

The WAY of Jesus

2026 Discipleship Goals
3rd Quarter
(July—September)

¹ Follow God's example, therefore, as dearly loved children ² and walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. Ephesians 5:1-2 NIV

As we follow the way of Jesus, we depend on God's power, not our own willpower. The Holy Spirit will change us to be more like Jesus, but only when we're willing to follow where he leads. As you think about the first quarter of this year, spend time in prayer and ask God to reveal your next steps. You can go through this process as an individual, but it's also good for couples or families.

1. Review the life stages of a disciple and the circles of influence (see the growth tracker card and/or app).
2. Read through the goal suggestions on the back side of this page. Feel free to use other ideas as God leads.
3. Prayerfully choose specific goals and write them in the space below (you can also use the app). Don't feel the need to cover every category in one quarter. Focus on a small number of challenging but attainable goals.
4. When you complete a goal, check it off on the goal tracker card or the app: wayofjesustracker.replit.app

1. "Come and See"

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2. "Come and Follow Me"

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3. "Come and Be With Me"

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4. "Come Take Up Your Cross"

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5. "Go and Make Disciples"

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Discipleship Goal suggestions for July through September, 2026

1. “Come and See”

Watch and learn what Jesus is about.

- Home: Plan a summer gathering — a cookout, pool party, or game night — and invite a family who doesn't attend church.
- Church: Join the Plum Creek group at the Reds game on July 31st and bring a person or family who doesn't attend church.
- Community: On August 31st we're sending Kona Ice trucks to several locations in our community. Join a Plum Creek group to help give out free Kona Ice and connect with our neighbors.

2. “Come and Follow Me”

Accept the invitation to follow Jesus.

- Home: Write your own personal testimony. There's a page on our website that walks you through the process: plumcreek.org/testimony. When you're finished, have someone else read it.
- Church: Invite someone to our Discover class on 7/5 or 9//13 and attend with them.
- Community: Pray every day for your "one" or "ones." (Your "one" is a person you know who needs to know Jesus).
- World: Go to the Mission Cove in the Gathering Area and learn about one of our mission partners. Pray that God would use that ministry to lead people to know and follow Jesus.

3. “Come and Be With Me”

Prioritize being in Jesus' presence.

- Home: Set an appointment in your calendar for when and where you will spend time with God. Make sure there's an alarm or notification that reminds you of that appointment.
- Church: Attend the Night of Worship (July 24 at 7pm).
- Church: Join a Life Group. Sign ups will open on July 26th. Life Group kickoff is August 16th.
- Community: Ask a friend or co-worker how you can be praying for them.

4. “Come Take Up Your Cross”

Die to self and surrender to Jesus.

- Home: For at least one week, fast from something in your life that you would miss (watching tv, scrolling social media, etc.). Use that time to connect with God and/or serve others.
- Church: Go to plumcreek.org/serve, look for a serving opportunity, and fill out an interest form.
- World: Give a special offering to a mission or missionary. If you'd like to give to one of our mission partners, there are several options at plumcreek.org/get-involved/global-outreach

5. “Go and Make Disciples”

Participate in the mission of Jesus (Matthew 28:18-20).

- Home: Pray daily for a family member who needs to know Jesus (can be extended family).
- Community: Have a spiritual conversation with someone you've been building a relationship with this year.
- World: Commit to be part of the prayer team for our North Africa mission team.

Go to wayofjesustracker.replit.app to use the Goal Tracker Mobile App