GROWTH GROUP QUESTIONS WEEK OF JUNE 14, 2020 1 THESSALONIANS 2:1-13 J. Richards THE HOME THAT GRACE BUILDS

Take a little time to review this week's sermon. Using your sermon notes and your Bible, answer the following questions before the group meeting. Write out your answers so you'll feel more comfortable sharing them with the group. Have a great time!

I. Getting to Know You

How did you experience God working in your life this week? How can we pray for you?

II. Digging Deeper

1. Why is it important to declare the gospel despite opposition (verses 1-2)? Is that important in a home?

2. How important is the idea of seeking to please God *alone* with our lives (verses 4,6)? How does that approach affect our other relationships?

3. Discuss the relationship between gentleness and strength in our efforts to guide others (verses 7,11-12).

- 4. Identify the 3 ways training was given in verse 12. Discuss the importance of each and how they work together.
- 5. To what has God called us according to verse 12? Is that only for the future (heaven)?

6. How important is it to recognize God's guidance despite the channel He uses (verse 13)?

III. Making it Personal

- 7. What truth from this week's study stood out to you most?
- 8. Suggest 2 or 3 ways we can make our relationships more grace-based.

IV. Prayer