

Waialae Baptist Church: Discipleship Course Phase 1

Fall 2022-Spring 2023

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

An overview of effective gospel proclamation and the role of the discipleship in the local church, emphasizing the practical applications of studying, teaching from Scripture, and developing a teachable heart.

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

Concluding this course, the student should have the ability to:

1. Understand the function and role of teaching Scripture in the local church
2. Recognize and address the need for gospel-centered teaching
3. Communicate the gospel in a variety of methods faithfully and confidently
4. Mature in faithful interpretation and exegetical preparation of Scripture
5. Participate in their love for the local church through discipleship

Textbook and Other Resources:

Wax, Trevin. *Gospel-Centered Teaching: Showing Christ in All the Scripture*. Nashville, Tennessee: B&H Academic, 2013. **ISBN: 978-1433681721**

Nelson, Thomas. *Bible Handbook*. Nashville: Tennessee: Thomas Nelson, Inc., 1995. **ISBN: 978-1-4185-0018-4**

	Date	Time	Ch.	Workshop	Passage
1.1	10/10/22	6:30-8pm	1	REAP method, Ontological Divide	Ephesians 1
1.2	10/17/22	6:30-8pm	1	REAP method, Ontological Divide	Ephesians 2
1.3	10/24/22	6:30-8pm	1	REAP method, Ontological Divide	Ephesians 3
	10/31/22	No class (Trunk or Treat Outreach)			
2.1a	11/7/22	7-8:30pm		REAP method, 5-Fold Gospel presentation	Ephesians 4
2.1b	11/14/22	6:30-8pm	2	(Chapter discussion only)	
2.2a	11/21/22	6:30-8pm		REAP method, 5-Fold Gospel presentation	Ephesians 4
2.2b	11/28/22	6:30-8pm	2	(Chapter discussion only)	

3.1a	12/5/22	7-8:30pm		REAP method, Concentric Circles of Discipleship	Ephesians 5:1-21
3.1b	12/12/22	6:30-8pm	3	(Chapter discussion only)	
3.2a	12/19/22	6:30-8pm		REAP method, Concentric Circles of Discipleship	Ephesians 5:22-33
	12/26/22	No class (Winter Break)			
	1/2/23	No class (Winter Break)			
3.2b	1/9/23	6:30-8pm	3	(Chapter discussion only)	
	1/16/23	No class (Martin Luther King Jr. Day)			
4.1a	1/23/23	6:30-8pm		REAP method, Christian Growth Curve	Ephesians 6:1-9
4.1b	1/30/23	6:30-8pm	4	(Chapter discussion only)	
4.2a	2/6/23	7-8:30pm		REAP method, Christian Growth Curve	Ephesians 6:10-24
4.2b	2/13/23	6:30-8pm	4	(Chapter discussion only)	
	2/20/23	No class (Presidents' Day)			
5.1a	2/27/23	6:30-8pm		REAP method, 2-line Diagram, Cross Diagram	Psalms 1
5.1b	3/6/23	7-8:30pm	5	(Chapter discussion only)	
5.2a	3/13/23	6:30-8pm		REAP method, 2-line Diagram, Cross Diagram	Psalms 2
5.2b	3/20/23	6:30-8pm	5	(Chapter discussion only)	

DISCLAIMER:

This syllabus does intend to accurately reflect the description of this course objectives and learning outcomes. However, the pastor reserves the right to modify any portion of this syllabus as necessary to accommodate unforeseen circumstances during the term.

Recommended Reading:

Bonhoeffer, Dietrich. *Life Together: The Classic Exploration of Christian in Community*. Trans. John W. Doberstein. San Francisco: Harper Collins Publications, 1978. [122 pages]
ISBN: 978-0060608521

Davis, Andrew M. *An Infinite Journey: Growing Toward Christlikeness*. Greenville: Ambassador International Publishing, 2014. [475 pages] **ISBN: 978-1620202364**

Thune, Robert J., Will Walker. *The Gospel-Centered Life*. Greensboro: New Growth Press, 2011. [118 pages] **ISBN: 978-1942572916**

Wilson, Jared C. *The Gospel-Driven Church: Uniting Church-Growth Dreams with the Metrics of Grace*. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2019. [240 pages] **ISBN: 978-0310577874**