

The Pastoral and Catholic Epistles

With your group, discuss questions A through D and complete the column corresponding to your group. During the class discussion, use the other columns to take notes on the findings that the other groups report.

	Group 1: 1 Timothy	Group 2: 2 Timothy & Titus	Group 3: James & Jude	Group 4: 1 & 2 Peter	Group 5: 1, 2, & 3 John
A. What is one way in which this selection is similar to one or more of the Pauline Letters—for example, in content, format, or tone?					
B. What is one way in which this selection is different from the Pauline Letters?					



C. What is one problem or issue in the early Christian community to which the author or authors of this selection are responding? What solution or advice regarding this problem is offered?					
D. What is one quote from this selection that you believe to be particularly relevant to our lives of faith today?					

