

## **Rekindle the Flame**

## Fall 2023

Women's Ministry – Women's Activities



The Oakwood Women's Fall Conference 2023 was a blessed day for all those in attendance and many women requested full notes from our speaker, Rachel Moffett. Below is a sketch of her presentation, and her full notes are available in the Stone Lobby.

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In Paul's last letter to Timothy, Paul is encouraging Timothy to **stand firm in the faith**. (2 Timothy 1:1-10)

I. Paul wants Timothy to Remember His Salvation (1:5).

II. Paul wants Timothy to Remember God Has Gifted Him With Sincere Faith (1:6).

- What can smother the fire? (Willful sin; Self-focus; Neglect; Fear; "I Can't" Thinking; Unbelief; Isolation)
- **How do we fan the embers?** (Obedience; Repentance; Exercising the gifts; Relying on God's power; Serving the Lord; Keeping the right focus)
- III. God is present and will enable us to endure challenges of life.
- Replace fear with trust in
  - a. God's power
  - b. God's love
  - c. God's peace
  - d. God's resources
  - e. God's Holy Spirit
  - God-given endowments
    - a. Saved by God (Gospel)
    - b. Kept by God
    - c. Enabled by God
    - d. Future home with God

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