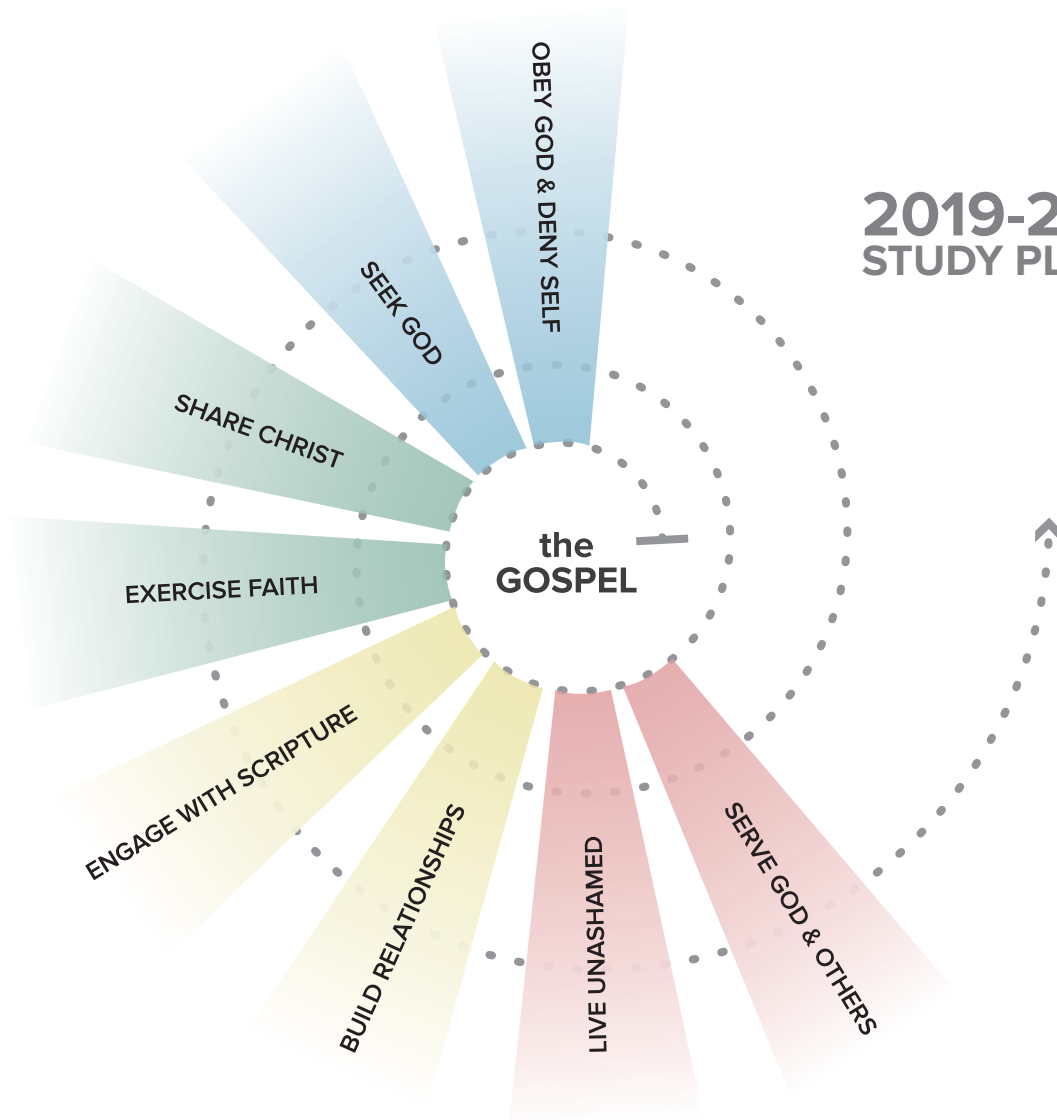


2019-20 STUDY PLAN



FALL

Simplicity: Finding Contentment in a Busy Life
How to Know God's Will

WINTER

Answers to Tough Questions: Defending What You Believe
When Life Gets Hard: Big Questions About Pain & Suffering

SPRING

Holy Vocabulary
Dealing with Messy Relationships

SUMMER

Living with Hope in a Broken World
Why Do I Need the Church?

