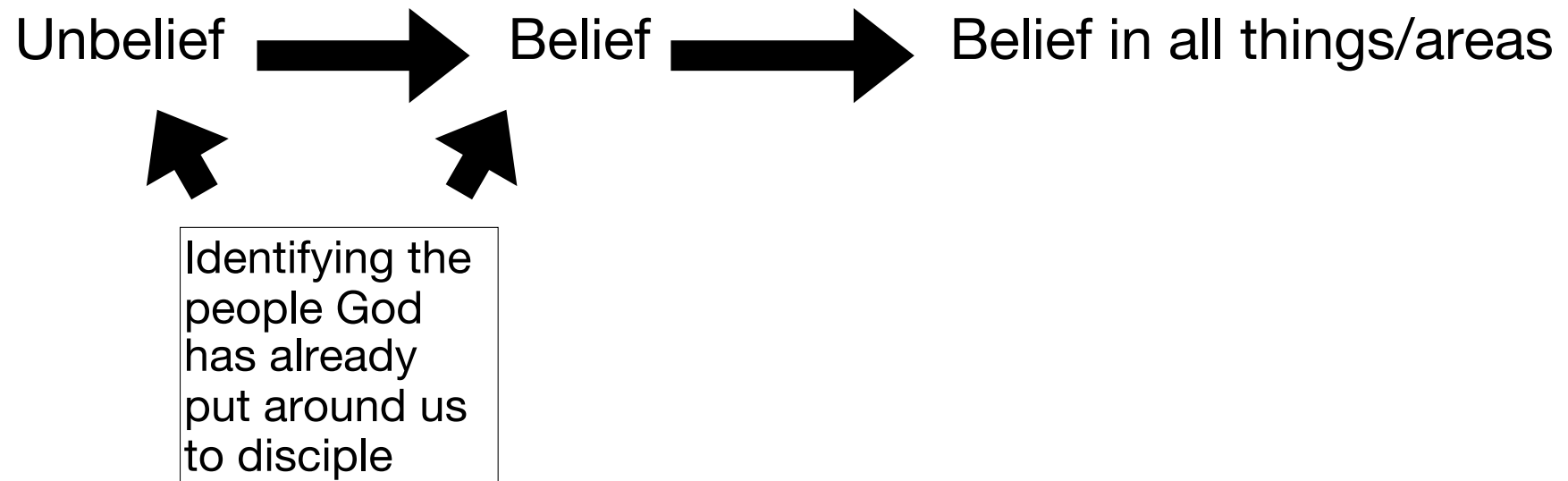


Discipling Disciples

Hebrews 3:12-14

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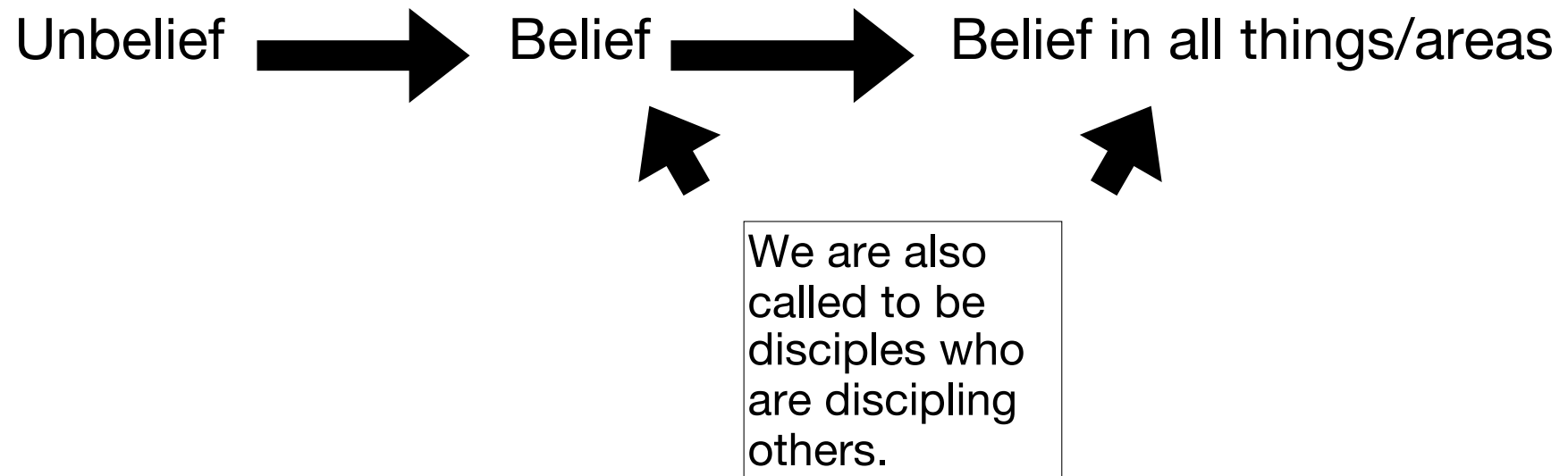
Discipling Disciples

