

CONVERSATION GUIDE

Middle-High School

DATE: 5/3/20

SCRIPTURE: 1 Timothy 2:1-7

LESSON: Godly Quietness

INTRO

This conversation guide exists to help parents interact with their middle and high school students. Our goal in having middle and high school students attend gatherings (or worship at home) with their parents is to help them transition toward being adults who are fully functioning members of the church. But most middle and high school students still need some translation and help connecting what they're learning to their lives. We want our sermons to be accessible, but they aren't specifically targeted toward the transitional teenage years.

- **Parents go first** - What's one area of life that you wish you could change, but there's really nothing practical that you can do?
- **Read 1 Timothy 2:1** - In light of what we learned about the law and the gospel last week, why do you think prayer is the "first of all" or most important thing that Paul points Timothy to?
- **Read 1 Timothy 2:2** - How do you see people responding to political leaders (positively or negatively)? How is prayer different and better than putting too much hope or too much hate toward our political leaders?
- **Read 1 Timothy 2:3-6** - Why is prayer the most important thing we can do when it comes to Jesus saving people?
- **Pray:** Spend some time praying together.
 - Pray for things in the world that you want to change but there's nothing you can do.
 - Pray for leaders who are faced with difficult decisions and tons of pressure.
 - Pray for salvation and for Jesus' kingdom to advance - friends, family members and leaders.