

# A Suggested Weekly Preparation Plan

(for Smyth and Helwys adult literature)

## **Sunday Evening (15 minutes):**

- Reflect on this morning's lesson. What could you do better?
- Read the Bible passage for next Sunday's lesson.
- Pray for your class members in relation to this passage.

## **Monday (30 minutes):**

- Read the Bible passage for the lesson.
- Read the "Bible Background" section for the lesson and make relevant notes.
- Pray for the truth of the passage to be made clear to you.

## **Tuesday (30 minutes):**

- Read the Bible passage for the lesson.
- Read the Commentary for this lesson.
- Write down the truth of the passage as you understand it.

## **Wednesday (30 minutes)**

- Review the "Outline for Teaching" to get the big picture of the Bible passage.
- Begin thinking about how you will **motivate** your learners.
  - Review the material in "A Way to Begin."
  - Review the material in the "Motivation" section of the Formations or Uniform Outlines\*
- Reflect on your learners – who can you encourage with a mid-week call?

## **Thursday (30 minutes)**

- Read the Bible passage for the lesson.
- Begin thinking about how you will help your learners **examine** the Bible passage.
  - Review the material in "A Way to Explore Scripture."
  - Review the material in the "Examination" section of the Formations or Uniform Outlines.
- Pray for your church, its teaching ministry and its leaders.

## **Friday (30 minutes)**

- Read the Bible passage for the lesson.
- Begin thinking about how you will help your learners **apply** the truths of this study.
  - Review the material in "A Way to End."
  - Review the material in the "Application" section of the Formations or Uniform Outlines.

## **Saturday (30 minutes)**

- Finalize your lesson plan by deciding which Motivation, Examination, and Application exercises you will use.
- Gather all of the supplies you will need
- Consider calling a prospect between the hours of 6-8 and inviting them to class.
- Pray, pray, pray for Truth to be revealed!

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