

1 THESSALONIANS "Being Contagious" 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 February 7, 2021 AM Service

1. The Dedication Vs 1-2

2. Dedication of my faith Vs 3

- a) A working faith
- b) A laboring love
- c) An enduring hope

3. Depth of my faith Vs 4

- a) I am beloved by God
- b) I am chosen by God

4. Display of my faith Vs 5

- a) By His Spirit
- b) By His power
- c) By His conviction

5. Duplication of my faith - Discipleship Vs 6

- a) Imitate the Lord Jesus
- b) Imitate other followers of Jesus

6. Declaration of my faith Vs 7-8

- a) The People Example
- b) The Place Everywhere

7. Direction of my faith Vs 9-10

- a) Repenting of sin
- b) Serving the living and true God
- c) Waiting & looking

Our Response:

- 1. Do the times we are living in seem shaky to you? Why or why not? How have they shaken you?
- 2. How would you describe your faith to someone? What would it look like for you to have a working faith? A laboring love? An enduring hope?
- 3. What difference does it or should it make in your life that you are chosen and beloved by God? What does that mean for you?
- 4. When you see the words "imitate me as I imitate Jesus..." how does that make you feel? Can others follow your life and pattern and find Jesus? What changes might need to take place for that to happen?
- 5. What would it look like for word to spread about what the Lord was doing in and through Petal FBC? How can your faith be contagious in the lives of others?
- 6. Have you given your heart and life to Christ Jesus? Can you see evidence of that in your life described here in 1:9-10? Share that experience...