

# Adult Bible Study 2009-2010 lesson titles and print Scriptures

(Spring-Summer)

## Spring 2010

### Teachings on Community

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**Teacher guide writers:** Ken Hawkey

#### UNIT I

##### *Community with a mission*

1. March 7, 2010, Jonah 1:1-3; 3:1-9  
Influencing community change
2. March 14, 2010, Jonah 3:10—4:5  
Jealousy of others
3. March 21, 2010, Ruth 1:1-9, 14b, 16  
Commitment to a new community
4. March 28, 2010, Ruth 2:5-12; 3:9-11  
Gaining acceptance

#### UNIT II

##### *Teachings of Jesus*

5. April 4, 2010, John 16:16-24; 20:11-16  
Loss and life
6. April 11, 2010, 1 John 2:9-11, 15-17  
Living in the light of love
7. April 18, 2010, Matthew 22:34-40  
The necessity of love
8. April 25, 2010, Luke 14:15-24  
All are invited

#### UNIT III

##### *Teachings of the church*

9. May 2, 2010, Colossians 1:1-4  
Understanding and living truth
10. May 9, 2010, Colossians 2:1-10  
Distinguishing truth from deceit
11. May 16, 2010, Colossians 3:12-17  
A sense of true belonging
12. May 23, 2010, Philemon 8-18  
Doing the right thing
13. May 30, 2010, Jude 3-7, 19-21, 24-25  
Tempering judgment with mercy

## Summer 2010

### Christian Commitment in Today's World,

**Student guide writer:** Don Unger and Naomi Unger

**Teacher guide writers:** Aimee Reid

#### UNIT I

##### *The nature of Christian commitment*

1. June 6, 2010, 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10  
Witness in daily life
2. June 13, 2010, 1 Thessalonians 2:1-12  
Motives for commitment
3. June 20, 2010, 1 Thessalonians 3  
Encourage one another
4. June 27, 2010, 1 Thessalonians 4:1-12  
Motivation for action

#### UNIT II

##### *The foundation of Christian commitment*

5. July 4, 2010, 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11  
Finding hope
6. July 11, 2010, 2 Thessalonians 1:3-12  
Finding purpose in life
7. July 18, 2010, 2 Thessalonians 2:13-17  
Standing firm
8. July 25, 2010, 2 Thessalonians 3:1-5  
Finding strength

#### UNIT III

##### *The marks of Christian commitment*

9. August 1, 2010, Philippians 1:18b-29  
Overcoming obstacles
10. August 8, 2010, Philippians 2:1-13  
Serving others
11. August 15, 2010, Philippians 3:7-16  
A focus for life
12. August 22, 2010, Philippians 4:2-14  
Finding peace
13. August 29, 2010, Acts 28:16-25a, 28-31  
Keeping commitments

# Adult Bible Study 2010-2011 lesson titles and print Scriptures

(Fall-Winter)

## Fall 2010

### The inescapable God

**Student guide writer:** Leonard Beechy

**Teachers guide writer:** Herbert Swartz

#### UNIT I

##### *God reveals*

1. September 5, 2010, Exodus 3:1-6, 13-15  
No excuses
2. September 12, 2010, Exodus 20:1-11  
Who's the boss?
3. September 19, 2010, Exodus 32:1-10  
Keeping faith
4. September 26, 2010, Exodus 34:1, 4-10  
Steadfast love

#### UNIT II

##### *God sustains*

5. October 3, 2010, Psalm 8  
Caring for creation
6. October 10, 2010, Psalm 19:7-14  
Seeking wisdom
7. October 17, 2010, Psalm 46:1-7  
Seeking refuge
8. October 24, 2010, Psalm 47  
Good leaders
9. October 31, 2010, Psalm 63  
Filling our emptiness

#### UNIT III

##### *God protects*

10. November 7, 2010, Psalm 66:1-12  
Wholly dependable
11. November 14, 2010, Psalm 90:1-12  
Life is short
12. November 21, 2010, Psalm 91:1-6, 9-16  
Where is my security blanket?
13. November 28, 2010, Psalm 139:1-6, 13-16, 23-24  
Comforting awareness

