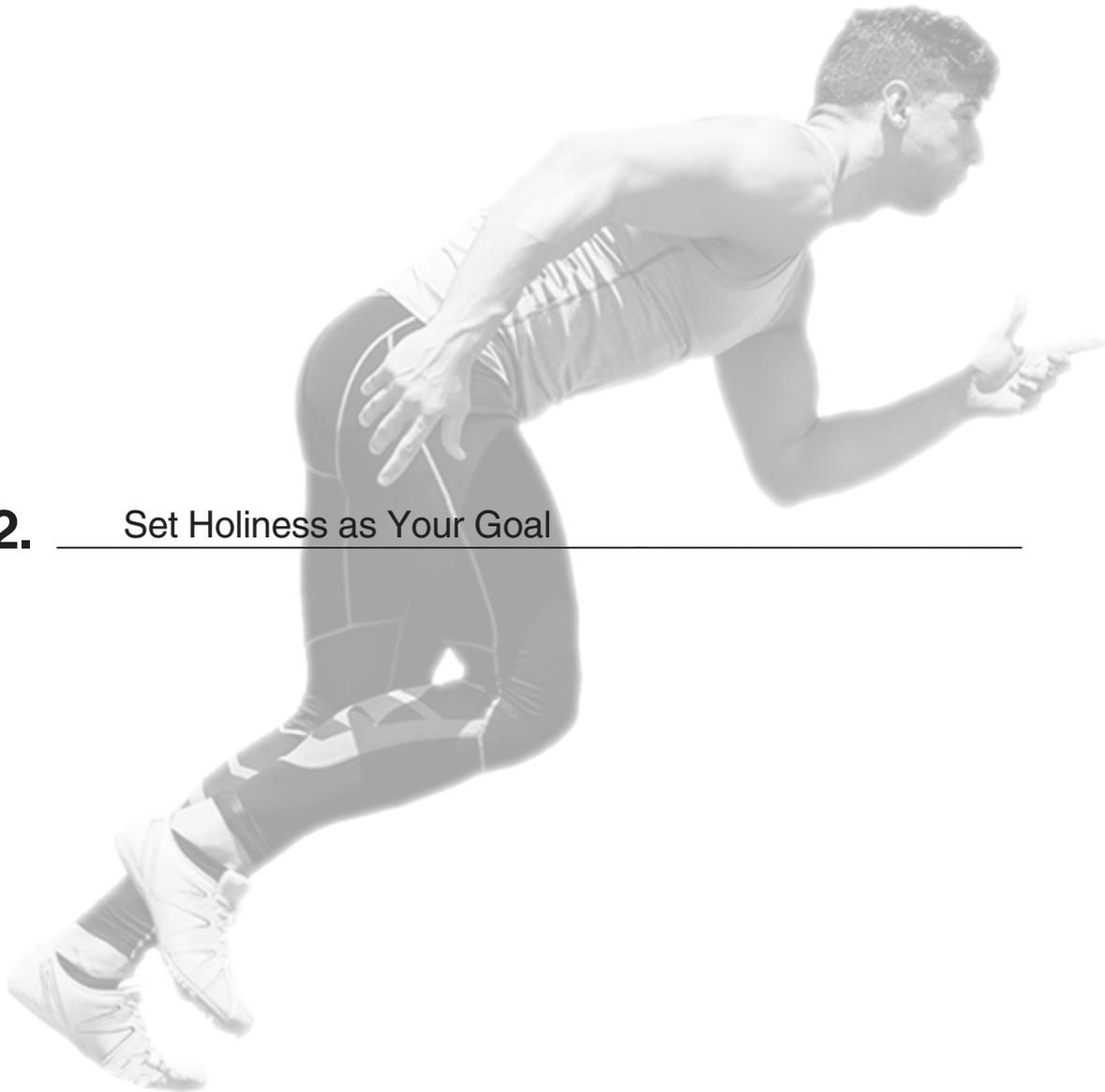


Training Time

“ How to Train in Godliness ”

1. Be Intentional About Your Intake

2. Set Holiness as Your Goal



Grow Group Discussion Questions

A grow group is 8-16 people who get together weekly to study God's word and the previous Sunday's message. There is a time of discussion, support, encouragement, and learning how the message applies to daily life. **PCC uses the ESV (English Standard Version).**

HOW DO I JOIN A GROUP?

To learn more or join a group, visit pacificcoastchurch.org/gg/ or sign up at the patio Info Kiosk.

GROW GROUPS ARE CURRENTLY ON NEW YEAR'S BREAK

Daily Devotions

These are provided for mid-week personal spiritual growth. Prayerfully writing out your answers will help you experience real life transformation as you dig deeper into the spiritual truths of God's word and today's message. A downloadable PDF of this document is also available each week at pacificcoastchurch.org/sermons.

MONDAY // Read 1 Timothy 4:6-10, 2 Timothy 3:10-17

- Why did Paul tell Timothy that godliness would hold promise for this life, then tell him he'd be persecuted for it?
- Do you feel you have pursued godliness in your life? If not, why not? Have you ever been persecuted for it?
- What does persecution for godliness look like in our culture? Would you be willing to endure it?

TUESDAY // Read Titus 2:11-15, Matthew 16:24-27

- From the passage in Titus, what are our lives supposed to look like? How does yours look similar/dissimilar?
- What did Jesus mean by "take up your cross?" Can that happen partially? What did it mean for Jesus?
- When we become disciples, we commit to a journey towards godliness. How can you be faithful in that journey?

WEDNESDAY // Read 2 Peter 1:3-11

- What does it mean that we've become partakers in the divine nature? How can reflecting on that truth help?
- Read the list of qualities. Pick one or two that you need to grow in and ask God to help you develop those.
- How does lacking those qualities make one unfruitful? Is your spiritual life fruitful? Why or why not?

THURSDAY // Read 1 Peter 1:3-23

- What are some ways that our faith can be tested (v 7)? What's the desired outcome of that testing?
- Verse 13 reminds us to be sober-minded and prepared for action. What are some things that dull you?
- Why does verse 17 instruct us to conduct our lives with fear? Is there good fear and bad? What drives you?

FRIDAY // Read Ephesians 4:17-32, Galatians 5:13-26

- These passages talk about the "old self" and "flesh." What are these? How do they still plague believers/you?
- How do you grieve the Holy Spirit in your life? In what ways do you grow in the Spirit?
- Do you see the fruit of the Spirit in your life? If not, focus on one or two, and ask God to grow them in you.

SATURDAY // Read Matthew 6:19-21, Luke 6:22-23, 1 Corinthians 3:10-15

- How can the idea of rewards in heaven help you to correctly prioritize your life? Do they? Why or why not?
- In light of these passages, what has your life been focused upon, and how can you invest more wisely?
- What are some specific ways you can invest in eternity? What will you do starting this week?

MEDITATION VERSE: *"Train yourself for godliness; for while bodily training is of some value, godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come."* 1 Timothy 4:7b-8