

Wheelersburg Baptist Church 4/26/2026

Hebrews 6:1-3 “It’s Time to Stop Living on Milk” part two

Series: “*Rest in the Son – An Exposition of Hebrews 3-6*”

I. We need to face the _____ of spiritual immaturity (5:11-14).

A. We are given some _____ of immaturity (11-13).

B. We are given some _____ of maturity (14).

II. We need to get involved in the _____ of spiritual maturity (6:1-3).

A. We need a good _____ foundation.

1. It’s vital to understand _____ and faith.
2. It’s vital to understand about _____ and laying on of hands.
3. It’s vital to understand about the coming _____ and judgment.

B. We need more than a good _____.

C. We need to be moving towards _____.

1. Spiritual growth doesn’t happen _____.
2. Spiritual growth requires _____.
3. Spiritual growth occurs by God’s _____ and for God’s _____.

The Bottom Line: God intends for His children to grow up and resemble His Son!

1. Are there things in our lives that are _____ our spiritual growth?
2. Are there things _____ from our lives that are necessary for spiritual growth?
3. Are we serious about God’s _____ for our lives?

Community Group Discussion:

1. This morning we finished a two-part message from Hebrews 5:11-6:3, “*It’s Time to Stop Living on the Milk.*” After reading the passage again, discuss what was happening in the lives of the people who first read this letter we call Hebrews. What does the writer mean when he refers to “milk”? To “solid food”?

2. In Hebrews 6:1 the writer gives an interesting command. He says, “Let us leave the elementary doctrine of Christ.” What does he mean by “elementary doctrine”? What examples does he give?

3. Also in verse 1, the writer identifies a second responsibility. He says we are to “go on to maturity”. What does it take for a Christian to mature? What happens if a Christian doesn’t mature?

4. In this morning’s message we considered the statement, “Spiritual growth doesn’t happen automatically but requires intentionality.” What does the word “intentionality” mean? What has God used in your life to help you grow in your relationship with Christ?

5. Prayer is vital at all times including when we study God’s Word. Redeemed people *pray the Word*. Before we close our Bibles and move on with life, let’s have a purposeful, unrushed season of prayer as a community group. Have someone offer a prayer of thanksgiving for what we’ve learned today. Have others bring petitions to the Lord regarding needed application.