



## Sunday School Training Agenda

Doughnuts and Fruit (8:30-8:45)

- God's Passion for Teaching (8:45-9:00) *Terry Lanford*
  - Knowing God and Being Known
  - Exodus 4 – Teaching is God's Idea
  - Deut. 6:6-9, Deut. 33, Matthew 23
- The Spiritual Growth of the Teacher (9:00-9:15) includes break  
Spiritual Health Assessment
- Becoming a Teacher Shaped by God
  - The Role of the Holy Spirit - video (9:15-9:45)
  - Teaching and Transformation (9:45-10:15)
  - A Bible Teachers Prayer Life
  - Applying Spiritual Disciplines
  - Plan for Greater Spiritual Maturity
- Learning From Biblical Models (10:15-10:45)
  - Ezra
  - Paul and early church
  - The Astonishing Teaching of Jesus (video)
- Leadership and Recruiting (10:45-12:00) *Al Phillips*

Lunch (12:00-12:30)

- Inductive Bible Study Training (12:30-1:00) *Terry Lanford*
  - Explanation of Method
  - Exercise – Inductive study of Hebrews 1
  - Discussion

- Lesson Preparation I (1:00-1:30)
  - Preparing an outline
  - Main idea/central truth
  - Stating the objective
  - Points of outline
  - Illustrations
  - Application
  - Strong Conclusion

#### Break

- Lesson Preparation II (1:45-3:00)
- Review sample lesson plans
- Use of Helpful Resources
- Addressing Contemporary issues
- Lesson Presentation *Al Phillips*
  - Consider the format (kitchen table, small group facilitator, or lecture)
  - Passion, Creativity and Expectation
  - Effective Communication
  - Technology and Visual Aids
- Handling classroom distractions

#### Conclusion