

WALKING WITH JESUS

A 20-Week Discipleship Journey

Course Assignments, Expectations & Grading System

COURSE SYLLABUS FY'26

COURSE PURPOSE

This 20-week discipleship journey is designed to help students:

- Develop a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ
- Understand foundational biblical doctrines
- Grow spiritually through personal Bible study
- Learn how to apply biblical truth in everyday life
- Become mature disciples who can share their faith with others

This course is not merely informational—it is transformational.

COURSE FORMAT

Each weekly session will include:

- Teaching Segment #1
- Guided Bible Discovery
- Teaching Segment #2
- Guided Bible Discovery
- Reflection & Personal Response

Students are expected to:

- Attend regularly
- Participate respectfully
- Complete assignments faithfully
- Engage Scripture personally and prayerfully

COURSE MATERIALS

Students should bring:

- A Bible (NKJV preferred)
- Notebook or journal (*Provided*)
- Pen or pencil (*Provided*)
- Weekly study guide (*Provided*)

COURSE ASSIGNMENTS

Assignments are designed to reinforce spiritual growth and biblical understanding.

There will be four types of assignments throughout the course:

1. WEEKLY READING ASSIGNMENTS

Some weeks students will simply be asked to:

- Read selected Bible passages
- Reflect on the lesson topic
- Prepare for class discussion

These assignments are intended to deepen familiarity with Scripture and prepare students for participation.

Examples:

- Read John 1 before Week 7
- Read Matthew 24 before Week 19
- Read Genesis 1–3 before Week 4

These assignments generally will not require written submission.

2. REFLECTION ASSIGNMENTS

Several weeks students will submit a short-written reflection.

These assignments are designed to encourage:

- Personal application
- Spiritual reflection
- Biblical thinking
- Honest engagement with Scripture

Typical requirements:

- 1–2 pages
- Typed or neatly handwritten
- Scripture-supported responses

Examples:

- “What does it mean to know God personally?”
- “How has your understanding of salvation changed?”
- “Describe a practical way you can grow spiritually this month.”

3. SCRIPTURE & DOCTRINE ASSIGNMENTS

Students may occasionally complete assignments such as:

- Scripture comparisons
- Bible word studies
- Verse memorization
- Doctrinal summaries
- Personal testimony exercises

Examples:

- Explain the role of the Holy Spirit using three Bible passages
- Compare creation and evolution from a biblical perspective
- Write a one-page testimony of your spiritual journey

4. MIDTERM & FINAL EXAM

Midterm Exam (Week 10)

The Midterm Exam will cover:

Weeks 1–9

The exam may include:

- Multiple choice
- Matching
- True/False
- Short answer
- Scripture identification
- Brief reflection questions

Topics include:

- Knowing God Personally
- The Trinity
- The Bible
- Creation
- The Great Controversy
- Humanity & Sin
- Jesus Christ
- The Ministry of Christ
- Salvation

Final Exam (Week 20)

The Final Exam will cover:

Weeks 1–20

The exam will emphasize:

- Biblical understanding
- Spiritual application
- Doctrinal clarity
- Scripture familiarity

Students should expect both objective and reflective questions.

GRADING SYSTEM

Attendance & Participation – 20%

Students are expected to:

- Attend consistently
- Participate respectfully
- Engage in discussions
- Complete in-class Bible discovery activities

Weekly Assignments – 30%

Includes:

- Reflection papers
- Scripture exercises
- Reading responses
- Doctrinal summaries

Assignments are expected to be submitted on time.

Midterm Exam – 20%

The Midterm Exam evaluates:

- Biblical comprehension
- Understanding of foundational doctrines
- Ability to apply biblical truth

Final Exam – 30%

The Final Exam evaluates:

- Overall understanding of the course
- Spiritual and doctrinal growth
- Scripture comprehension
- Ability to synthesize biblical themes

GRADING SCALE

Grade Percentage

A	90–100
B	80–89
C	70–79
D	60–69
F	Below 60

LATE WORK POLICY

Assignments should be submitted on time.

Late assignments may receive reduced credit unless prior arrangements have been made.

Grace will be extended when genuine circumstances arise.

SPIRITUAL EXPECTATIONS

Students are encouraged to:

- Pray regularly
- Read Scripture daily
- Apply biblical truths personally
- Treat one another with grace and respect
- Approach the course with humility and openness

This course is intended to help students not only learn about Jesus—but walk with Him daily.

FINAL ENCOURAGEMENT

Growth takes time.

Do not be discouraged if some topics feel challenging at first. Spiritual maturity develops step by step as we study God's Word, seek His presence, and obey His truth.

As Jesus said:

“If you abide in My word, you are My disciples indeed. And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.” – John 8:31–32 (NKJV)