

January - March 2024 FOUNDATIONS FOR LIFE STUDIES

"Opening minds and changing lives"



During the months of January - March we continued to keep regular classes in Jaffna, Kilinochchi, Mullaitivu, Vavuniya, Puttalam, Batticaloa and Hatton.

- One-day seminar for Sunday School Teachers. There were 120 Sunday school teachers participating in the workshop.
- One-day seminar for Senior Pastors. More than 100 pastors and leaders participated in Batticaloa.
- We held a one-day workshop for women in Kaluwanchikudi Eastern Province. Most of the women said they had a fruitful time, which was very useful to their family life, raising children, and spiritual lives.
- One-day seminar for Young People, Online Classes, Family Counselling, and Equipping the Church in His mission continued.

Family and Marriage

Students say that this Family and Marriage course provides them with an open environment in which they can address all the issues in their daily lives. Young people said it's a golden opportunity to come to the sessions and learn about the issues that might affect their future marriage. Some Leaders testified that they earlier didn't respect women's leadership in their culture, but now they understand and encourage their women in leadership. They appreciate and respect women wholeheartedly. A few students shared that this Family and Marriage course helps them to build stronger bonds between couples, fostering trust, communication, and intimacy.



Spiritual Leadership

"I used to do things as a dictator in my life and ministry; this class helped me to realize that I should be humble, and I need to be held accountable to lead from a spiritual place", one participant said. A few pastors said they used to believe that their decisions were the final word in the Church and could not be assessed and critiqued by anyone. "But this training helps us to focus more on Christ-centered leadership".



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