

主后 2007 年 堪城华人基督教会 成人主日学

From fellowship on 2007/1/7 (Sunday) afternoon

- Burden

Jesus said “Make disciples of all nations... baptizing them and teaching them...”. It is the command of our Lord to the Church to teach believers and make them His disciples, the learned followers of Christ. The burden to revive Adult Sunday School is multi-fold:

1. New believers need fundamental and overall education and nourishment
2. Those currently attending members need shorter and more organized curriculum
3. Those currently non-attending members need encouragement and clear choices
4. Coworkers with burden in teaching ministry can grow and serve

- Short-term Plan

Establish the foundational courses (100 series) with the following guideline:

1. The goal of the 100 series is for a new believer to get fundamental and overall teachings in reasonable duration.
2. Each course is targeted for 3-month (9 lessons).
3. General areas will be Truth, Living and Bible (真理, 生活, 圣经).

Note: While the emphases are different, the 3 areas are inseparable. Doctrine is based on Bible and determines direction and principles of Living. Knowing Bible enables us to know Truth and how to Live. Living is based on Truth which is in the Bible.

4. For existing participants, it is OK to review the basics.
5. Keep in mind that 200 level courses will be developed later, so do not bloat the 100s.

101 福音 Seeker	周涵锸*, 毕成鹏, 纪培庆
102 基要真理 Basic Doctrine	伍雷*, 刘嘉亮, 严竹林, 郑素萍, 冯国光
103 认识圣经 Knowing Bible	刘金石*, 王鸿鸣, 张正卿
104 圣徒生活 Biblical Living	吴浩*, 吕英世 (园珠姊妹会在预备材料上同工)

* denotes class leader

- Action Items

1. Each group:
 - Course summary by 1/21 (Sunday)
 - Courseware, by end of February (preparation, reading material, questions, etc.)
 - Collecting material with long term in mind (accumulate for developing 200 series or more advanced courses)
2. Teachers need to read the book “The Westminster Shorter Catechism For Study Classes”, 1 chapter/day, 6 chapters/week, starting 1/8. Here’s January schedule:

	主日	礼拜一	礼拜二	礼拜三	礼拜四	礼拜五	礼拜六
Week 1	1/7	1/8 Q1	1/9 Q2	1/10 Q3	1/11 Q4	1/12 Q5	1/13 Q6
Week 2	1/14	1/15 Q7	1/16 Q8	1/17 Q9	1/18 Q10	1/19 Q11	1/20 Q12
Week 3	1/21	1/22 Q13	1/23 Q14	1/24 Q15	1/25 Q16	1/26 Q17	1/27 Q18
Week 4	1/28	1/29 Q19	1/30 Q20	1/31 Q21	2/1 Q22	2/2 Q23	2/3 Q24

- 1/21: Complete course summary
 2/28: Complete draft of courseware
 4/1: Start new courses