Preaching Point and Leadership Toolbox App

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Chrome



I. Installation





Samsung





Safari











About the App

- Web Progressive App
- Access through the Internet, SD Cards, Light Stream
- First Wave Languages: English, Spanish, French, Portuguese
- Bible Text hyperlinks









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1. Navigating the App



A. Top Banner

Preferred Language

Note: Except for English, not all resources are available in all languages yet.

• App Support Email

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Note: Including "device info with email" will give us information that might help answer questions the user has.





B. Tools

• New Believers Bible Studies 108 Bible Studies, covering the Bible from Genesis to Revelation

Leadership Modules

14 Modules designed to equip Preaching Point Leaders

• Other Resources Includes: Way Truth Life; Living in the Blessing; Bible Studies on Recovery



B. Tools





C. Bottom Navigation Bar



 108 Bible Studies – spanning from Genesis to Revelation

Based on the Story Cloth

 Resources for both preparing for and leading Bible studies





- <u>Head:</u> What does this text mean?
- <u>Heart:</u> Who does the text say we should be?
- <u>Hands:</u> How can we put the Word of God into action?





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Teaching from the Image

- 1. **Creation** (whole picture): God created this world out of nothing. Everything God made was good.
- Day 1 Sunshine: God created light, and made day and night.
- 3. Day 2 Sky: God created the sky and clouds.
- 4. Day 3 Land, Plants, Water: God created the ground, and separated it from the waters. Upon the ground God made beautiful plants begin to grow.
- 5. Day 4 Moon, Sun, and Stars: (not represented in the picture)
- 6. Day 5 Birds and Fish: God created all kinds of animals that fly, swim, and run across the world.
- Day 6 Man: God created Adam, a human who was different from all the other parts of creation because God created Adam in God's image. God also made Eve so that Adam would have a companion and so the human race could continue.
- Day 7 Completion: on the seventh day of creation God finished all work and rested. Everything God made was good.

Text Context

Beginnings are very important. For if you do not begin well, you may never reach the right destination. Genesis 1 and 2 give us some essential facts about God, this world, and ourselves. If we are going to live blessed, joyful lives, we need to make sure we base our faith on the true and essential facts the first two chapters of Genesis reveal.







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First, God took what is chaotic (formless and void), and brought to it order. Each of the seven days of creation reveals the intention and joy God took in creating this world and all that is in it. God created everything "good."

Second, each day God looked at what God made and declared it was "good." The world in which we live, though it now often bears scars from sin, was originally created "good."

Third, God created humanity differently than everything else. Humanity is not just another animal, not just one more living thing. Instead, humanity has the special blessing of being created in the "image of God." We also see in the creation of the first man and woman that humanity is created to be in relationship with one another. Marriage is the special relationship God created for a man and a woman to enter into so they can enjoy marital relationship and continue the human race. As the Biblical story progresses we will see the special responsibilities and privileges that come with this image

New Testament text: A second creation begins with the bit of Jesus Christ Avot a physical creation of the earth and heavens, but the spiritual creation of a new People of God. Through Jesus Christ, God will offer salvation, healing, and future blessing to all peoples. God created all things "good," but sin brought pain and brokenness



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- Why, as we see in John 1, do those whom God created not recognize God as their Creator?
- Hands: How Can We Put the Word of God into Action? We are to reflect the image of God to others. God loves, forgives, shows compassion, grace, and mercy. God stamps this image upon all lives, and though sin has tarnished this stamp, we can bear witness to the truth of God's holiness by living holy lives by God's power.
 - How can you care for God's creation?



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Heart: Who Does the Text Say We Should Be? Because of all the blessings God has given to us in Creation, and in our relationships with one another, it is our responsibility to be good stewards of all God has entrusted to us. We will be tempted in this world to live our lives only for ourselves, to be selfish. However, as those created and saved by God, we are to live our lives for God, and to be a blessing to others.

- What does it mean to you that humanity was created "very good?"
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 - How can you care for God's creation?
 - What attributes of God do those around you
 most need to see in your life?

