

2 Corinthians 10

June 14, 2026

Discussion Questions

Opening

1. Welcome each person by name
2. Ask each person to briefly introduce themselves if they have not done so
3. Then invite each person to give one word (or two) to describe how they are feeling right now
4. Pray for the Holy Spirit to guide your discussion

Warm-up Question (optional)

Describe an experience you've had when someone criticized you

Describe an experience when your weakness was turned to strength by God's power

Reading

1. Invite one person to read through 2 Corinthians 10 slowly
2. Invite another person to read through 2 Corinthians 10:1-12 slowly
3. Invite another person to read through 2 Corinthians 10:13-18 slowly
4. Give the group 2 minutes to reflect silently on the 2 Corinthians 10
5. Invite the group together to read through all of 2 Corinthians 10 loud (even if in different translations!)

Discussion: Feel free to select one or two or more questions

- What argument does Paul make to defend his apostolic authority?
- Why did apostolic authority matter in Corinth?
- Is there an equivalent apostolic authority in the church today? In Restoration Fellowship?
- How would you explain v.6 to a ten year old?
- What spiritual weapons are you unfamiliar with using (v.4-5, Ephesians 6:10-20)?
- If Paul wanted to preach the gospel in "lands beyond you" (v.16), then what implication does that have for our mission today given that there are churches today in almost every nation on earth?
- What similarities exist between Jeremiah and Paul's ministry e.g., Jeremiah 1:10, 9:23-26, 39:15-18, 45:1-5?
- If someone has criticized or insulted you recently, how might 2 Cor 10 help you understand how to *respond* to them rather than to merely *react* to them?

Prayer: 15 minutes before the end of the meeting

- Invite people to share specific areas of praise or thanksgiving to the Lord

- Invite people to share particular prayer needs
- Invite people to pray openly
- Close with the Lord's Prayer together