Pray for the people who God has placed in your life to disciple.

Discipling Disciples

- Take out your phones.
- Text one of your people:
 - A word of encouragement
 - Inviting them to grab lunch, coffee, etc sometime this week.
 - A follow up to something they shared. “I hope....is going well for you.”

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- Encourage one another daily.
 - Greek here is a stronger word than what we often mean by encourage. It's closer to exhort.
 - To exhort is to encourage, push, call people to persist, preserve in a particular direction.
 - Paul most often uses the word exhort to call believers to pursue the life of faith- to live out what they have learned.
- In Heb 10 we are invited to spur one another on to love and good deeds.

Discipling Disciples

- Ways we can disciple other disciples while growing in our own faith:
- Using our gifts to serve the community.
 - All have at least one gift.
 - Given to build up the community in faith.
 - What is holding you back from using your gift?

Discipling Disciples

- Using our gifts
 - Is one way we love each other, God, and help the church accomplish its mission of making disciples.
 - Helps us connect to the community in deeper ways
 - Helps us grow in our faithfulness and trustworthiness.
 - We make our faith our own instead of what someone else said or we read.
- As we use our gift we develop and strengthen it too.

Discipling Disciples

- Where can you use your gift(s)?
- Children's ministry
- Youth ministry
- Young adult ministry
- HOPE/small groups (hosting and leading)
- Hospitality
- Usher/Greeter

Discipling Disciples

Where can you use your gift(s)?

- Children's ministry
- Youth ministry
- College/Young adult ministry
- HOPE/small groups (hosting and leading)
- Hospitality
- Usher/Greeter
- Worship- voice and instrument
- Back house- slides, sound, camera
- IT
- Maintenance
- Sunday Service Prayer

Discipling Disciples

- Seeing every friendship/relationship as a place to make disciples
 - Spouses discipling each other.
 - Parents discipling kids
 - Kids discipling parents.
 - Friends discipling friends.
- Asking questions, encouraging them to serve, praying for them, noticing what God is doing in them.

Discipling Disciples

- Who is discipling you?
- Someone is discipling you? You've given influence over your life and faith to someone. Do you know who it is?
 - Is it someone whose goal is to help you become a more mature disciple who makes disciples?
 - Is it to love God more and people more?
 - Is it to surrender and serve everyone around you?
 - Is it to be more like Jesus?

Discipling Disciples

- Who and how are you discipling the people here at HOPE?
- How are you using your gift(s)?
- How are you discipling those around you- spouses, kids, friends?
- Who is discipling you? Who has influence over your faith?
Who will you listen to?

Discipling Disciples

- When it comes to using our gifts here:
 - Contact the point person/pastor. Ask me if you're not sure who.
 - Shadow someone in the ministry for a couple weeks.
 - Commit to serve for 1 year.
- Show up faithfully and consistently.
- Watch for what God does in and through you.

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