

This commitment has long been part of the Calvary Chapel movement and has impacted countless lives through the simple teaching of Scripture. One of the phrases often associated with Calvary Chapel is: "Simply teaching the Bible simply."

Our desire is not to create a religious environment filled with pressure, performance, or unnecessary barriers. We want people to know the Lord, grow in His Word, walk in His grace, worship Him sincerely, and become part of a genuine church family centered around Jesus Christ.

We do not believe Christianity is about checking religious boxes so people can feel accepted or like they belong. If you love the Lord, desire to follow Him, and call this your church home, then you are part of the family.

We believe there is no better way for a church to grow together than by consistently learning and applying the Word of God together — verse-by-verse, chapter-by-chapter, and book-by-book.

If you have questions about our teaching philosophy or would like to learn more about Calvary Chapel Solid Rock, we would love to talk with you.



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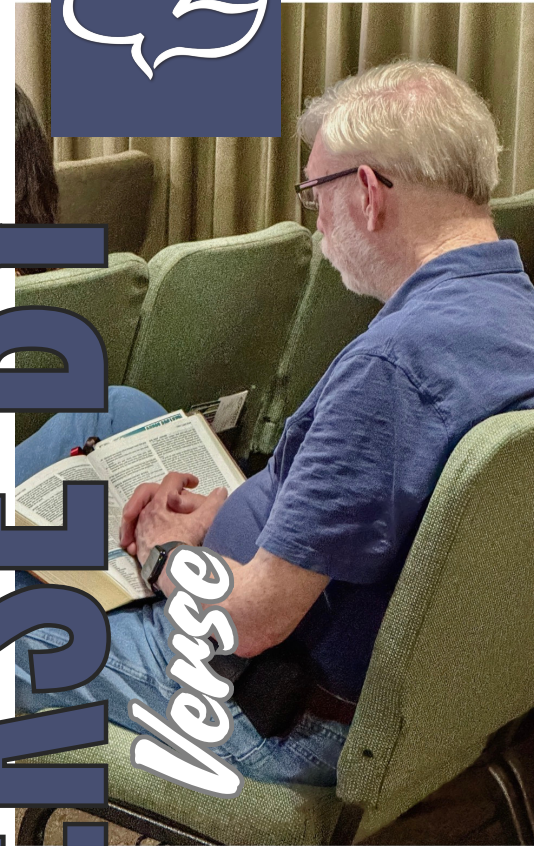
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WHY WE TEACH VERSE BY VERSE

At Calvary Chapel Solid Rock, one of our core commitments is teaching through books of the Bible verse-by-verse and chapter-by-chapter.

This means that instead of choosing a new topic each week, we usually study straight through entire books of the Bible in their proper context, allowing Scripture itself to guide what is taught and emphasized. Paul told the Ephesian elders:

**“For I have not shunned to declare
to you the whole counsel of God.”
— Acts 20:27 NKJV**

We believe there is great spiritual value in learning the whole counsel of God rather than only focusing on selected topics or favorite passages.

Teaching the Bible verse-by-verse helps us understand Scripture in context. Rather than isolating verses or building messages around personal opinions, we learn what God actually intended through the surrounding verses, chapters, and books of the Bible.

This approach also helps protect us from imbalance.

Some churches or teachers may focus heavily on certain subjects week after week — such as money, success, prophecy, politics, emotions, or personal improvement — which can unintentionally create a distorted understanding of God’s priorities and the Christian life.

But when we teach verse-by-verse, the emphasis naturally stays closer to the emphasis God Himself gives within His Word.

This means we study:

- grace and truth
- encouragement and correction
- promises and warnings
- doctrine and application
- salvation and discipleship
- faith and obedience

We also believe verse-by-verse teaching helps believers grow into spiritually healthy and grounded Christians.

Over time, people begin to:

- understand the Bible more deeply
- see how Scripture connects together
- grow in discernment
- learn how to study the Bible personally
- become rooted in truth instead of trends or emotions

Just as importantly, this approach forces us to deal with difficult passages instead of avoiding them. Some parts of Scripture comfort us, while others confront us, challenge us, or expose areas where we need to grow. But all of God’s Word is profitable and necessary for spiritual maturity.

**“All Scripture is given by inspiration
of God, and is profitable...”
— 2 Timothy 3:16 NKJV**

At the same time, we do recognize there is an appropriate place for topical teaching when needed. Throughout the Bible, specific issues, questions, and needs are addressed directly. There may be times when we pause for a special series or focus on a particular subject that would benefit the church.

However, we believe the healthiest long-term approach for spiritual growth is consistently studying God’s Word in context, verse-by-verse, as a church family.