - A. Paul serves God with a clear conscience like his forefathers
  - B. This is a reference to Paul's Jewish religious inheritance
  - C. What did he gain from this?
    - 1. A theistic belief
    - 2. A life of prayer
    - 3. A desire to be spiritually supportive
- III. Timothy and His Heritage of Faith (5)
  - A. Paul is reminded of Timothy's faith
  - B. It started with his grandmother
  - C. It continued with his mother
  - D. It dwells in Timothy now
- IV. The Legacy We Leave Matters
  - A. Not necessarily going to look the same for everyone
  - B. Can become legalistic
  - C. Can become empty and trivial
  - D. Should be redemption and relationship driven, not results driven