



Sermon Outline
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Reaching the Next Generation

Biblical Examples

“Israel served the Lord throughout the lifetime of Joshua and the elders who outlived him and who had experienced everything the Lord had done for Israel.” - **Josh. 24:31**

“After that whole generation had been gathered to their fathers, another generation grew up, who knew neither the Lord nor what he had done for Israel.” - **Judges 2:10**

Two Common Myths

1. The handoff of faith happens _____.
The reality: It only happens with _____.
2. The handoff of faith is only for _____.
The reality: Everyone is called to _____.

5 Practices for the Next Generation of Disciples - (From *Faith for Exiles*, Kinnaman and Matlock)

1. To form a _____ identity, experience _____ with Jesus.
2. In a complex and anxious age, develop the muscles of _____ discernment.
3. When isolation and mistrust are the norms, forge meaningful, _____ relationships.

4. To ground and motivate an ambitious generation, train for _____ discipleship.
5. Curb entitlement and self-centered tendencies by engaging in _____.

Practice #3 _____ Relationships

Hyper connectivity actually creates greater _____.

“While our screens provide a plethora of opportunities to connect, we’re spending more and more of our hours in digital bubbles, rarely interacting in a meaningful way with real human beings.” – Kinnaman

New Ministry at ACC:

GenLink: Linking Generations – Transforming Futures

Helpful Resources in Understanding the Next Gen.

- *Faith for Exiles* by Mark Kinnaman & Mark Matlock
- *The Coddling of the American Mind* by Lukianoff & Haidt

Parents or Grandparents

- *iGen: Why Today’s Super-Connected Kids Are Growing Up Less Rebellious, More Tolerant, Less Happy—and Completely Unprepared for Adulthood—and What That Means for the Rest of Us* by Jean M. Twenge
- *Screens and Teens* by Kathy Koch

Additional Notes:
