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2022 Playbook



January Playbook

Man of The Word

Genesis 1-3
Romans 3-6
Philippians 4
Hebrews 5

Man of Prayer

2 Chronicles 7:14
Romans 12:12
Colossians 4
1 Thessalonians 5:17-24

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Briefly describe an average day for you from start to finish.

What seems to be the best time for you during the day to spend time with Jesus? Why?

What does it look like for you when you are spending time in God's Word? i.e. Are you doing a Bible reading plan, utilizing Bible apps, reading theological books, reading one book at a time, etc?

What does your prayer life look like? Are you content with how your prayer life currently is? Why?

How much time do you spend in God's Word with your family?

How much time do you spend in prayer with your family?

What are the things in your life that might challenge your time in the Word and time in prayer?

Are there any specific things you know you need to give up in order to have better rhythms with the Lord?

What are 3 ways you want to grow in 2022 as a follower of Jesus? How do you plan to grow?

If there is anything that we can do to help you grow in 2022, see our leadership team afterwards and we would love to talk with you!

February Playbook

Godly Husband

Ecclesiastes 9:9
Romans 12:10
Philippians 2
Ephesians 5:25-29
1 Peter 3:7

Godly Father

Deuteronomy 6:6-7
Proverbs 22:6
Luke 15:11-32
Ephesians 6:4
Colossians 3:20-21

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What is the role of a husband?

If you were to seek wisdom or send a friend to seek wisdom from someone in how to be a better husband, who would you seek or recommend and why?

Maybe you are currently a husband. Maybe you are not. Regardless of your status as a husband, what are the things you need to improve on or give up in order to currently or one day be a Godly husband?

What is the role of a father?

If you were to seek wisdom or send a friend to seek wisdom from someone in how to be a better father, who would you seek or recommend and why?

Maybe you are currently a father. Maybe you are not. Regardless of your status as a father, what are the things you need to improve on or give up in order to currently or one day be a Godly father?

How much time do you spend in God's Word with your family?

How much time do you spend in prayer with your family?

Are there any specific things you know you need to give up in order to have better rhythms with the Lord?

What are 3 ways you want to grow in 2022 as a follower of Jesus? How do you plan to grow?

March Playbook

Accountability

Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

Proverbs 15:22

Proverbs 24:11

Proverbs 27:17

Matthew 28:16-20

Romans 12:12-13:13

Galatians 6:1-2

Philippians 2:1-4

1 Thessalonians 5:11

2 Timothy 3:10-17

James 4-5

Jude 22

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How would you define accountability?

Is accountability something that you regularly seek in your life? Why?

Is it something you find yourself giving more than willing to receive? Why?

At your tables, look up Galatians 6:1-2 and James 5:16-20. What are the similarities in these passages? What are the differences?

How would you hold a brother accountable when he is unaware he needs it?

What are 5 things you should do before you hold someone accountable?

Consider Hebrews 4:12. What does the verse say that can truly expose the intentions of our hearts in order that we may be held accountable to the Lord?

What is the ultimate goal of holding someone to account?

Pray at your tables that God would hold each of us to account by His Word and that we might be able to help others by holding them accountable.

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April Playbook
Learn Your Role:
The Word and Prayer

Deuteronomy 4:6-7

2 Samuel 22:31

Psalms 6:1-10

Psalms 6:18

Psalms 119:9-16

Psalms 119:33-40

Psalms 119:105

Proverbs 16:16

Ephesians 5:15-16

Ephesians 6:18

1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

2 Timothy 3:16-17

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TOP TEN ENCOURAGEMENTS FOR STUDYING THE BIBLE

1. Don't worry if you miss a day here and there. You aren't being graded on reading. But don't abuse this freedom. Going without reading is like going without food and water.
2. Find your own rhythms and what works best for you. Don't worry if someone else's plan is not for you. They may be thinking the same thing.
3. If you get stuck on a passage, don't be discouraged. Ask the Holy Spirit for wisdom. Reach out to someone to help you interpret or research it through trusted sources.
4. Don't neglect the cross references in the margins or any translation notes. They can provide context for illumination.
5. Look for application to your present life, but not exclusively. Read and process the text as it is. Not every passage is going to have a direct, clear application to something you are facing. But The Word will never find itself void.
6. Ask yourself how the passage reflects Christ, points to the Messiah, or informs us about God's character. The Bible is not a "how to" manual. It is God's story of redemption.
7. Try different translations and different types of Study Bibles (The Message is not a translation). They can help bring out subtle points that you might have missed in earlier readings.
8. The Bible is less like a "normal" book and more like a diamond with multiple layers and facets. When reading, try to look at it from different viewpoints.
9. Don't worry if you don't understand something. You might read the same passage 9 times and not notice or understand it but the next time you read it, the Holy Spirit may illuminate it for you.
10. READ SLOW! Also take much care when reading - don't simply read it through a 21st century American lens. Study also from the lens of the time each book was written, to whom it was written, and who the Holy Spirit inspired authors were. (This takes some practice to do)

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May Playbook
Learn Your Role:
Husbands and Fathers

Ecclesiastes 9:9
Romans 12:10
Philippians 2
Ephesians 5:25-29 1
Peter 3:7

Deuteronomy 6:6-7
Proverbs 22:6 Luke
15:11-32 Ephesians 6:4
Colossians 3:20-21

Resources

Marriage-Ray Ortlund
Marriage-Paul David Tripp

Family Worship-Donald Whitney
Disciple Making Parent-Chap Bettis
Parenting-Paul David Tripp

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What should be the greatest strength of a husband?

What is your greatest strength and weakness as a husband?

Would your wife be able to accuse you of listening to her?

Why do you think, as men, it is easier for us to become “Fix-it Felix” rather than a loving listener?

It is often easy for us as human beings to point out others flaws, especially those closest to us. But it may not be so easy to have our own flaws pointed out. What is your usual reaction when your wife points out a character flaw or something that hurt her?

Are you a stable and constant source of Jesus for your wife? Why or why not?

What should be the greatest strength of a father?

What is your greatest strength and weakness as a father?

What is your usual reaction when your child points out a character flaw or something that hurt them? Why?

Are you a stable and constant source of Jesus for your children? Why or why not?

What must it take for you to become a Godly husband and Father? (Hint...it has nothing to do with your wife and children)

If you died today, what would your wife write about you? What would your children write about you?