

THE GALILEE BAPTIST CHURCH
Spiritual Enrichment Hour
Study Guide Handout – April thru mid-July 2021
RESOURCE: Lifeway YOU Spring 2021

April 11, 2021

Lesson Topic: The Nature of God – page 11

Lesson Scripture: John 14:8-11, 16-20, 23-26

Memory Verse: John 14:23

Lesson Point 1: To Know the Son Is to Know the Father – John 14:8-11

Question: In what ways does Jesus show us what God is like?

Lesson Point 2: To Have Jesus is to Have the Holy Spirit – John 14:16-20

Question: What are the benefits of having the Holy Spirit in your life?

Lesson Point 3: The Holy Spirit Continues the Works of Christ – John 14:23-26

Question: What can we learn from these verses about the roles of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?

April 18, 2021

Lesson Topic: The Purpose of Humanity – page 17

Lesson Scripture: Genesis 1:1-5, 26-31

Memory Verse: Genesis 1:28

Lesson Point 1: God Created Everything – Genesis 1:1-5

Question: What impacts you most about this first day of creation?

Lesson Point 2: God Created Us in His Image – Genesis 1: 26-27

Question: What can we learn about Godly character from these scriptures?

Lesson Point 3: God Commissioned Us to Care for Creation – Genesis 1:28-31

Question: How would you describe our responsibility for taking care of the world God created?

April 25, 2021

Lesson Topic: The Nature of Sin – page 23

Lesson Scripture: Isaiah 59:1-13

Memory Verse: Isaiah 59:12

Lesson Point 1: Sin Separates Us from God – Isaiah 59:1-5

Question: What evidence do you see in this world that everyone has sinned?

Lesson Point 2: Good Works Will Not Cover Sin – Isaiah 59:6-8

Question: Why are good works not the answer to the problem of our sinfulness?

Lesson Point 3: God's Intervention Brings Salvation – Isaiah 59:9-13

Question: What makes the images in these verses an effective way to describe our lives without Christ?

May 2, 2021

Lesson Topic: The Death of Jesus – page 31

Lesson Scripture: John 19:8-11, 16b-18, 28-30

Memory Verse: John 19:30

Lesson Point 1: God Controlled Jesus' Arrest – John 19:8-11

Question: What evidence do you see in these verses that God was in control of the circumstances surrounding Jesus' trial?

Lesson Point 2: Jesus Suffered for Us – John 19:16b-18

Question: How would you describe Jesus' suffering to someone who has never heard about the crucifixion?

Lesson Point 3: Jesus Died for Our Sins – John 19:28-30

Question: What does the price Jesus paid for our forgiveness communicate about the weight of our sin?

May 9, 2021

Lesson Topic: The Resurrection of Jesus – page 37

Lesson Scripture: John 20:3-9, 19-23, 27-29

Memory Verse: John 20:29

Lesson Point 1: The Empty Tomb- John 20:3-9

Question: What obstacles can keep people from fully accepting the resurrection and its implications?

Lesson Point 2: Jesus' Appearance – John 20:19-23

Question: How would you describe the responsibility Jesus gives us in this passage?

Lesson Point 3: Belief in Christ – John 20:27-29

Question: What can Thomas' interactions with Jesus teach us about handling our doubts?

May 16, 2021

Lesson Topic: The Work of the Holy Spirit – page 43

Lesson Scripture: John 15:25-27; 16:7-15

Memory Verse: John 16:13

Lesson Point 1: The Holy Spirit Empowers Us – John 15:26-27

Question: When have you experienced the Holy Spirit helping you to be a witness for Jesus?

Lesson Point 2: The Holy Spirit Convicts of Sin – John 16:7-11

Question: What are some ways the Holy Spirit helps us recognize our sins?

Lesson Point 3: The Holy Spirit Glorifies Jesus – John 16:12-15

Question: Why is the Holy Spirit essential to our Christian walk?

