

My Sermon Notes

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Series Title: _____

Speaker today: _____

Metaphor-time!

A metaphor is a word picture - it helps us understand something!

Look at these verses from the bible. Underline the metaphor words *hint there are 5 metaphors here!

1Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, 2 fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith.



Draw-it!

Draw a picture to represent this verse!

Bonus!

What metaphor did Pastor Andrew use today...something to do with ham and cheese...send us a note and we will send you candy in the mail!

Three things we can do while we're running this race (life):

1. _____ of distractions

What are we supposed to throw off?

Is there something that isn't bad or sinful but is stopping you from running after Jesus?

2. Make _____ and discerning _____

If you had to run across the field at school or run all the way to church from your house, what would change? For me I'd probably just wear my boots for a quick run but I'd need way better running shoes for a long run. How about for you?

3. Pursue the ultimate _____

What's the longest you've had to wait for something? Was it worth it?

What things might distract a runner on a long race?

Baptism thoughts!

Baptism is showing everyone the decision that you've already made in your heart! Going under the water represents dying (being lowered and buried) to your old life and coming up is starting your new life in Jesus! It very symbolic. When we see baptism, we remember the things that happened at Easter (death and resurrection). Just like when we see a symbol or a logo we are reminded of it's meaning!