

**The Chapel Family Bible Reading Program – January 28<sup>th</sup> – February 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
***Doing Life Together – 3D Life***

**MONDAY:**

**KEY VERSE:** Mark 1:21-45

**OBSERVATION:** Jesus' call to us is simple—repent. The word literally means “to turn” and move in the opposite direction. It's not a passive word, but an active one, just as if a powerful king was coming and we were his enemies! We immediately stop living in line with kingdom of which we've always been citizens and shift our allegiance to the new kingdom, in this case, the Kingdom of God. What does that process look like? We must recognize the sin in our lives, admit it before God in prayer, leave it there with Him, and turn toward a new life that is now defined by His rule and reign.

**TUESDAY:**

**KEY VERSE:** Mark 2:1-17

**OBSERVATION:** Once we understand that the Bible is the Word of God to us, given so that we would grow as disciples and ultimately, help others to grow as disciples, most are anxious to read and learn. In fact, one of the marks of the presence of the Holy Spirit in our life, Who comes into our lives when we repent and enter into the Kingdom of God, is that we have a desire to read and understand the Word of God.

**WEDNESDAY:**

**KEY VERSE:** Mark 2:18-3:6

**OBSERVATION:** As children of God, we have total access to God. We can come to Him at any time with anything at all, and He delights to hear from us. This reality is so wonderful that it's hard to even imagine! However, rather than us just coming before our Father babbling with excitement, Jesus gives His disciples a model by which we can pray.

**THURSDAY:**

**KEY VERSE:** Mark 3:7-35

**OBSERVATION:** As followers of Jesus, we are each a part of the global and universal church, which is made up of all followers of Jesus across all time and places. However, this must not be the extent to which we engage the church! It's vitally important for us to also be connected to a specific local church as well.

**FRIDAY:**

**KEY VERSE:** Mark 4:1-34

**OBSERVATION:** Many who are reading this have already been baptized as a believing adult, which is wonderful. However, there are some who for one reason or another don't believe that they should be baptized. Maybe they aren't sure they're life is yet a good representation of Jesus, or maybe they aren't sure how to go about the process, or maybe they're just afraid of making such a bold statement. The reasons are numerous, but the bottom line is that Jesus has called all who are His disciples to be baptized.

**SATURDAY:**

**KEY VERSE:**

**OBSERVATION:** As you complete Step One: Foundation take a few minutes to look back at each of the sections. What has God called you to do? What action steps do you need to take to put these things into place? What resources are needed for these things to become a reality? Think back through the journey and summarize what you've learned and what your next steps need to be below.