## Winter 2010-2011

### Assuring hope

**Student guide writer:** Ivan D. Friesen

**Teachers guide writer:** David Morrow

#### UNIT I

##### *Comfort for God's people*

1. December 5, 2010, Isaiah 40:1-5, 25-26, 29-31  
Receiving comfort and strength
2. December 12, 2010, Isaiah 41:8-10, 17-20  
Not forsaken
3. December 19, 2010, Isaiah 9:7; 11:1-9  
Hope for good leadership
4. December 26, 2010, Isaiah 43:1-7, 11-13  
Whom shall I follow?
5. January 2, 2011, Isaiah 44:21-26  
Experiencing redemption

#### UNIT II

##### *A future for God's people*

6. January 9, 2011, Isaiah 45:18-24a  
Hope for the future
7. January 16, 2011, Isaiah 48:14-19, 21-22  
Putting the past aside
8. January 23, 2011, Isaiah 49:1-6  
Pay it forward
9. January 30, 2011, Isaiah 53:4-6, 10-12  
Suffering for others

#### UNIT III

##### *Jesus, the promised servant-leader*

10. February 6, 2011, Mark 8:27-9:1  
A matter of identity
11. February 13, 2011, Mark 9:2-13  
Follow the leader
12. February 20, 2011, Mark 10:35-45  
True leadership
13. February 28, 2011, Mark 13:14-27  
The return!

# Adult Bible Study 2010-2011 lesson titles and print Scriptures

(Spring-Summer)

## Spring 2011

### We worship God

**Student guide writer:** Sue C. Steiner

**Teachers guide writer:** Gail Shetler

#### UNIT I

##### *A guide for worship leaders*

1. March 6, 2011, 1 Timothy 2:1-6; 3:14-16  
The search for meaning
2. March 13, 2011, 1 Timothy 3:1-13  
Choosing a good leader
3. March 20, 2011, 1 Timothy 4:6-16  
Fitness for leadership
4. March 27, 2011, 1 Timothy 5:1-8, 17-22  
All in the family

#### UNIT II

##### *Ancient words of praise*

5. April 3, 2011, 2 Timothy 2:8-15  
Communicating personal beliefs
6. April 10, 2011, Jude 17-25  
Assurance for daily living
7. April 17, 2011, Mark 11:1-11  
Lavishing praise
8. April 24, 2011, Matthew 28:1-17  
Eternal remembrance
9. May 1, 2011, Philippians 2:1-11  
Emulating others

#### UNIT III

##### *John's vision of worship*

10. May 8, 2011, Revelation 4:1-2, 6b-11  
Communicating through symbols
11. May 15, 2011, Revelation 7:9-17  
Where we look in times of trouble
12. May 22, 2011, Revelation 21:1-8  
New beginnings
13. May 29, 2011, Revelation 22:1-9  
Appreciating abundance

## Summer 2011

### God instructs the people of God

**Student guide writer:** Perry B. Yoder

**Teachers guide writer:** Willmar Harder

#### UNIT I

##### *God's people learn from prosperity*

1. June 5, 2011, Joshua 1:1-6; 11-12  
A job well done
2. June 12, 2011, Joshua 1  
Living by the rules
3. June 19, 2011, Joshua 2  
Knowing whom to trust
4. June 26, 2011, Joshua 5:13-6:27  
The thrill of victory
5. July 3, 2011, Joshua 7-8:29  
The agony of defeat

#### UNIT II

##### *Listening for God in changing times*

6. July 10, 2011, Judges 2; 21:25  
Help is on the way
7. July 17, 2011, Judges 3:7-31; 21:25  
Help from unexpected sources
8. July 24, 2011, Judges 6-8; 21:25  
Following wise leaders
9. July 31, 2011, Judges 10:6-11:33; 21:25  
Improving community
10. August 7, 2011, Judges 13-14; 21:25  
Preparing for leadership

#### UNIT III

##### *A case study in community*

11. August 14, 2011, Ruth 1:1-18  
Choosing community wisely
12. August 21, 2011, Ruth 2-3; Leviticus 19:9-10  
Depending on community
13. August 28, 2011, Ruth 4  
Caring for one another