



DISCIPLE GROUP CURRICULUM CURRICULUM GUIDE

Psalms – Week 1: Delight in the Law of the Lord
April 21 – April 24, 2022

LEADER NOTES

RSVP Coach & Leader Gathering | All Campuses | Monday May 2 at 6pm

Come be encouraged, equipped and empowered as you make disciples as a group leader or coach. Dinner and childcare will be provided. Please tell us if you will be joining or not at coe22.com/coachandleader.

Upcoming Dates to Know

May 2: Coach & Leader Gathering (*see above*)

May 8: End of Spring Trimester (optional break May 9-June 5)

May 22: LAST New Leader Training for the summer (visit coe22.com/newleader)

May 26-June 5: Summer DG Sign-ups (ask your campus Discipleship Minister how to serve these weekends)

June 6-July 31: Summer Trimester

ANNOUNCEMENTS – WHAT IS YOUR NEXT STEP?

To stay connected to all that God is doing in and through The Church of Eleven22, visit coe22.com/news.

Group Serve: Bible Basics Workshop | April 29 Online & April 30 at Fleming Island or San Pablo

Do you struggle with reading your Bible? Join us for this interactive workshop as we debunk some myths regarding reading and studying the Bible. We will talk through helpful approaches to God's word and educate, equip and encourage you on your journey with learning more about the Bible. Register at coe22.com/news.

Serve Opportunity: First Coast Women's Services | coe22.com/localmission

If you are passionate about seeing more women empowered to choose life for their unborn babies, we encourage you to connect with First Coast Women's Services (FCWS)! There are so many opportunities to serve both on-site and off-site. FCWS has centers in Baker, Jax Beach, Clay, Mandarin and North Jax. To learn more and help us save lives today, visit coe22.com/localmission.

THIS WEEK'S READING PLAN: coe22.com/readingplan

Sunday – Psalm 1

Monday – Psalm 119:1-24

Tuesday – Psalm 119:25-64

Wednesday – Psalm 119:65-96

Thursday – Psalm 119:97-133

Friday – Psalm 119:134-152

Saturday – Psalm 119:153-176

LOOKING BACK

WHAT HAPPENED IN YOUR LIFE THIS PAST WEEK: *(Check-in, encourage and pray.)*

- How were you obedient to God this past week?
- Where did you struggle this past week?

Psalms Week 1: Delight in the Law of the Lord

The Point: “His delight is in the law of the Lord, and on His law he meditates day and night.” Psalm 1:2

SERMON TEXT: Psalm 1

Discussion Questions

DISCOVER

LEADERS: Take turns reading Psalm 1 as a group. Use the questions as a guide for discussion.

- **What is God’s promise in this psalm to those that delight in His word?** *(They will be blessed, they will have deep and strong roots, and everything they do will prosper. God’s word directs us, convicts us, and comforts us.)*
- **Pastor Joby contrasted the difference between having a “band of brothers” verses a group of buddies. What’s the difference and why is God concerned about who we hang out with?** *(“...but the companion of fools will suffer harm” (Proverbs 13:20). Psalm 1:1 shows us we need to watch who we’re walking alongside because eventually we will stand in union alongside of them and eventually sit comfortably with them! If Jesus had a core circle of friends with whom to experience life and ministry, so should we as believers.)*
- **Based on what we learned about the entire collection of Psalms, what kind of psalm do you need in your life right now?** *(David wrote the majority of the Psalms, but we also know that Moses, Solomon, Ethan, Jeduthun and Heman were also writers. The Psalms fit into several categories: Hymns of praise, laments of sorrow, songs of thanksgiving, songs of wisdom and Royal Psalms. No matter the condition in which you find yourself, what the Bible is going to teach us is that the appropriate response is that we worship our way through it).*
- **What’s the biggest challenge for you in delighting in God’s word and meditating on it?** *(Common answers: I don’t understand it, it’s boring, I’m too busy. Consider what you are meditating on instead of God’s word and whether it is leading you to walk, stand, or sit in the way of the wicked.)*

DEEPEN

Let’s go deeper into God’s word and discuss how we can apply these truths to our lives!

LEADERS: Reread Psalm 1 and use the questions below as a guide for discussion.

- **Head:** What does this psalm make you think?
- **Heart:** What does this psalm make you feel?
- **Hands:** What does this psalm make you want to do?

ACTION STEP

A Disciple...Loves All People, Discovers Identity in Jesus, Deepens Relationship with Jesus.

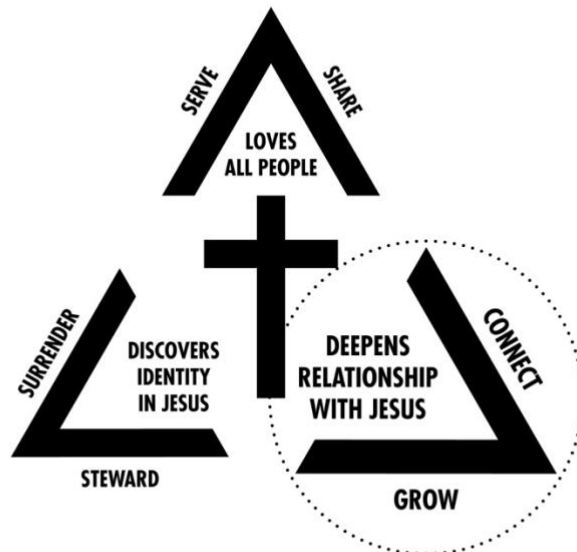
This Week: Consider the following. Is your life rooted in God's word or are you trying to navigate life on your own? This week commit to turn down the noise of this world and turn up God's word in your life!

- **"I will"** commit to reading the Psalms every day of this series.
- **Text** "Psalms" to 441122.

Additional Resources:

- **A Psalm a Day:** Text "Psalms" to 441122 to join us as we read through the Psalms together.
- **Psalms Resources:** Visit coe22.com/psalms or download the Eleven22 App.
- **Deepen With Pastor Joby – Season 4:** Join us as Pastor Joby and other special guests continue the conversation after each week's sermon. New podcast episodes drop every Monday. Learn more at coe22.com/deepen.
- **RightNow Media:** Find an unending supply of resources by signing up for a FREE RightNow Media account. Go to coe22.com/rightnowmedia or text "RightNow" to 441122.

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