Title: "Power of Scripture"

Scripture: 2 Timothy 3:14-17

Key Words: Scripture – Holy word of God, the Bible

Learn – to know and understand in one's heart

Study – to take time to dig into the word, to apply it to one's life

Introduction:

Paul sending a letter to Timothy so that he could be further equipped as a leader, as he went out to serve and instruct others throughout the Asian region.

Scripture Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14-17

Big Idea: Today we want to explain four key points that Paul wanted Timothy to clearly know and understand concerning the word of God.

Context or Background: Timothy was like a son to Paul. He wanted to stick close to the Word of God and as a leader and teacher train and equip others also for the work of service.

Outline:

I Scripture – we need to learn

Verse 14

- Study on going daily process
- One needs to be assured of and have Faith in the complete Word of God.

II Scripture – makes you wise

Verse 15

- Learn from grandmother and mother
- Scripture is HOLY
- Wise to salvation

III Scripture – given and inspired by God

Verse 16

- Profitable for doctrine organized teaching
- Profitable for reproof discipline for maturity
- Profitable for correction walking the right way and direction
- Profitable for instruction to give understanding leading to action

IV Scripture – makes us complete and equipped Verse 17

- Ready for life
- Ready for service

Conclusion:

Review the main key points.

If you do these four things concerning Scripture and apply them to your walk with God, He will empower you for service.