NOTES

Scripture Refs

2 Pet. 2:1,14; 3:11,14–18; Rom. 10:3; Gal. 2:11–13; Heb. 2:1

Matt. 7:24–27 12:24; 5:16; John 14:6; 17:17; 1 Cor. 6:3; 10:31; 2 Cor. 12:7–9

Phil. 4:13; Jude 1:20; 1 Pet. 2:2

Reflection & Discussion

- 1. How does (should) the doctrine of the *imminent* return of Jesus affect the life of a Christian?
 - a. What things of this world distract us from living a life of *urgency*?
 - b. How do you overcome those disctractions?
- 2. Peter exhorts believers to not be "carried away" with false doctrine:
 - a. Where else in the Bible are we told to beware of false teaching/teachers?
 - b. What are *best practices* for God's people to ensure that they remain grounded in truth?
- 3. In 2 Peter 3:18 Peter calls on Christians to "grow in grace and knowledge"
 - a. If a new believer asked you to explain his meaning, what would you say?
 - b. Discuss how you grow in these important areas; also, what might *hinder* your growth?
- 4. Have an open discussion on what it means to *glorify God*.