1 Peter: Faithful to the End 1 Peter 4:1-11 Pastor Jim Oakley

STAY FAITHFUL TO THE END: SOBER, PRAYERFUL, LOVING, WELCOMING, AND SERVING AS GOD ENABLES YOU.

- 1. WE MUST REMAIN FAITHFUL TO THE END (vs. 1-6)
- SOBER, PRAYING. LOVING, WELCOMING AND SERVING AS GOD ENABLES (vs. 7-11)

MEMORY VERSE: 1 Peter 4:4 READ AHEAD FOR NEXT WEEK: 1 Peter 4:12-19

DISCUSSION GUIDE

- 1. Review 1 Peter 3:18-22 and summarize the attitude that we should "arm" ourselves with.
- 2. How does suffering in the body change your perspective towards sin?
- 3. How "done with sin" are you?
- 4. How is being done with sin similar to being committed to the will of God?
- 5. Why is it important to remember our former sinful ways?
- 6. According to vs. 4,5 how does living the "good life" from 1 Peter 2:12 affect our relationships with non-believers?
- 7. How does understanding God's judgment affect your perseverance in "doing good"?
- 8. What does it look like for a believer to approach the end of all things according to this passage?
- 9. How do the actions listed in vs. 7-9 help us in the last days?
- 10. How does love cover a multitude of sins?
- 11. What spiritual gifts has God given you? How do you know?
- 12. What does it mean to be a faithful steward of the spiritual gifts God has given?
- 13. How does this passage challenge or encourage you?