

Small Group Study Notes

Luke: The Source of Our Strength Luke 22:7-38

Can you think of a time in your life when you were "unprepared?"

Our passage on Sunday was from Luke 22:39-46. Although the disciples were commanded to "pray" they just couldn't seem to keep their eyes open. Make a short list to share of the things that can distract you from concentrating in prayer.

(see if any of you have the same items on your list)

Read 1 Peter 4:7

- 1. Can you identify the 2 commands that lead to the "so that" in verse 7? What does Peter command you to be? Explain them in your own words?
- 2. How do you think these two commands will help the believer to "pray?"
- 3. In what way does the phrase "the end of all things is near..." motivate these two commands?
- 4. How can YOU make a commitment to be more "clear-minded" and "self-controlled" for the purpose of prayer? What benefit will it have for your life? What benefit will it have for your church?