May 23, 2021

Lesson Topic: The Return of Jesus – page 49

Lesson Scripture: Matthew 24:3-8, 29-31, 42-44

Memory Verse: Matthew 24:30

Lesson Point 1: Signs Point to Christ's Return – Matthew 24:3-8

Question: When you read these scriptures, which of these things do you see in the world today?

Lesson Point 2: Jesus Will Come Back Again – Matthew 24:29-31

Question: Based on these scriptures, how would you describe Jesus' second coming to someone?

Lesson Point 3: Be Ready for Christ's Return – Matthew 24:42-44

Question: What does it look like to be alert and ready for His return?

May 30, 2021 – SPECIAL PANEL LESSON

June 6, 2021

Lesson Topic: Our Commission – page 59

Lesson Scripture: Matthew 28:18-20; II Corinthians 5:16-21

Memory Verse: Matthew 28:19

Lesson Point 1: As We Go, Make Disciples – Matthew 28:18-20

Question: What does it mean to make disciples?

Lesson Point 2: Tell Others What Christ Has Done – II Corinthians 5:16-19

Question: In what ways have you been made new as a result of following Jesus?

Lesson Point 3: Call Others to Repentance – II Corinthians 5:20-21

Question: What does it mean for us to be Christ's ambassadors?

June 13, 2021

Lesson Topic: Start with Prayer – page 65

Lesson Scripture: I Timothy 2:1-8

Memory Verse: I Timothy 2:5

Lesson Point 1: Pray for All people – I Timothy 2:1-2

Question: How would you describe the different types of prayer found in these verses?

Lesson Point 2: Pray for Salvation of People – I Timothy 2:3-6

Question: How can we overcome obstacles to having an effective prayer life?

Lesson Point 3: Pray as We Share the Gospel – I Timothy 2:7-8

Question: Why is prayer an important step in sharing the gospel?

June 20, 2021

Lesson Topic: The Message – page 71

Lesson Scripture: Romans 10:8b-17

Memory Verse: Romans 10:17

Lesson Point 1: A Message About Christ – Romans 10:8b-10

Question: How would you explain the connection between confess and believe?

Lesson Point 2: A Message for All People – Romans 10:11-13

Question: Why does it matter that Jesus is Lord of all?

Lesson Point 3: A Message to Be Shared – Romans 10:14-17

Question: What is it about the gospel that you would like to communicate to others?

June 27, 2021

Lesson Topic: Live the Message – page 79

Lesson Scripture: Colossians 3:1-3, 12-17

Memory Verse: Colossians 3:1

Lesson Point 1: Seek Christ – Colossians 3:1-3

Question: How exactly do we set our heart and mind on things above?

Lesson Point 2: Put on Christ – Colossians 3:12-15

Question: Which of these character traits do you find the most challenging to put on?

Lesson Point 3: Give Thanks to Christ – Colossians 3:16-17

Question: What opportunities will you have to obey the commands in verse 17?

July 4, 2021

Lesson Topic: Share the Message – page 85

Lesson Scripture: Acts 17:16-18, 22-23, 30-31

Memory Verse: Acts 17:30

Lesson Point 1: Be Sensitive to Opportunities

Question: When have you looked at your community and been deeply distressed?

Lesson Point 2: Find a Common Ground – Acts 17:22-23

Question: What are ways we can connect with people of different cultures or religions?

Lesson Point 3: Guide in Understanding the Gospel – Acts 17:30-31

Question: What does it mean to you to have the privilege and responsibility to share the gospel?

July 11, 2021

Lesson Topic: Trust God to Work – page 91

Lesson Scripture: Matthew 13:3-8, 18-23

Memory Verse: Matthew 13:23

Lesson Point 1: Share Christ Wherever You Are – Matthew 13:3-8

Question: How effective do you feel as a sower of the gospel message?

Lesson Point 2: Not Everyone Will be Transformed – Matthew 13:18-22

Question: How do you typically respond when a person is not receptive to hearing the gospel?

Lesson Point 3: Accept Christ for Abundant Life – Matthew 13:23

Question: How can trusting God with the results impact your attitude toward evangelism?