

LIKE JESUS

Module Itinerary

LEADERS

MISSION

MODEL

METHODS



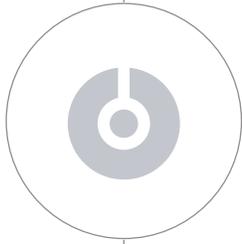
BIG PICTURE OVERVIEW:

Helping your church or ministry create a culture for disciple-making the way Jesus did.

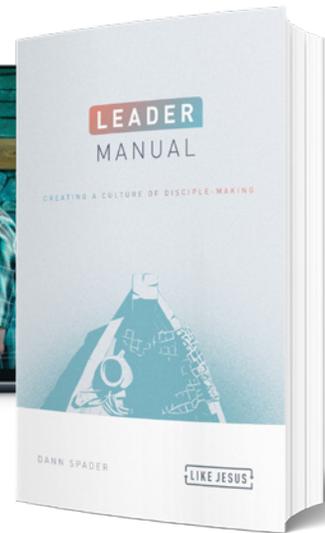
Providing you simple tools to help your church “lift up Jesus” (Acts 20:20-21) as our model for life and ministry. This will happen through Jesus-focused preaching, small group study and discussions, and accountability tools with weekly encouragement and metrics. **We recommend starting with the Leader Training for your staff, which helps create internal alignment and a better understanding of disciple-making like Jesus.** Next, your team will be equipped to begin your first Congregational Module, containing 8-11 sermons/sessions.

Ideally, we recommend that all 3 Congregational Modules (*Mission* → *Methods* → *Model*) be completed in three semesters, which allows for your people time to implement and apply these teachings. This resource is flexible and can be completed in different amounts of time or in an order that best suits your ministry.

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LEADER TRAINING MODULE: ALIGNMENT OF TEAM

APPROXIMATELY 9 WEEKS/SESSIONS

Introduction (Optional for leaders)

Three ways to study Jesus... His message, methods, and model.
Two ways to analyze Jesus... as a disciple-maker and as a movement leader

Session #1 Our Mission and Motive

1a. Two commands and three verbs of the Great Commission in Matthew 28
1b. Three conclusions about the Great Commandment in Mark 12

Session #2 The Disciple Making Process (Part 1)

A simple overview of the 4 challenges of Jesus as seen in the 4 chair metaphor

Session #3 The Disciple Making Process (Part 2)

Going deeper in the 4 challenges

Session #4 Jesus Full Humanity and Deity

The powerful implications of Jesus' full humanity

Session #5 Our Model

A summary of six foundational priorities modeled by Jesus: HS (Holy Spirit) POWER

Session #6 Our Methods

A summary of Christ's seven "I" statements in John 17... 7 disciplines of a disciple-makers

Session #7 Our Disciple Making Pathway (optional for leaders)

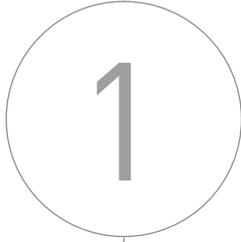
Developing your disciple making pathway.

Session #8 Evaluating your programs (optional for leaders)

How to design your activities to help achieve your disciple making priorities

Congregation Module 1: Our Mission

Approximately 11 Weeks/Sermons/Sessions



4 CHAIR DISCIPLING: BOOK STUDY

APPROXIMATELY 11 WEEKS/SERMONS/SESSIONS

Week 1: Where it all began

Big Idea: Jesus modeled a pattern for us to follow in making disciples.

Week 2: The full Humanity of Jesus

Big Idea: Jesus was never less than God, yet He chose to live his life never more than man

Week 3: Our Mission and Motive

Big Idea: Jesus showed us how to love God, love people and make disciple-makers.

Week 4: Method... an overview

Big Idea: Jesus gave us a pattern for helping people at different stages in the disciple-making journey and then, with the Spirit's help, moving them to the next level in their walk with God.

Week 5: The Lost... (Chair 1)

Big Idea: Jesus modeled how to partner with the Holy Spirit to reach out and challenge spiritually lost people towards a place of repentance and faith in Christ.