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DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Obey God & Deny Self	Simplicity: Finding Contentment in a Busy Life	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
9/1/2019	A Centered Life	Matthew 6:25-34
9/8/2019	A Daily Pursuit	Philippians 4:4-9
9/15/2019	The Key to Contentment	Philippians 4:10-20
9/22/2019	Godly Contentment	1 Timothy 6:6-11, 17-19
9/29/2019	A Slower Pace	Exodus 20:8-11; 31:12-17
10/6/2019	Uncomplicated Relationships	1 Thessalonians 4: 3-12

DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Seeking God	How to Know God's Will	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
10/13/2019	God's Will and My Will	Romans 11:33–12:2; Ephesians 1:4-6
10/20/2019	God's Will and the Bible	Psalms 19:7-14
10/27/2019	God's Will and the Holy Spirit	1 Corinthians 2:6-16
11/3/2019	God's Will and the Church	1 Corinthians 12: 1-11
11/10/2019	God's Will and My Circumstances	Romans 8:26-32
11/17/2019	God's Will and the Glory of God	John 11:1-4,38-45

Special Focus Session	Living in Gratitude	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
11/24/2019	Living in Gratitude	1 Thessalonians 5:12-22

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Winter 2019-20

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DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Sharing Christ	Answers to Tough Questions: Defending What You Believe	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
12/1/2019	Do We Need to Defend Our Faith?	Jude 1-4, 20-25
12/8/2019	Is There a God?	Psalms 19:1-6; 111:7-10
12/15/2019	Does Absolute Truth Exist?	John 1:14-18; 8:30-32; 18:36-38a
12/22/2019	Is Jesus God?	Luke 1:26-35
12/29/2019	Aren't All Religions the Same?	Isaiah 44:6-11; John 14:5-7
1/5/2020	What Proof Does My Testimony Offer?	Acts 26:2-5, 12-18, 24-26

DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Exercising Faith	When Life Gets Hard: Big Questions About Pain and Suffering	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
1/12/2020	Why Does Suffering Exist?	Genesis 3:16-19; Romans 8:18-25
1/19/2020	How Can God Use Me When Others Suffer?	Isaiah 58:3-11
1/26/2020	Why Am I Suffering?	Job 11:13-16; 23:8-12; John 9:1-3
2/2/2020	What is God's Answer to Suffering?	Job 40:1-8; 42:1-6
2/9/2020	Does God Really Understand My Pain and Suffering?	Isaiah 53:2-12
2/16/2020	Where Does Comfort Come From?	2 Corinthians 1:3-11
2/23/2020	How Can I Honor God in My Suffering?	2 Corinthians 4:7-18

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DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Bible Engagement	Holy Vocabulary: Unpacking the Language of Faith	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
3/1/2020	Holy	Isaiah 40:25-31
3/8/2020	Lost	Luke 15:11-14,17-24
3/15/2020	Salvation	Romans 3:20-28
3/22/2020	Faith	Hebrews 11:1-6
3/29/2020	Sanctified	1 Corinthians 6:9-20
4/5/2020	Eternal Life	Revelation 21:1-8; 22:1-5

	Resurrection: The Foundation of Our Faith	
	SESSION	PASSAGE
4/12/2020	The Truth of the Resurrection	1 Corinthians 15:1-8
4/19/2020	Why the Resurrection Matters	1 Corinthians 15:20-28,54-58

DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Building Relationships	Dealing with Messy Relationships	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
4/26/2020	Love	John 15:9-14
5/3/2020	Encourage	Acts 9:26-28; 11:21-26
5/10/2020	Forgive	Matthew 18:21-28, 32-35
5/17/2020	Serve	Galatians 5:13-14; 6:1-5,9-10
5/24/2020	Yield	Philippians 2:1-8,12-15
5/31/2020	Accept	Romans 14:1-4, 13-19

