

Adult Bible Study 2021-22

“Walk Thru the Bible”

August 22nd

“Where to Start”

Open questions—

1. How do you start a puzzle? A craft project? A home or car repair? Just jump in? Or do you carefully plan who-when-where-why before you pick up the first piece? How frustrating is it to be half way through and realize something is missing?

2. Can you believe and follow the Bible if you don't believe the beginning of Genesis? How would not believing these stories as true affect your faith and your walk with Christ?

Dig Questions—

1. How impactful are the first 5 words of Genesis? _____

2. Can you take all this literally? Or is this figurative? Is it just allegory used by ancient man to explain things he/she couldn't understand? Does it matter? _____

3. Does the Bible leave any room for the flood to be less than worldwide? Read Genesis 6:6-7, Matthew 24:37-39 _____

Reflect questions—

1. How can the Bible be “the greatest book in all the world” if we can't believe the things it says as fact?

2. Am I willing to accept the account of creation, the story of Adam and Eve and the fall of man, and the fantastic story of Noah the flood as fact? How hard is it for me to take things in life as truth, or am I skeptical of most things I hear? Do you have to “prove it to me” for me to believe?

3. What do I use as the gauge of truth in my life? How do I come to believe things that I am told?

Connecting the Word of God to Itself so we can connect it to our lives