Week 6: The Believer... (Chair 2)

Big Idea: Jesus modeled how to "root and establish" new believers in their new found faith.

Week 7: The Worker... (Chair 3)

Big Idea: Jesus invested in a few to impact the many. He modeled how to equip the few workers to become a harvest force in the harvest field.

Week 8: The Disciple Maker... (Chair 4)

Big Idea: Jesus modeled how to fully equip disciple-makers to make other disciple-makers.

Week 9: Sticking Points... Mark 4

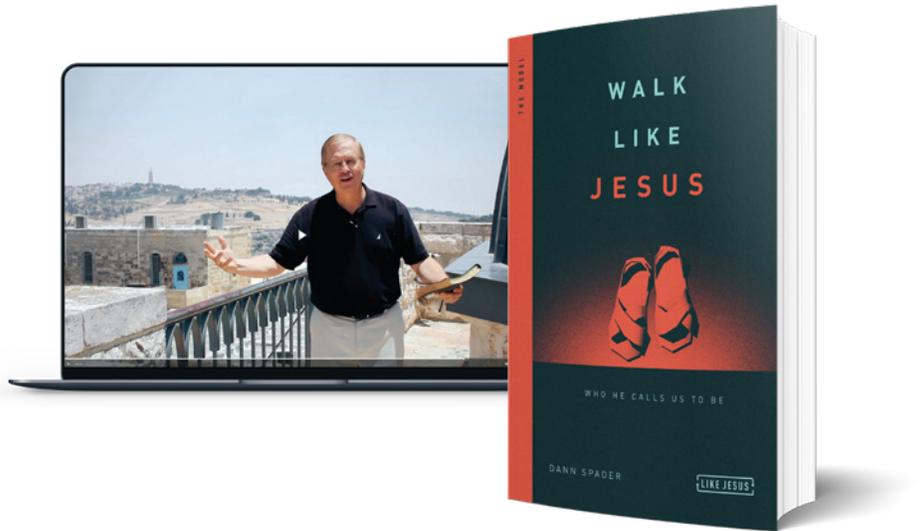
Big Idea: God's agenda is to get all of us to the "much fruit" category. Jesus shared with us the "sticking points" that can prevent us from bearing "much fruit".

Week 10: Barriers between chairs... John 15

Big Idea: Jesus understood the major "barriers" between the various levels of fruitfulness. He taught his disciples these barriers to help them become Chair 4 "much fruit" multiplying disciples.

Week 11: Full Orbed Disciplemaking (optional)

Big Idea: Disciplemaking happens "out of my love for God, using my gifts and talents, to multiply the character and priorities of Christ in as many people as possible."



WALK LIKE JESUS WORKBOOK STUDY

APPROXIMATELY 10 WEEKS/SERMONS/SESSIONS

Week 1: Walking As Jesus Walked

Big Idea: Jesus fully intended for us to walk as He walked

Week 2: How Real is Your Jesus

Big Idea: In order for Jesus to make atonement for our sin (Heb. 2), He had to become like us in all ways... and by doing so he modeled for us how to walk as He walked.

Week 3: Jesus and the Holy Spirit

Big Idea: Jesus depended upon the Holy Spirit completely and showed us that we must do the same.

Week 4: Praying As Jesus Prayed

Big Idea: Jesus depended upon prayer for daily guidance and in doing so showed us that we must walk as He walked.

Week 5: Obeying as Jesus Obeyed

Big Idea: Jesus obeyed with perfect obedience and modeled for us that we to must learn and grow in obedience.

Week 6: Jesus and the Word of God

Big Idea: Jesus obeyed, submitted to, and respected God's Word in every area of His life and ministry so that we also would also do the same.

Week 7: Exalting the Father

Big Idea: Jesus always exalted His Father in everything and gave us a similar pattern to follow.

