



**Sunday School Study Plan for September 2022 with Mr. Mackie Hill and Deacon Altheda Winford
Four Weeks (September 4, 11, 18, and 26)**

Topic: Studies in the Gospel of Mark

**Week 1: Mark 1:1-13; Mark 2:1-12; Mark 3:13-19;
Luke 4:1-13**

Guiding Questions:

1. Who was the forerunner of Jesus – and what should one do before being baptized?
2. What was the temptation Jesus was given? How did He overcome it?
3. Why did the teachers of religious law accuse Jesus of blasphemy?
4. What nickname did Jesus give to His apostles?

Week 2: Mark 5:1-20; 6:14-29; 8:34-38

Guiding Questions:

1. What did the demons ask Jesus when the man in the tomb met Him?
2. Why was John the Baptist murdered?
3. What is the cost of discipleship?

Week 3: Mark 11:15-19; 12:28-34; 14:1-9

Guiding Questions:

1. Why did Jesus enter the temple and drive out the merchants?
2. What is the most important commandment? Why?
3. Why did the religious leaders plot to kill Jesus?

Week 4: Mark 15:1-14; 15:21-47; 16:1-20

Guiding Questions

1. What did Pilate ask Jesus?
2. While on the cross, what did Jesus ask God?
3. Who was in the tomb when Mary Magdalene-Salome and Mary the Mother of James entered the tomb?
4. Who was the first person who saw Jesus after He rose from the dead?
5. What did Jesus tell His disciples before He ascended to Heaven?

WEEKLY HOMEWORK

1. READ TEXT FOR THE WEEK
2. USE A STUDY APPROACH TO RE-READ TEXT FOR PERSONAL AND BIBLICAL CONNECTIONS
 - A. CONSIDER 3 INSIGHTS, 2 SIGNIFICANT VERSES, AND ONE KEY WORD FOR DISCUSSION
 - B. USE BIBLICAL COMMENTARIES ON TEXT TO GIVE CONTEXT OR BACKGROUND
 - C. REVIEW VARIED TRANSLATIONS TO COMPARE MEANINGS
3. CONNECT LESSONS TO SERMONS FROM PAST DECADES AND LAST SEVERAL MONTHS

2 Timothy 2:15, KJV: "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." **2 Timothy 2:15**, NASB: "Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a worker who does not need to be ashamed, accurately handling the word of truth."