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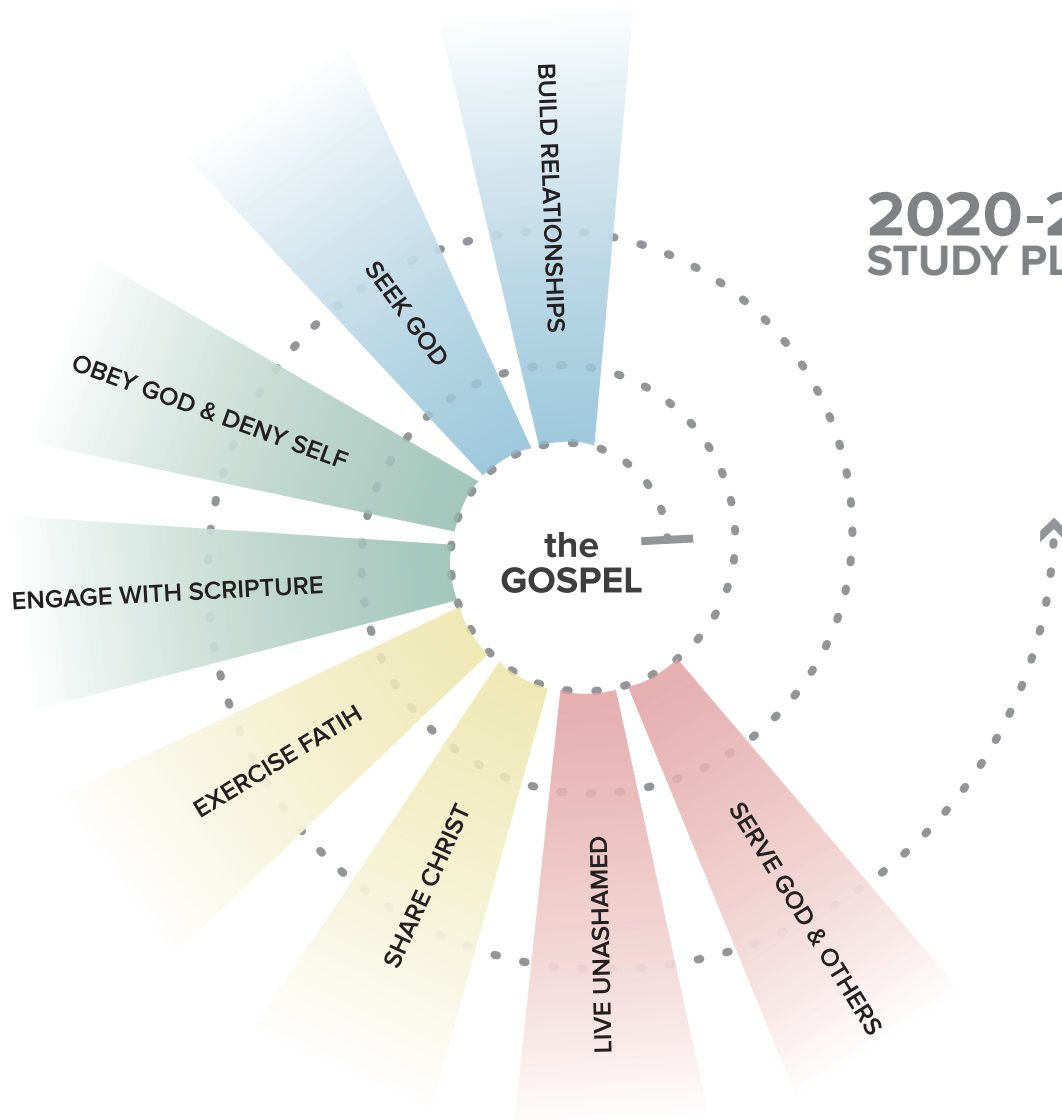
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DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Live Unashamed	Living with Hope in a Broken World	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
6/7/2020	The Basis for Our Hope	1 Peter 1:1-9
6/14/2020	The Expression of Our Hope	1 Peter 1:13-25
6/21/2020	The Testimony of Our Hope	1 Peter 2:4-15
6/28/2020	The Endurance of Our Hope	1 Peter 3:8-17
7/5/2020	The Joy Arising from Our Hope	1 Peter 4:1-2,12-19
7/12/2020	The Culmination of Our Hope	1 Peter 5:5b-11

Special Focus Session	How Should I Respond to Politics?	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
7/19/2020	How Should I Respond to Politics?	Romans 13:1-10

DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Serve God and Others	Why Do I Need the Church?	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
7/26/2020	We Are Joined Together	Ephesians 1:20-23; 2:8-10,19-22
8/2/2020	We Pray for One Other	Ephesians 3:14-21
8/9/2020	We Support One Other	Ephesians 4:1-7,11-16
8/16/2020	We Encourage One Other	Ephesians 4:17-32
8/23/2020	We Strengthen One Other	Ephesians 5:8-21
8/30/2020	We Stand Together in Spiritual Battle	Ephesians 6:10-20

2020-21 STUDY PLAN



FALL

After God's Own Heart: A Fresh Look at the Ten Commandments
All In: A Life of Commitment

WINTER

When Emotions Rise
Spiritual Disciplines: Becoming More Like Jesus

SPRING

The Essentials of Christianity
How to Share Christ

SUMMER

Walking in Confidence
Discovering and Using Your Spiritual Gifts

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DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Build Relationships	After God's Own Heart: A Fresh Look at the Ten Commandments	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
9/6/2020	Place God First	Exodus 20:1-3; Psalm 16:1-4a,9-11
9/13/2020	Honor God	Exodus 20:7-11; Psalm 145:1-7
9/20/2020	Honor Parents	Exodus 20:12; 2 Samuel 15:7-14
9/27/2020	Honor Life	Exodus 20:13; 1 Samuel 26:7-11,22-25
10/4/2020	Honor Marriage	Exodus 20:14; 2 Samuel 11:1-5
10/11/2020	Honor All Relationships	Exodus 20:15-17; Psalm 37:1-6

DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Seek God	All In: A Life of Commitment	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
10/18/2020	Christ's Commitment to Us	Romans 5:6-12,18-21
10/25/2020	Our Commitment to Christ	Mark 10:13-22
11/1/2020	Committed to His Word	Psalm 119:1-11
11/8/2020	Committed to His Church	Romans 12:3-16
11/15/2020	Committed to Pray	Colossians 1:3-12
11/22/2020	Committed to His Worship	Psalm 99:1-9
11/29/2020	Committed to His Mission	Romans 10:9-17

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DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Obey God and Deny Self	When Emotions Rise	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
12/6/2020	Walking in Grief	Psalm 116:1-9,15-17
12/13/2020	Redirecting Anger	Psalm 35:1-3,13-18
12/20/2020	Embracing Joy	Psalm 95:1-3; Luke 2:4-14
12/27/2020	Overcoming Worry	Psalm 23:1-6
1/3/2020	Shaking Off Fear	Psalm 91:1-6,9-16
1/10/2020	Winning over Depression	Psalm 31:1-8

Special Focus Session	Created for a Purpose	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
1/17/20	Created for a Purpose	Jeremiah 1:4-10

DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Engage with Scripture	Spiritual Disciplines: Becoming More Like Jesus	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
1/24/2020	The Benefit of Spiritual Disciplines	1 Timothy 4:1-10
1/31/2020	Knowing God	Psalm 119:17-24
2/7/2020	Intimacy with Jesus	John 17:1-5,21-26
2/14/2020	Maintaining Focus on Jesus	Daniel 9:1-7,17-19
2/21/2020	Connecting to Christ's Body	1 Corinthians 12:12-24
2/28/2020	Joining God's Work	John 15:1-8

