

Training Center Schedule

New Testament Survey — Anticipated class schedule for the New Testament Survey course:

Date	Topic Covered During Group Time ¹	Material to be reviewed by this class ²	Learning Exercise Reflection Paper Due Today ³
1/31	Introduction & the Gospels	---	---
2/7	Acts	MP ² - The Gospels (wk 1) & Acts RSM ² - The Gospels & Acts	LE#1 RP - The Gospels
2/14	Early Epistles: James, Galatians, 1 & 2 Thessalonians	MP - Early Letters RSM - Early Letters	LE#2 RP - Acts
2/21	Romans	MP - Romans RSM - Romans	LE#3 RP - 1 of the Early Epistles
2/28	Pastoral Epistles: Titus, 1 & 2 Timothy	MP - Pastoral Epistles RSM - Pastoral Epistles	LE#4 RP - Romans
3/7	BREAK		
3/14	1 & 2 Corinthians	MP - 1 & 2 Corinthians RSM - 1 & 2 Corinthians	LE#5 RP - 1 & 2 Corinthians
3/21	Prison Epistles: Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, Philemon	MP - Prison Epistles RSM - Prison Epistles	LE#6 RP - 1 & 2 Corinthians
3/28	Other Letters: Hebrews, 1 & 2 Peter	MP - Other Letters RSM - Other Letters	LE#7 RP - Prison Epistles
4/4	BREAK for Resurrection Week		
4/11	John's Letters: 1-3 John, Jude, Revelation	MP - John's Letters RSM - John's Letters	LE#8 RP - Other Letters
4/18	Use LE#9 as a REVIEW for your Final Exam No RP for John's Letters		
4/30	FINAL EXAM DUE BY SUNDAY APRIL 30TH		

- Each week we will 'survey' a section of the New Testament, moving through it in chronological order and observing how God's story plays out throughout human history. You will come to class having already reviewed the material that is being presented that day. This will foster greater engagement, discussion and retention.
- For each book of the Bible you will be given a 1-PAGE *Ministry Passage (MP)* sheet that gives the THEME, a brief DESCRIPTION, important INFORMATION and the MINISTRY PASSAGES often used in teaching or training others. You will also be given access to material from well-respected Bible Teach Ray Stedman (**RSM**). Dr. Stedman has written and taught extensively on every book of the Bible. We have located and made available 3-5 page PDF summaries and 30 minute lectures for all 27 books of the New Testament. This wealth of information is for your edification and can be engaged with as you see fit. It is available as a resource for your studies.
- There are 2 assignments due each week— the Learning Exercise (**LE**) and the Reflection Paper (**RP**). The LE is fundamentally a quiz on what was reviewed during the week. The questions on LE repeat themselves (quizzes get longer) as you go, and the repetition is designed to aide in your learning— thus the name Learning Exercise. These will be the hardest part of the course and your greatest blessing. The RP is a 1 paragraph reflection on some part of the Bible that was reviewed that week. This should focus on personal reflection and application that relates to how you see yourself in God's story.