

Sermon Discussion Guide

Nov. 18 & 19, 2023 "Hey Jude" Jude 1:17-23

This year, we're reading through the Whole Holy Bible. Weekend sermons look specifically at New Testament books, while incorporating the Old Testament as well. This month we look at letters, or epistles, actually official epistles from other apostles. Join us as we read it, learn it, and live it together.

PRAY & CONNECT

Open in prayer and invite the Holy Spirit into your conversation. Ask God for wisdom and discernment and trust him to guide you. Take time to view the message on **HopeOnline.tv**. Did you have any "ah-ha" moments where you felt convicted, compelled, or inspired during the sermon? What's been on your mind this week? Have you been able to apply the message to your everyday life?

GROW

Read <u>Jude 1:1-25</u>

• What is the message of Jude? In what ways is it still relevant today? Can people who disagree be friends? Who in your life do you have a relationship with that you also disagree strongly with? How is that possible? In what ways does the world tell us not to do that? Why? What does it look like to be tender with sinners but not soft on sin?

Read Psalm 119:105

• What does it mean for God's Word to be a lamp to your feet? What does that look like? How does His Word influence how you live your daily life? How do you consider it during the week? What would your life look like without it?

Read Matthew 5:14-16 - "Salt and Light"

• Are you actively living as God's light in the world? How could you be more light to those living in darkness? Who are those people around you who could use God's light? Who can bring it to them?

APPLY

Think about who you might invite to church that doesn't have a church home. How can you invite that person to experience God's light? What would it look like to show them Jesus through your actions? Through your words?

