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On your notecard, write down a question or
a statement from a LifeGroup attendee
that you found difficult to deal with and/or
respond to while teaching



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- Clinical Professor, Department of Human-Centered Interdisciplinary Studies, SMU
- Active practitioner in dispute resolution and conflict management
- Written over 60 peer-reviewed publications and more than 200 editorials
- Quoted in Readers Digest, the Wall Street Journal, and the Asian Wall Street Journal, as well as other national and international publications



How do you define "learning"
in the LifeGroup context?



The teacher is the lesson. The
content is always the Word of
God.



Where does a teacher's
credibility come from?



The model for a dynamic LifeGroup



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“And so, from the day we heard, we
have not ceased to pray for you,
asking that you may be filled with the
knowledge of his will in all spiritual
wisdom and understanding,”

Colossians 1:9

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To “think” is to:

1. Know what God’s Word says
2. Understand the meaning of God’s Word
3. Apply the Word to their daily life



Types of Questions

1. Warm-up
2. Informational
3. Clarifying
4. Application



How do you encourage
learners to answer questions?



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What can a teacher do when
someone is dominating the
discussion in a LifeGroup
room?



How do you correct someone
in front of their peers?



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What elements are necessary
for someone to feel safe in a
group setting?



What are some “dos” and
“don’ts” of active listening?



Holy Spirit

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THE STORY
OF JESUS
IN THE
GOSPEL
OF MARK



FALL 2025
SPRING 2026

Launches September 7

21 weeks in total

“Christ Centered Exposition: Exalting Jesus in Mark”
Commentary is in your LifeGroup’s Logos library

Curriculum will be posted during the last week of
August



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