

The Discipleship Experience

Cru Inner City

COST: FREE

(Each participant needs to purchase Real-Life Discipleship for \$15.99 on Amazon)

In this comprehensive 15 week workshop, participants will become fully immersed in the discipleship experience. Not only will they learn how to recognize what it means to be a disciple, but also learn how to make disciples.

This will **also** be a great class for leaders to learn how to get a ministry of discipleship up and running in their church.

The workshop will consist of large group lectures, small group discussions, and practical homework each week. Each participant will need to purchase the Real-Life Discipleship Training Manual beforehand.

This class will be held both on Zoom as well as in-person as necessary.

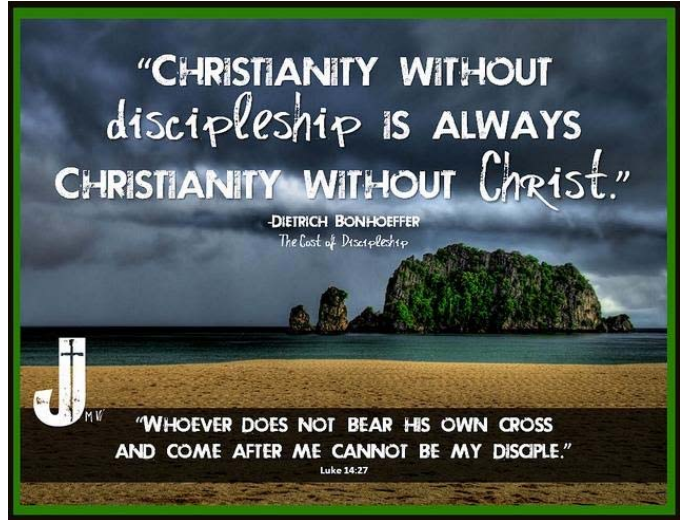
Classes will be Thursday evenings, 7-9 p.m. The first class is January 14, 2021 and runs until April 22, 2021. (For our Spanish speaking friends, a class will be held in Spanish will be held after this one.)

To receive a certificate of completion participants must:

- Attend at least 11 sessions.
- Develop and give their 3 minute salvation testimony in class and receive feedback from fellow classmates.
- Teach one Bible Study during class time and accept feedback from fellow students.
- Start discipling someone outside of class.
- Complete 4 practical homework activities outside of class.
- Memorize 5 Scriptures.
- Complete the 12-week workbook.

Please register by **January 13, 2021** so we can be prepared for all students. To register fill out the registration form that you were sent or go online at cru.org/innercity/orlando, Questions? Contact Karen Akers at Karen.Akers@cru.org or 407-719-9460.

²¹They preached the gospel in that city and won a large number of disciples. Then they returned to Lystra, Iconium and Antioch, ²²strengthening the disciples and encouraging them to remain true to the faith. "We must go through many hardships to enter the kingdom of God," they said (Acts 14:21-22, NIV).



Discipleship Class Overview

Typical Schedule

- 7:00–7:45 Opening & Large Group Teaching Segment
- 7:45–7:55 Break
- 7:55–8:05 Break into Small Groups & Share Gospel 3-Minute Testimonies (with Feedback)
- 8:05–9:00 Workbook Discussion (also done in small groups)

Class Assignments for a Certificate

- Attend at least 11 out of the 15 sessions and participate in discussions.
- Complete 5 "days" of the Real-Life Discipleship Training Manual for each class.
- Prepare and give your 3-minute salvation testimony in class to your small group and receive feedback from fellow classmates.
- Co-teach one Workbook discussion during the class time and receive feedback from fellow students.
- Complete at least 4 of the outside-of-class activities.
- Begin Looking for someone to start discipling one-on-one in the spring. Pray for God's leading.
- Memorize the 5 class Scripture Verses. (1st one: Matthew 28:18-20).

Outside-of-class Activities (Some Examples)

- Share your 3-minute testimony with someone
- Share the gospel with someone
- Share the Holy Spirit booklet with someone
- Do the "Christian Fundamental Assessment" with someone
- Complete Follow-Up lesson #1 on your own, and go through a follow-up lesson with someone else

Important Information

- Please put the dates in your calendar and work hard not to schedule other things instead.
- The class will be starting and ending on-time, so it is important to try to be a few minutes early to get settled beforehand.
- Opportunities to meet one-on-one with staff, or your small group leader as needed.

Class Schedule (Tentative)

DATES	Training Topic	Workbook Lessons (due following week)
1/14/2021	Biblical Framework for Discipleship & Testimony Training	Week 1
1/21/2021	What is a Disciple? / What Does Discipleship Look Like?	Week 2
1/28/2021	The Stages of Discipleship	Week 3
2/04/2021	The Spirit Filled Life	Week 4
2/11/2021	The Gospel & Discipleship	Week 5
2/18/2021	Follow-up Training / Curriculum	Week 6
2/25/2021	(Whole time in small group)	Week 7
3/04/2021	How to Lead a Small Group & Asking Good Questions	Week 8
3/11/2021	How to Lead a One-on-one Session & Relational Ministry	Week 9
3/18/2021	Wholistic Discipleship	Week 10
3/25/2021	More Relational Ministry, Review and Q&A	Week 11
4/01/2021	Addressing Personal and Spiritual Conflict	Week 12
4/08/2021	(Whole time in small groups)	Week 13
4/15/2021	Prayer/Curriculum Options/Future Planning	Week 14
4/22/2021	Final Small Group Session - Final Celebration! Certificates sent out.	Week 15