T.E.A.M.S. Class Structure

Below is an outline for how to use your time in your class. Discipleship Groups are set apart from other groups because they focus on skills in addition to knowledge and character. It is helpful to give time for missions and equipping to make that outward focus and help them move toward disciple makers.

Truth or Theology

I create an environment for my group to learn and memorize biblical truth.

> *All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.* 2 Timothy 3:16-17, NIV

Equipping

I create an environment for my group to be equipped for ministry and life.

Spiritual Fullness in Christ

> *So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness. See to it that no one takes you captive through hollow and deceptive philosophy, which depends on human tradition and the basic principles of this world rather than on Christ. For in Christ all the fullness of the Diety lives in bodily form, and you have been given fullness in Christ, who is the head over every power and authority.* Colossians 2:6-10, NIV

Accountability

I hold my group accountable and ask them to hold me accountable for spiritual growth on a weekly basis.

> *And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.* Hebrews 10:24-25, NIV

Mission

I encourage my group to share their faith and serve in the church and community where they live, work and play.

> *Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.* Matthew 28:19-20, NIV

Supplication

I pray for my group and encourage prayer for one another and those without a relationship with Christ.

> *Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.* Philippians 4:6, NIV

Time Devoted to Segments (suggested)

Truth or Theology	20%	Equipping Accountability Mission	60%	Supplication	20%