Apply

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inclusion one to retell the main Bible lesson text again.

- Ask the group to share how they think God wants them to respond to today's lesson.
- Spend time in prayer for your community, one another, and for wisdom in living out today's lesson.
- Close by having the group pray together the Lord's Prayer.



Study Tracks

 Meant for short-term Bible studies, or specialized study subjects.





Study Tracks

- 10 Commandments 11 Studies
- Fruit of the Spirit 9 Studies
- Articles of Faith 16 Studies







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works, indirectly, through the beautiful story.

New Testament text: Bethlehem is a very important town in Israel, even is mey did not recognize that at the time. Out of Pemlehem came both Israel's greatest ing, King Day .a, and Jesus Christ.

The 10 Commandments Track: The fifth command assumes the parents are godly and are responsible for the instruction of the children in the knowledge and commands of God. To rebel against, and dishonor parents in this sense, is to rebel against and dishonor God. Therefore, this command would not apply to abusive parents or parents who are themselves living in rebellion to the commands of God. There is a promise associated with this command, the promise of long life in the Promised Land, further emphasizing the importance of this command.

- Head: What is the difference between a teenager questioning authority and a teenager living in rebellion to their parents?
- Heart: No parent is perfect, so how much pressure should a parent feel to raise their children without making any mistakes?
- Hands: If a Christian's parents are not Christians, what are ways in which the Christian should respect and honor them?

Fru. of the Spirit Track: Track Introduction. Christians filled when the Holy Spirit will live out their live in line with what Gou, desires. Their lives will bear the fruit that comes from being Holy Spirit filled believers. This fruit results in honoring God, helping others see Christ in them, and building up the Body of Christ. In Galatians 5:22-23, the Apostle Paul describes nine virtues that will characterize a person or church who are bearing witness to the fruit of the Holy Spirit.

Fruit of the Spirit Track: 1 Love Spirit-filled Christians





14 Modules in 4 Disciplines

- Gathered from many different sources, including curriculum from the
 - Mesoamerica School of Leadership
 - Clergy Development Course of Study
 - The Discipleship Place
 - and the book The Kneeling Christian





• 3 Bible Modules





- 3 Bible Modules
- 3 Personal Growth Modules





- 3 Bible Modules
- 3 Personal Growth Modules
- 4 Practics Modules





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- 3 Personal Growth Modules
- 4 Practics Modules
- 4 Theology Modules





Modules are Available (depending on language) as:

- Text Materials
- Audio
- Visual Presentation Slides





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Lesson 1 THE BIBLICAL CANON

By the end of this lesson, participants should be able to

- know how the Bible was formed.
- evaluate the BiblicalCanon.

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• understand the meaning of the inspiration of the Scriptures.

Main Ideas of the lesson

- The word canon means a measuring rod, rule, standard or measure; it refers to the method used to select the books of the Bible.
- Canon refers to the content of the Scriptures or the books of the Bible.

Introduction to the Biblical Canon

The word canon is derived from the Greek "kanon" and probably the Hebrew "kane" meaning "something used to measure" or "rule, standard or measure." Canon refers to the books that were inspired by the Holy Spirit In Biblical language, the canon includes the content of the Scriptures or the collection of books of the Bible that are officially recognized by the Church as books "inspired" by the Holy Spirit

Formation of the Canon of the Old Testament

The Jews developed the Old Testament collection of books.

The Bible was written over a period of 1,400 years by more than 40 authors from different times and places. Among them are prophets, farmers, fishermen, kings, poets, musicians doctors, and government ministers, among others.





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- Moving Right : The scroll represents the section on the types of Old Testament manuscripts
- Middle Right : The book and cross represents the section on the formation of the New Testament
- Bottom Right : The checklist represents the section discussing the factors used in choosing the New Testament books
- Bottom Middle: the three stacked bibles represent the section discussingBible translations
- Bottom Left: Journalingassignment

Lesson 1 THE BIBLICAL CANON







Tool 3: Other Resources



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Questions...



