

The Importance of Teaching God's Word

Sunday School and Equip Classes

- “Fix these words of mine in your hearts and minds;¹⁹ Teach them to your children, talking about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up.” Deuteronomy 11:18-19**
- “I am the Alpha and the Omega,” says the Lord God, “who is, and who was, and who is to come, the Almighty.” Revelation 1:8**
- “Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches.” Revelation 2:7**



Sunday School and Bible Study Teachers & Teachers



“It is our intent to challenge every church member to be an effective witness for God’s use in today’s generation of believers. When we learn to praise the Lord whether we win or lose, we will be ready to begin our journey to be adequately used as God’s warrior. We must do that through a continued in-depth study of God’s Word.”

Dale Shorter, Pastor and Teacher

Sunday School/Bible Study Required

Biblical Imperative – 2 Timothy 2:15

“Study to show yourself approved to God, a workman that does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.”

Habits Are Hard to Break... Protect Bible Study/Sunday School Concept.

Family Oriented with Personal Application

Personal Growth and Commitment for Life's Challenges

Learning to Love as Jesus loves through Personal Bible Study.

Committed Teachers of God's Word

Teachers that:

- Love God and His Church,
 - Pray and Study God's Word In Order to Be an Effective Witness for Christ,
 - Are Yielded to the Holy Spirit's Use of Personal Talents and Gifts,
 - Are Trained and Committed to be Faithful, Effective, and Useful.
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Bible/SS Teacher's Role

A Very Important Role In the Church

- ❑ Must Teach Sound Doctrine ...Therefore, Teachers Must Know What Is Sound Doctrine.**
Titus 2:1, “You must teach what is in accord with sound doctrine.”
 - ❑ Held to a Higher Accountability By God.**
James 3:1, “...we who teach will be judged more strictly.”
 - ❑ Humbling...Yet Worthy Role.**
1 Timothy 5:17, “...worthy of double honor.”
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Adult

Bible Study Materials Available

- Quarterly Study Materials
- Men's/Women's Group Studies
- Marriage and Family Studies
- Prophecy and Related Materials
- Prayer Series
- Books of the Bible
- Verse by Verse Study
- Coping/Dealing With Life's Problems and Perplexities
- Questions and Answers from the Word of God

Suggested Bible Study Groups

Sunday Mornings

- Adult Quarterly
 - Topical Studies
 - Teaching the Teachers (2 Times Per Yr.)
 - All Other Adults/Especially Parents of Children at Home
 - New Members Class (Beliefs and practices of the church according to the Word of God; Responsibilities of Church members and Churches Responsibilities to members.
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The Challenge

- ❑ **We must tell others of Jesus and the Great Price That Was Paid For Our Redemption.**
- ❑ “Jesus’ Disciples purposefully spread God’s message to their community and beyond—and taught new believers to pass the mantle of faith and truth from generation to generation to today. ***Now, it is our turn to ensure that the truth lives on in the next generation.***”

Clancy Hayes, Author & Teacher of God’s Word

Your Church

Reach, Teach, Win and Develop to ~~Show Ourselves Approved by God~~

The Apostle Paul Had a Goal... “I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me...” (Philippians 3:14).

The Church's Objective/Goals:

- Trained and Committed Teachers
 - Increased Attendance in Sunday School and Bible Study
 - Church Members Committed to the Study of God's Word and Who Are Working Toward “The Prize of the High Calling of God.”
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