



## **Introduction:**

Summer means warm weather, road trips, and summer reading. Don't think of it as the required reading of your high school days, but think of it as an invitation to find hope, fullness, confidence, & drive. We'll take a look at what two New Testament writers had to say about living out our faith.

## **Scripture:**

*And now, just as you accepted Christ Jesus as your Lord, you must continue to follow him. Let your roots grow down into him, and let your lives be built on him. Then your faith will grow strong in the truth you were taught, and you will overflow with thankfulness.*

—Colossians 2:6-7



## Discussion Questions:

1. Do you look at the menu before you go to a restaurant? Do you walk in knowing what you are going to order, or do you like to wait and see what sounds good when you arrive?
2. Where does your worst thinking come from? Where does it take you? How do you get out of patterns of poor thinking?
3. Are there people in your life who know more about Jesus than you do? How does that relationship benefit you?
4. What are you doing to help your roots grow down deep? How can we help you with that?
5. Do you trust God? What would it take for you to be able to answer "yes" to that question?