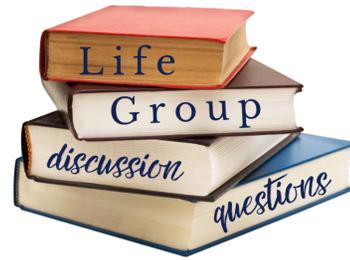


## OPENING DISCUSSION

What is the difference between trying to grow as a person and trying to be who other people want you to be?



## SERMON

How do malice, deceit, hypocrisy, envy, and all slander get in the way of identity? What is the alternative?

What does Peter mean by the comparison between our identity in Christ and the need to be like an infant?

What is the result of our association with Jesus? What does it mean to be “a spiritual house” and “a holy priesthood?” What does this have to do with our identity?

How does Christ’s identity impact our own identity?

According to Peter, what is the purpose of our identity?

What does it mean that we were once not a people? How do we gain our identity in Christ?

## APPLICATION

Have you ever tried to be someone you are not? What is that like?

From where do you gain your identity? Is it from Jesus or something else in the world?

How does your relationship with Jesus impact your own identity?

Have you been changed by Jesus’ identity? How? What is different about you because of Jesus?

How should your new identity impact the way you live your life?

How can you start living out your sure identity in Christ starting today?

Not a part of a Life Group at North Hills?

Visit the church website and check out the different groups currently meeting.

When you see one that interests you, click on the link provided and know that the group will be glad you came!

<https://church.north-hills.org/connect/small-group-ministry>

# THIS SUMMER AT NORTH HILLS UNSHAKEABLE

*1 Peter*

**June 19**

**FAITH IN FAITHLESS TIMES**

**1 PETER 1:1-12**

**June 26**

**HOLINESS IN HARDSHIP**

**1 PETER 1:13-25**

**July 3**

**CONFIDENT IDENTITY**

**1 PETER 2:1-10**

**July 10**

**A LIFE OF INTEGRITY**

**1 PETER 2:11-25**

**July 17**

**ANCHORED AT HOME**

**1 PETER 3:1-7**

**July 24**

**COUNTERCULTURE**

**1 PETER 3:8-22**

**July 31**

**FAMILY TIES**

**1 PETER 4:1-11**

**August 7**

**HOPEFUL ENDURANCE**

**1 PETER 4:12-19**

**August 14**

**GODLY LEADERSHIP**

**1 PETER 5:1-14**

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Summer Sermon Series: Unshakeable

## *Confident Identity*

1 Peter 2:1-10

### **BIG IDEA:**

Lean into your \_\_\_\_\_.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ trying to be someone you're \_\_\_\_\_. (1 Peter 2:1-3)

2. \_\_\_\_\_ your identity in \_\_\_\_\_. (1 Peter 2:4-8)

3. Be a \_\_\_\_\_ of something bigger than \_\_\_\_\_.  
(1 Peter 2:9-10)

### **RESPONSE:**

Are you \_\_\_\_\_ in light of your confident \_\_\_\_\_?



### Opening in the school office

We are now accepting applications from individuals who want to work as an Administrative Assistant at North Hills Christian School. To apply, go to north-hills.org, look under the Welcome tab, and select Employment Opportunities.

### Outdoor Children's Ministry on Sunday mornings

Parents and guardians, we ask that you go to the **main entrance** of the Worship Center to check your child in. After service, please go to the Preschool Playground in a timely fashion to check your child out. While our Sunday morning Children's Worship is designed for children, it is not mandatory children attend. Parents and guardians are welcome to keep their children with them in the Worship Center if they prefer.

### The FAMILY ROOM

***Want a place to go during the worship service when your young one is crying?***

***Want a place to go when your newborn needs to be fed?***

***Want a place to go where the service can be watched?***

***The Family Room has been designed especially for you!***

The Family Room (located on the first floor by the wooden double doors) is for parents who want to care for their children yet do not want to miss out on what is happening in the Worship Center. Parents, we invite you to come inside and make yourself at home.

We also have another room for parents. It is located on the second floor. It is a larger room where children can play and parents can watch the service as it is live streamed. The room next door has a restroom. Please feel free to use it and let us know if there is anything you need.

Parents, we are so glad you are here at North Hills. It is an honor and joy to serve you and your children. May God bless you today.

### Communication Cards and Offering Envelopes

At the **main entrance** and **senior parking lot entrance** of the Worship Center, you will find special new boxes when you leave today. If you have filled out a Communication Card or Offering Envelope, please insert them into either of the boxes (please note the boxes will remain out for 15 minutes after the service). For those who prefer to contribute online, simply go to north-hills.org and click on Support NH or text GIVE to (707) 289-7600.

**Read the entire Bible chronologically in a year**

See the church newsletter for this week's Bible reading passages.

<https://church.north-hills.org/newsletters/weekly-newsletter>