



Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every
word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.

THE BOOK

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS 7PM
WITH PASTOR DOCKERY
& Rev. Dr. Francis

CLUB

ZOOM ON IN EVERY WEDNESDAY BEGINNING APRIL 28, 2021 - APRIL 27, 2022

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SUGGESTED RESOURCES

The Life Application Bible
The Amplified Bible

SYLLABUS

PURPOSE: COME INFORMALLY DISCUSS, DISSECT, AND DIGEST, THE BOOK WITH COFFEE, TEA, SNACKS, AND OTHER DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.

ROE (RULES OF ENGAGEMENT)

READ IN ENTIRETY THE CLUB
ASSIGNED BOOK/CHAPTERS OF THE
WEEK.

RECOMMENDED TECHNIQUE IS TO
READ THE 7 ASSIGNED CHAPTERS 3
TIMES.

WRITE QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSIONS
WHILE READING.

INPUT/DISCUSSION BY ALL IS
EXPECTED.

NO MORE THAN 2 MINUTES PER
PERSON TO SHARE.

ENJOY BREAKING BREAD TOGETHER!

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DISCIPLINES OF THE BIBLE TO STUDY...

The Pentateuch

Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy

The Megillot

Ruth, Esther, *Ecclesiastes, *Song of Solomon, Lamentations

Wisdom Literature

Job, Psalms, Proverbs, *Ecclesiastes, *Song of Solomon

The Prophets

Major- Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel, Daniel
Minor- Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi

The Gospels

Matthew, Mark, Luke, John

The Epistles

Romans, 1 and 2 Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, 1 and 2 Thessalonians, 1 and 2 Timothy, Titus, Philemon

Apocalyptic Literature

Daniel, Revelations

The PENTATEUCH

28 April 2021	Genesis Chapters 1-7
5 May	Genesis Chapters 8-14
12 May	Genesis Chapters 15-21
19 May	Genesis Chapters 16-28
26 May	Genesis Chapters 29-35
2 June	Genesis Chapters 36-42
9 June	Genesis Chapters 43-49
16 June	Genesis Chapters 50- Exodus 6
23 June	Exodus Chapters 7-13
30 June	Exodus Chapters 14-20
7 July	Exodus Chapters 21-27
14 July	Exodus Chapters 28-34
21 July	Exodus Chapters 35-40 and Leviticus Chapter 1
28 July	Leviticus Chapters 2-8
4 August	Leviticus Chapters 9-15
11 August	Leviticus Chapters 16-22
18 August	Leviticus Chapters 23-27 and Numbers Chapters 1-2
25 August	Numbers Chapters 3-9

THE BOOK CLUB

SCHEDULE

01 September	Numbers Chapters 10-16
8 September	Numbers Chapters 17-23
15 September	Numbers Chapters 24-30
22 September	Numbers Chapters 31-36 and Deuteronomy Chapter 1
29 September	Deuteronomy Chapters 2-8
6 October	Deuteronomy Chapters 9-15
13 October	Deuteronomy Chapters 16-22
20 October	Deuteronomy Chapters 23-29
27 October	Deuteronomy Chapters 30-34

MEGILLOT

3 November	Ruth Chapters 1-4 and Esther Chapters 1-3
10 November	Esther Chapters 4-10
17 November	Ecclesiastes Chapters 1-7
24 November	(Thanksgiving no class)
1 December	Ecclesiastes Chapters 8-12
8 December	Song of Solomon Chapters 1-2
15 December	Song of Solomon Chapters 3-8 and Lamentations Chapter 1
22 December	Lamentations Chapters 2-5

WISDOM Literature

29 December	Job Chapters 1-7
5 January 2022	Job Chapters 8-14
12 January	Job Chapters 15-21
19 January	Job Chapters 22-28
26 January	Job Chapters 29-35
2 February	Job Chapters 36-42
9 February	Psalms 1-7
16 February	Psalms 8-14
23 February	Psalms 15-21
2 March	Lent Worship Service No Class
9 March	Psalms 22-28
16 March	Psalms 29-35
23 March	Psalms 36-42
30 March	Psalms 43-49
6 April	Psalms 50-56
13 April	Psalms 57-63
20 April	Psalms 64-70
27 April	Psalms 71-77

Principles of Biblical Interpretation

Interpretation:Has to do with deciphering, determining and discovering what the writer of a given passage of scripture meant at the time and in context, when it was written. Clearly, dependence upon the enlightening of the Holy Spirit and prayer are most essential in properly interpreting the Bible (2 Tim. 3:16).

Doing a thorough Bible Study (**Interpretation**) includes paying attention to and consideration of such technical factors as:

1. The Context – the setting, nature, related concerns of a given passage are considered.
2. The Content – is the present text related to and consistent with other scriptures?
3. Grammar – recognize the relationship of words to one another (e.g., tense, number).
4. Word Study – the meaning of words in context as used or understood when written.
5. Cross Reference – other biblical passages (near and far) may shed light on a given or passage.
6. Culture Background – understanding how people in society related to and lived together, when and where the Bible was written.
7. History – consider the way a passage has been interpreted over time since its inception.
8. Authorship – the integrity and authority of the writer; (as inspired by the Holy Spirit, e.g., prophet, apostle, or under the supervision of an apostle, as Luke under Paul).

Guidelines for Interpreting the Bible

1. Understand the writer's meaning.
2. Observe the context.
3. Accept the limits of revelation (not every subject is address in scriptures).
4. Identify the type of writing.
5. Use the Bible to interpret itself.

*Characteristics of a Spiritually Hungry Bible Student:

- Dependence on the Holy Spirit
- Eagerness to learn about God
- A teachable spirit-Discipline
- Devoted Prayer life

*Denotes Books represented in two different disciplines but will only be covered once.