Week 8: Intentional Loving Relationship

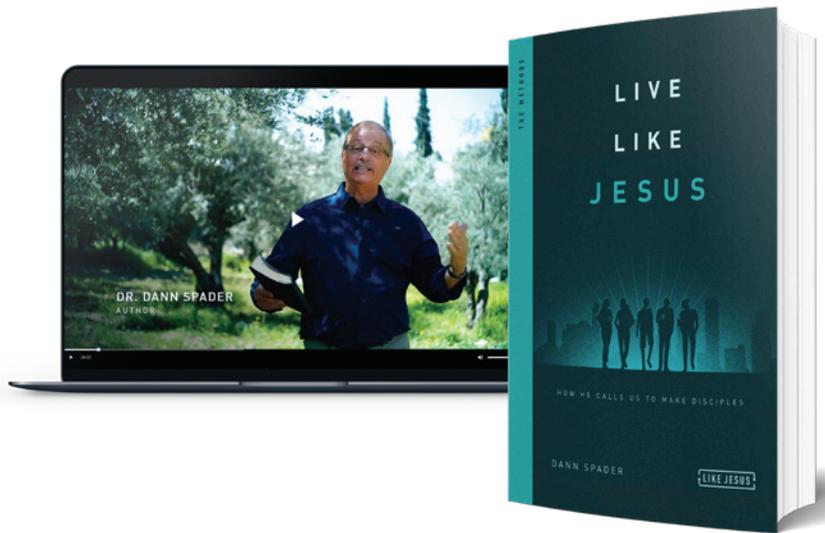
Big Idea: Jesus devoted His life to intentional loving relationships so that we too would acknowledge the need to do the same.

Week 9: Investing in a Few

Big Idea: Jesus gave us a pattern for investing in a few so we would understand the process of 'repairing' and 'preparing' our few for the work of ministry.

Week 10: Jesus and Multiplication

Big Idea: Jesus showed us the power of multiplication to challenge us to ask for and live out a similar lifestyle.



LIVE LIKE JESUS WORKBOOK STUDY

APPROXIMATELY 10 WEEKS/SERMONS/SESSIONS

WEEK 1: RELATIONAL...COME, FOLLOW ME (MATT 4:19A)

Big Idea: Jesus' seven disciplines (priorities) marked the relational nature of His living, ministry, fruitfulness and discipling.

WEEK 2: INTENTIONAL... I WILL MAKE YOU (MATT 4:19 B)

Big Idea: Jesus intentionally developed disciples to become disciple-makers, Jesus-like discipling requires intentionality.

WEEK 3: REVEAL (JOHN 17:6)

Big idea: Jesus revealed the Father to His disciples by spending focused time with them, going deeper and caring enough to confront them, and exalting the Father in everything.

WEEK 4: SPEAK (JOHN 17:8)

Big Idea: Since Jesus learned well and listened well to the Holy Spirit, He imparted truth to His disciples through the everyday events of life with them.

WEEK 5: PRAY (JOHN 17:9)

Big Idea: Since Jesus viewed His disciples as the Father's "love gift" to Him, He prayed earnestly for them during the various stages of their spiritual development: seekers, believers, committed workers and discipling-makers.

WEEK 6: PROTECT (JOHN 17:12)

Big Idea: Jesus protected His disciples through His teaching, His careful observation, their actions and their promises.

WEEK 7: SEND (JOHN 17:18)

Big Idea: Jesus' "sent-ness" prepared His disciples for being "sent ones" reflecting the sending Father's heart and nature.

WEEK 8: SANCTIFY (JOHN 17:19)

Big Idea: Jesus "sanctified" (set apart) Himself in every aspect of His life through willingly, intentionally, lovingly, and courageously living while He entrusted Himself to the Father's will and endured to the very end to carry it out.

WEEK 9: SHARE (JOHN 17:22)

Big Idea: Jesus genuinely shared His glory with His disciples so that these discipling-makers would also share His glory with future discipling-makers.

WEEK 10: MISSIONAL... FISHERS OF MEN (MATTHEW 4:19C)

Big Idea: Jesus created a movement of multiplying disciples... making disciples who could make disciples...who depended on the Holy Spirit to reproduce much fruit.