**Outline of 2 Peter –**

1. Greetings v1-2
2. The Development of Faith 1:3-21
3. The Denouncing of False Teachers 2:1-22
4. The Design of the Future 3:1-18

**Last Week Review!**

**So my faith in God needs to be develop!**

• God is calling all Christians in V5-7 to take their faith to a greater level by learning what faith means!

• We learn what Love means in 1 Cor. 13…

• We learn what the fruit of the Spirit means in Gal. 5:22-23

1 Pet. 1:5-7

1. Virtue – My Will to Excel

2. Knowledge – My will to learn

3. Temperance – My Will to say no

4. Patience – My will to Trust

5. Godliness – My will to say yes

6. Brotherly kindness – My will to help

7. Charity – My will to love

**Last week we learned how to build our faith by adding to our already present faith!**

**This week we will learn that Peter wants us to continue to develop our faith by remembering a few things!**

**Faith is like a Muscle!**

* What is needed to build Faith?
* Daily workout! - Daily Remembrance

**Remember These Things v12**

* What is remembering?
* Why is it important?
* How do we remember?
* What did the OT believers do to remember?

**Remembering helps us not forget what God is able to do!**

* Deut. 7:18 “Thou shalt not be afraid of them: but shalt well remember what the LORD thy God did unto Pharaoh, and unto all Egypt;

**8 Things Paul wants us to remember so that our faith grows in the Lord Jesus! V10-21**

1. V10- 11 Paul challenges the Believer to know if their Salvation in Christ is a sure thing! Can you remember the time and place of your Salvation?
2. V12 Paul always said to the church over and over Gospel Truth!
3. V13 Paul saw value in making sure the church Fully Understood the truth
4. V14 Paul didn’t shy away from death but embraced leaving this evil world to go to God’s Pure Heaven real soon!
5. V15 Paul comes back a repeats what he just said in verse 12 about remember!
6. V16 Paul encouraged **us to know** the Apostles and Disciples of the Lord Jesus! Who is your favorite disciple of Jesus and Why?

**-Know their fruits**- Mat 7:16 “Ye shall know them by their fruits…”

**-Know their faith-** 1 Thess. 5:12 “And we beseech you, brethren, to know them which labour among you, and are over you in the Lord, and admonish you;

**-Know their following**- Jhn 10:27 “My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me:

1. V17-18 Paul encourages us to remember the Lord’s Transfiguration- When the disciples saw the Lord’s Divine Glory with the Father! Remember that the Lord Jesus is God in the flesh John 1:1 and That the Lord Jesus is the only way to the Father John 14:6 and lastly that Jesus is Lord and Savior of our souls! 2 Pet 1:1
2. V19-21 Paul lastly tells us to remember the written Word of God and to Use it and Know it, for it is the Words of God to us for life and godliness!

-2 Peter 1:3 “According as his divine power hath given unto us all things that pertain unto life and godliness, through the knowledge of him that hath called us to glory and virtue:

**Let’s Rejoice in God’s Goodness!**

**God Remembers His Covenant with us!**

* Gen. 9:15 “ And I will remember my covenant, which is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall no more become a flood to destroy all flesh.
* What will happened if God didn’t remember?
* Are you thankful that the Lord is a Wonderful God that Uses His Remembrance to love us and show grace and favor on us?
* And should we also do our very best to use our remembrance to Obey and Stand Faithful to the Lord?

**God’s Commands to remember the Lord’s Day**

* Exo 20:8 Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy.

**Moses Told Israel to remember the past!**

* Exo 13:3 And Moses said unto the people, Remember this day, in which ye came out from Egypt, out of the house of bondage; for by strength of hand the LORD brought you out from this place: there shall no leavened bread be eaten.