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BIBLICAL SCHOOL YEAR 2 SYLLABUS

Week	Lesson	Topic	Reading
Week 1	Lesson 1	The Conception of the Kingdom	Matthew 1:1-25 (ISB*) Luke 1:1-38; 3:23-28 (ISB)
Week 2	Lesson 2	The Infancy of the Kingdom	Matthew 2:1-2:23 (ISB) Luke 1:39-2:52 (ISB)
Week 3	Lesson 3	Preparation for the Kingdom	Matthew 3:1-4:11; 11:2-19; 14:1-12 (ISB) Mark 1:1-13; 6:7-30 (ISB) Luke 3:1-22; 4:1-13; 7:18-35 (ISB)
Week 4	Lesson 4	The Announcement of the Kingdom	Matthew 4:12-25; 8:1-22; 9:1-8, 18-33 (ISB) Mark 1:14-20; 1:29-2:12; 5:21-43 (ISB) Luke 4:14-30; 4:38-5:26; 7:1-17; 8:40-56; 17:11-19 (ISB)
Week 5	Lesson 5	Preaching the Kingdom	Matthew 5:1-7:29 (ISB) Luke 6:17-49 (ISB)
Week 6	Lesson 6	The Battles of the Kingdom	Matthew 8:23-34; 9:9-17, 32-38; 10:1-11:1; 11:20-12:50 (ISB) Mark 1:21-28; 2:13-3:35; 4:35-5:20; 6:1-13 (ISB) Luke 4:31-37; 5:27-6:16; 8:19-39; 9:1-6; 10:1-24; 11:14-12:12; 13:10-17; 13:22-14:6; 14:25-35 (ISB)
Week 7	Lesson 7	Revealing & Concealing the Kingdom	Matthew 13:1-58 (ISB) Mark 4:1-34 (ISB) Luke 8:4-18; 10:25-37; 13:18-21; 14:7-24; 15:1-16:17; 18:1-14 (ISB)
Week 8	Lesson 8	Revelations of the King & Kingdom	Matthew 14:13-17:27 (ISB) Mark 6:31-9:32 (ISB) Luke 7:36-8:3; 9:7-45; 10:38-42; 12:13-13:9; 17:1-10, 20-37 (ISB)
Week 9	Lesson 9	Living as Children in the Kingdom	Matthew 6:9-13; 18:1-20:34 (ISB) Mark 9:33-10:52 (ISB) Luke 9:46-62; 11:1-13; 16:18; 18:15-19:27 (ISB)
Week 10	Lesson 10	Redeeming the Kingdom (Holy Week Part I)	Matthew 21:1-23:39; 26:6-13 (ISB) Mark 11:1-12:44; 14:3-9 (ISB) Luke 19:28-21:4 (ISB)
Week 11	Lesson 11	Redeeming the Kingdom (Holy Week Part II)	Matthew 24:1-26:5; 26:14-35 (ISB) Mark 13:1-14:2; 14:10-31 (ISB) Luke 21:5-22:38 (ISB)
Week 12	Lesson 12	Redeeming the Kingdom (Holy Week Part III)	Matthew 26:36-27:66 (ISB) Mark 14:32-15:47 (ISB) Luke 16:19-31; 22:39-23:56 (ISB)
Week 13	Lesson 13	Raising the Kingdom	Matthew 28:1-20 (ISB) Mark 16:1-20 (ISB) Luke 24:1-53 (ISB)
Week 14	Lesson 14	The Acts of the Apostles (I)	Acts 1-9 (ISB)



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Week 15	Lesson 15	The Acts of the Apostles (II)	Acts 10-28 (ISB)
Week 16	Midterm review		
Week 17	Lesson 16	1 & 2 Thessalonians	1 & 2 Thessalonians (ISB)
Week 18	Lesson 17	Galatians	Galatians (ISB)
Week 19	Lesson 18	1 Corinthians (I)	1 Corinthians 1-7 (ISB)
Week 20	Lesson 19	1 Corinthians (II)	1 Corinthians 8-16 (ISB)
Week 21	Lesson 20	2 Corinthians	2 Corinthians (ISB)
Week 22	Lesson 21	Romans (I)	Romans 1-6 (ISB)
Week 23	Lesson 22	Romans (II)	Romans 7-16 (ISB)
Week 24	Lesson 23	Philippians	Philippians (ISB)
Week 25	Lesson 24	Colossians & Philemon	Colossians & Philemon (ISB)
Week 26	Lesson 25	Ephesians	Ephesians (ISB)
Week 27	Lesson 26	Hebrews (I)	Hebrews 1-7 (ISB)
Week 28	Lesson 27	Hebrews (II)	Hebrews 8-13 (ISB)
Week 29	Final review		
Week 30	Lesson 28	1 & 2 Timothy; Titus	1 & 2 Timothy; Titus (ISB)

* ISB = Ignatius Study Bible (see Biblical School Book List for ordering information – <https://sjvlaydivision.org/book-lists/>)

** Syllabus subject to modification by instructor.