

Series: Faith in the Fire, # 7

Love One Another Deeply

1 Peter 1:22-25, 2:1-3

Imagine you visited a refugee camp, full of people displaced by persecution, and had opportunity to speak to them: what message would you give?

Look at Peter's themes from today passage, and ponder whether you would address these subjects with people who are suffering?

1) Love

2) Mortality

3) Purity

4) Maturity

Read **John 21:15-17**, interaction between Jesus and Peter, which likely serves as background for Peter's statement here regarding growing in love for one another.

Examine your heart as we gather around the Lord's Table for Communion this morning – **1 Corinthians 11:28**

Say a prayer something like this:

Lord, help me to grow in love for you, and for others, don't let me be satisfied with shallow, superficial friendship

Lord, help me recognize I am mortal, and your Word is eternal

Lord, help me eliminate from my life the sins that militate against love

Lord, help me pursue you like a baby craves nourishment

Lord...