

# bridgeway GROUPS

## **BIBLE READING PLAN:**

Join us for the 1 Thessalonians three week Bible Reading Plan! See all the options for signing up on our website: [bridgewaycommunity.org](http://bridgewaycommunity.org)

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## **DISCUSSION GUIDE:**

**May 11 - Ron Aulbach**

“Strengthen Your Heart”

**LIFE:** What is your experience with baby dedication?

### **ENGAGE THE MESSAGE:**

1. **Read 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8.**
2. What problems result in the town of Thessalonica because of people choosing to follow Jesus?
3. How do you personally get stronger physically?
4. What tests/trials have you gone through that made you stronger spiritually? Share an example.
5. Paul sees the Church as his family. In what ways would Paul feel like a mother towards the readers? Why would he also feel like a father?
6. How can you move from being bitter to better?
7. When you think of God, do you have faith like a child?

**MAKE DISCIPLES:** Are there one or two people in the church that know you best? Do you see a family dynamic with your church family? Think of practical ways to strengthen relationships and strengthen hearts.