

**The Heart of a Faithful Church  
Paul's Prayer for the Faithful Church  
I Thessalonians 3**

Three Themes

The \_\_\_\_\_ v.11

Faith v.10-22

Love v.13

Hope v.13

My Response:

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Discussion Questions**

***Weekly Memory Verse: "may the Lord cause you to increase and abound in love for one another, and for all people" I Thess 3:12***

How are faith, hope, and love working individually and collectively in your life as a disciple of Jesus Christ? I Cor. 13

Stop and spend a few minutes praying that God would increase these three virtues in your life by His sovereign grace and the work of Holy Spirit within you.

As you learn the deeper character of God how is your faith (you ability to act on your belief) changing?

How are you responding to the supernatural work of God to love the people closest to you?

How is your hope in Christ allowing you to face the adversity of the world and perhaps even the persecution of the world?

Paul does not pray for safety or deliverance, instead he prays for faith, hope and love to abound. Why is safety so important to us and not so important to Paul?