



1825 DISCIPLE GROUP CURRICULUM

CURRICULUM GUIDE

In The Arena

July 10-13, 2025

LEADER INFO: Join our 1825 DG Leader Group Me - https://groupme.com/join_group/96047409/DklUGJOY

SAVE THE DATE: 1825 DG Leader Gathering, Saturday, August 16, 9am-Noon at San Pablo

GROUP ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1825 Encounter | October 24-26, 2025 | The Retreat Center | \$150

We invite you to take a weekend to unplug and join like-minded 18-25 yrs old as we study God's Word, discuss real life, and build relationships. The cost is \$150/person and includes a 2-night stay with lodging, all meals and beverages. Transportation is not provided.

Passion Conference | Arlington, Texas | December 31, 2025 – January 4, 2026 | \$325

Passion exists to glorify God by uniting 18-25-year-olds in worship, prayer and justice for spiritual awakening in this generation. From its start in 1995, the Passion movement has had a singular mission — calling students from campuses across the nation and around the world to live for what matters most, the name and renown of Jesus Christ.

Passion Conference takes place January 1-3 in Arlington, Texas. The total cost to attend is \$325, which includes your conference ticket and hotel room. Transportation to and from Texas is provided by Eleven22. Departure will be December 31 at 8pm from San Pablo. Return early January 4th. Spots are limited. Register [here](#)

Fourth Sunday | July 27 | San Pablo | 7PM

Whether you're new or have been around a while, this night is for YOU. This month's focus: Gifted for a Purpose: Discover, Sharpen, Share. We can't wait to see you there!

1825 Park Hops | August 10-12 | 6-7:30PM

Celebrate the end of summer with 1825 as we hop around some of the best parks in Jacksonville! Join us each night for fun, fellowship, and food—you won't want to miss it.

August 10: Tillie Fowler Park

August 11: Fort Family Park

August 12: Jarboe Park

1825 DG Summer – WEEK 6

Sermon Text: John 2:13-14; Ephesians 4:26-32

Connect

1825 DISCIPLE GROUPS ARE VALUE-DRIVEN, NOT CURRICULUM DRIVEN

A successful disciple group experience is defined by group members engaging in a meaningful discussion, not completing the curriculum material. Establishing trust among members and an understanding of who is in the group is vital to taking group conversations deeper and growing in vulnerability.

- **Names Matter.**
 - **Icebreaker:** What worship songs have you had on repeat lately?
 - **Next Steps Follow up:** How did it go? Whether you succeeded or not: What did you learn about God? What did you learn about yourself?
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DISCOVER & DEEPEN

(The goal is to grow in our relationship with Christ and each other. It is ok if you don't cover every question.)

Read John 2:13-16

- 1. What is ONE thought that stuck with you from this week's sermon? Why?**
- 2. Jesus didn't blow up in rage- He acted with clarity, intention, and conviction.** What did Jesus' anger reveal about Himself and who/what He loves?
- 3. If "anger is love in motion to protect what you love most" (Tim Keller), what do your reactions convey about what you love most- your comfort, your reputation, your people or God's glory? What needs to change?**
- 4. In James 1:18 we are called "beloved brothers" by Jesus.** Do you believe that? What do think God thinks about you? Is that image shaped by Scripture or shame?
- 5. Jesus fought for people, not against them.** Who in your life needs someone to fight for/with them right now- through prayer, encouragement and advocacy?

Read Ephesians 4:26-32

- 6. What tends to trigger your anger the most quickly- what's under that reaction? Is it fear, insecurity, control, pride, something else?**
- 7. Are you most likely to explode or suppress your anger?** How have you seen either of these responses hurt you or your relationships?
- 8. Ephesians says, "Don't give the devil an opportunity (or foothold)."** Where are you giving the devil a foothold? Whether with anger or another area?
- 9. What kind of words come out of your mouth?** Are they honest and healing- or cutting and careless? **Think of a time someone's words tore you down. Now think of a time someone's words built you up.** What made the difference? Whose voices are you echoing when you speak?

- 10. “As God in Christ forgave you...”** How does really remembering the forgiveness you have received shift how you view others- especially the ones who’ve hurt you? **What does tenderness and kindness look like in conflict?** Who is God calling you to be gentle with- even if they don’t “deserve it”?
- 11.** What does it practically look like for you to be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to anger? How can we be slow to anger but still courageous enough to take *decisive* action when we see injustice?
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ACTION STEP

In light of your answers, what is one step God is calling you to take this week?

Sanctification and spiritual growth are not linear, but they always involve a step of obedience. Some will have the same next step week after week as they grow in spiritual disciplines and learn to walk in obedience. Others will have a next step that can be completed within the week.

The more you can lead individuals in making their next step SMART (specific, measurable, achievable, relevant, timely) the easier it is to walk out accountability.

Example:

1825: “My next step is to read my bible more.”

Leader: “How many times this next week do you want to read your bible? When will you do it? How long? What will you read?”

1825: “I want to read when I wake up three mornings for 20 minutes.”

Have a group member record next steps and share in your Group Me.

Next week check in. How did it go? Whether you accomplished the goal or not: What did you learn about God? Yourself?

Prayer

How can we pray for you and your walk with Jesus? Close in Prayer.

While we are happy to pray for all things, we want to grow in authenticity by asking and sharing how we can pray for one another as we discover and deepen in our relationship with Christ and take next steps of obedience.

*****TIP:** Provide index cards. Have each member write their prayer requests on a card with their name and place in the middle of the circle. At the end of group each person selects a card to pray over for the next week. Encourage members to reach out to the individual they are praying for during the week. Mixed groups: keep guys and girls cards separate. Guys pray and reach out to guys. Girls pray and reach out to girls.