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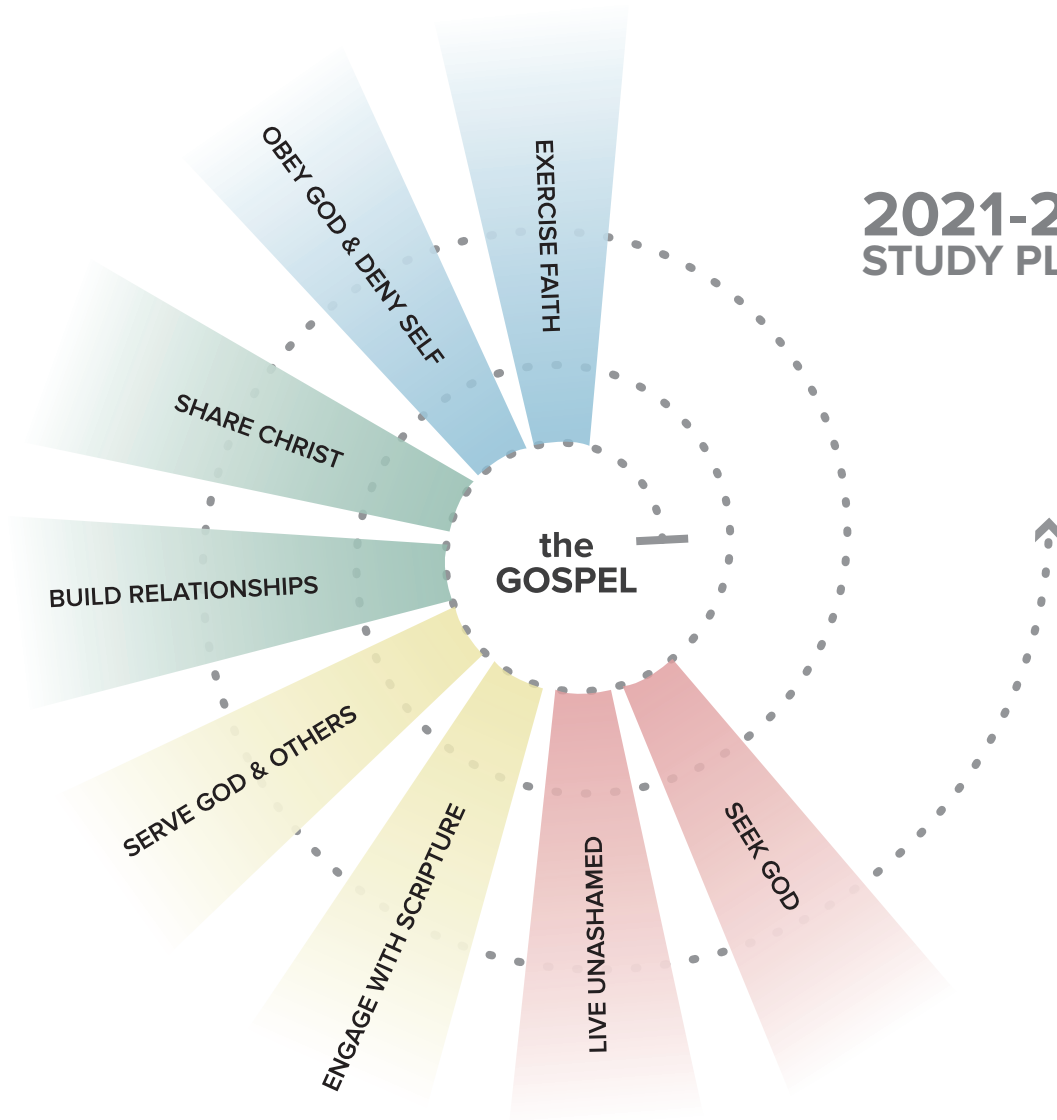
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DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Exercise Faith	Essentials of Christianity	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
3/7/2021	The Nature of God	John 14:8-11,16-20,23-26
3/14/2021	The Purpose of Humanity	Genesis 1:1-5,26-31
3/21/2021	The Nature of Sin	Isaiah 59:1-13
3/27/2021	The Death of Jesus	John 19:8-11,16b-18,28-30
4/4/2021	The Resurrection of Jesus	John 20:3-9,19-23,27-29
4/11/2021	The Work of the Holy Spirit	John 15:26-27; 16:7-15
4/18/2021	The Return of Jesus	Matthew 24:3-8,29-32,42-44

DISCIPLESHIP ATTRIBUTE: Share Christ	How to Share Christ	
Suggested for the Week of	SESSION	PASSAGE
4/25/2021	Our Commission	Matthew 28:18-20; 2 Corinthians 5:16-21
5/2/2021	Start with Prayer	1 Timothy 2:1-8
5/9/2021	The Message	Romans 10:8b-17
5/16/2021	Live the Message	Colossians 3:1-3,12-17
5/23/2021	Share the Message	Acts 17:16-18,22-23,30-31
5/30/2021	Trust God to Work	Matthew 13:3-8,18-23

2021-22 STUDY PLAN



FALL

What Do You Know for Sure?
Learning from Others' Mistakes

WINTER

How to Have a Merry Christmas
The Ethics of Daily Living

SPRING

Jesus' Farewell Discourse
How to Study the Bible

SUMMER

Living in Light of the End Times
The Work of the Holy Spirit