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## FOUNDATIONS CLASS

### **Purpose**

Evident Life is about equipping people to be fully alive followers of Christ who worship God in Spirit and in Truth. We believe that it is God's intention for His people to live lives of freedom and victory while bringing His love, compassion, righteousness, and justice into the world. It is the role of the church to prepare the Saints of God to do the work of His kingdom here on this earth. To this end, we are committed to being a community of believers who intentionally and thoughtfully seek God's Word for all truth while inviting the fullness of the Holy Spirit into our lives, our worship, our ministry, and our relationships. We will be fully alive in Christ as we purposefully respond to the Truth of God's Word and the presence of His Spirit.

### **General Overview**

The Evident Life Church Foundations Class is an 8-week course designed to equip followers of Christ with core biblical truth. The textbooks for this class will be the *Bible* and *The Purple Book: Biblical Foundations for Building Strong Disciples*. Each week, students will complete the lessons corresponding to the assigned chapters in *The Purple Book*.

On Sunday mornings, from 9:00 – 9:45AM, the class will meet at Evident Life Church for engaging class discussions. Specific lessons from the textbook will be chosen for weekly discussions. An assigned instructor will lead these classroom gatherings.

Attendance: It is very important that students make this class a priority. All work must be completed for final credit. If a student misses more than 2 classes or fails to complete the weekly assignments, they will be required to retake the course at a future date.

Certificate of Completion: Each student who completes the Foundations Class will receive a certificate of completion. Completion of this class may be a prerequisite for certain areas of service within the Evident Life Church ministry.

### **Course Outline**

	<b><u>Assigned Chapter(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Classroom Lesson(s)</u></b>
<b>Week 1:</b>	1 - Sin & Salvation 2 - Lordship & Obedience	Grace Through Faith The Narrow Door
<b>Week 2:</b>	3 - Repentance & Baptism	What Shall We Do   Water Baptism
<b>Week 3:</b>	4 - The Holy Spirit & Spiritual Gifts	Who is the Holy Spirit   Spiritual Gifts The Baptism of the Holy Spirit
<b>Week 4:</b>	5 - Spiritual Hunger & God's Word 6 - Discipleship & Leadership	Spiritual Hunger The Call: Make Disciples
<b>Week 5:</b>	7 - Spiritual Family & Church Life 8 - Prayer & Worship	The Victorious Church The Power of Prayer
<b>Week 6:</b>	9 - Faith & Hope 10 - Biblical Prosperity & Generosity	Mountain Moving Faith Biblical Principles of Prosperity
<b>Week 7:</b>	11 - Evangelism & World Missions	Everyone is a Minister   Miracles, Signs and Wonders
<b>Week 8:</b>	12 - Resurrection & Judgment	Death and Resurrection   The Judgment of Saints