

BREAKING BREAD

Lesson 02: Keys to Bible Study

God is a Spirit and they that
worship him must worship him
in spirit and in truth.

- John 4:24

3 Things to Prepare us for the word:

1. Purity

- *“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.”
- Mathew 5:8*

2. Prayer

- *“If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally... and it shall be given him.” - James 1:5*

3. Purpose

- *“But whoso looketh into the perfect law of liberty, and continueth therein, he being not a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work, this man shall be blessed in his deed.” - James 1:25*

4 Ways of Taking in the word:

1. Read it

- *“Seek ye out of the book of the LORD and read...” - Isaiah 34:16*

2. Study it

- *“Study to shew thyself approved unto God...” - 2 Timothy 2:15*

3. Listen to it

- *“Blessed... [are] they that hear the words of this prophecy...”
- Revelation 1:3b*

4. Memorize/Meditate on it

- *“Meditate upon these things; give thyself wholly to them...”
- 1 Timothy 4:15*

3 Things we must do with the word:

1. Believe it

- *“For this cause also thank we God without ceasing, because, when ye received the word of God which ye heard of us, ye received it not as the word of men, but as it is in truth, the word of God, which effectually worketh also in you that believe.”*
- 1 Thessalonians 2:13

2. Obey it

- *“... a good understanding have all they that do his commandments...”* - Psalm 111:10

3. Speak/Teach it

- *“We having the same spirit of faith... we also believe, and therefore speak.”* - 1 Corinthians 4:13

3 Things concerning church and preachers:

1. Go to a good church that teaches and preaches the word!

– *Hebrews 10:23-25*

2. Become part of the church!

– *1 Corinthians 12:1-27*

3. Don't only listen to 1 preacher!

– *1 Corinthians 3:5-8*