

BIBLE STUDY

Join in anytime for a weekly study in the New Testament. Simply check out the post online at the beginning of each week, which includes the chapter, questions, and study tools. Then, conclude the study on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. with the teaching from Pastor Buck. You can join in person or watch the live stream online at CCLCH.org.

Instructions

To study the Scripture:

- 1. Read the chapter.
- 2. Answer the Study Questions.
- 3. Watch or listen to the chapter-by-chapter study at cclch.org live on Sundays at 10:30 P.T. (also recorded).
- 4. Want to go deeper? Use the list of **Key Words** below to help grasp the meaning, theme, and topic of each chapter.
- 5. Want to go deeper? Check out the inductive **Bible Study Steps & Tools**. For more study instructions, go to the **How to Study the Bible** pdf at cclch.org.

Key Words

These are some key words to look for and mark.

PHILEMON

Love

Appeal

Slave

Philemon 1 Study Questions

1. Who are the recipients of this letter? Who is Onesimus? How is this letter different from the others Paul has written?

 According to verse 6, we should be motivated to compassionate action because of the good things we have in Christ. Make a list of the good things you have because of Jesus. How does this motivate you and help you in challenges you are facing presently?

3. What is Paul requesting of Philemon and what stands out to you on how he goes about it? What are your takeaways?

Memory Verse

"Be glad in the LORD and rejoice, you righteous; and shout for joy, all you upright in heart." Psalm 32:11

Inductive Bible Study Steps & Tools

STEP 1: Pray

STEP 2: Observe

What does the passage say?

- □ Read the chapter or Scripture portion. Write down anything that stands out to you.
- Mark Key Words: This will help you catch all the details (TIP: Use different colors for each.) As you re-read the chapter mark:
 - References to God, Jesus, Holy Spirit.
 - Key words. These are meaningful words that may repeat and express a theme or topic.
 - Five "W"s and an "H": Mark Who, What, When, Where, Why, and How using a different color for each. You can also write out the main answers to each question as an overview.
- Make Lists: List every fact given about a key word or person with the Scripture reference for future use. Use only words from the text.
- Word Studies: Go deeper with key words and other important words by looking up their meanings in the original Hebrew, Greek, or Aramaic. Use a Strong's Concordance book or access Strong's at www.blueletterbible.org:
 - Type in the Scripture and translation
 - Press the "Tool" button
 - Select the "Interlinear" tab
 - Select "Strong's" number reference

STEP 3: Interpret

What does the passage mean?

Cross Reference: Use a cross-reference Bible, or BlueLetterBible.org "Tools", to look at similar Scriptures to help understand the context and meaning. Write down what you find.

STEP 4: Apply

What does the passage mean to you personally?

Write down your thoughts. What did you learn? What should you change in your life?
 Mark your personal application thoughts with "PA" in your Bible.

For more details on how to study the Bible go to: <u>www.CCLCH.org</u>

Color Marking Ideas

PHILEMON

Key Words (Circle in Pink)	Color Marking 5W's & H
Love Appeal Slave	 WHO: Red WHAT: Orange <u>WHERE</u>: Green Underline WHEN: Green Circle WHY: Blue <u>HOW:</u> Black Underline
References to God Purple triangle Jesus Red Cross Holy Spirit Blue Cloud	Word Study Highlight in yellow any words that stand out to you. Look up the meaning of these words in Strong's Concordance.