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*“The Baptist Church of Franklin exists to make **more** and **better** followers of Jesus Christ.”* — BCF Membership Binder

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. —Galatians 5:22-23a

- Imagine you had to describe the Apostle Peter to someone who had never heard of him. How would you do so? What would your description say about God’s relationship with human beings?

- What were the social and political conditions these churches faced as a result of their conversion to Christianity? Compare and contrast this with our own situation today.

- How might it affect the attitudes of Peter’s audience to know they “have been chosen according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, through the sanctifying work of the Spirit, for obedience to Jesus Christ and sprinkling by his blood”?