



TIM AYERS' FINAL MESSAGE AS TEACHING PASTOR

After nearly 40 years in ministry, our beloved Teaching Pastor, Tim Ayers is retiring. Tim and his wife, Jennifer, have been foundational in both the formation of Grace Church in 1991 and who Grace Church is today. Tim has faithfully led us in discovering the depth of the Word of God through his preaching and teaching, challenging us to grow in our faith and be more like Christ.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Share your favorite memories of Pastor Tim Ayers.
2. Read [Mark 5:21-43](#).
 - a. Compare and contrast the two people that Jesus healed, and their circumstances.
 - b. Tim talked about the world behind the text of this passage. What cultural implications were there for each situation - the bleeding woman and the dead girl?
 - c. How did Jesus give the woman and the girl more than just physical healing? Why is this significant?
 - d. What stands out to you as important about this particular day or couple of days in Jesus' life?
3. How is this passage relevant to our lives?
4. Tim said that his calling and his joy has been bringing light to the scripture and bringing life to individuals. In what ways have you witnessed these things?
5. How has Tim's teaching challenged you over the years?