



QUICK START GUIDE

TRUTH IS CALLING — MEN'S BIBLE STUDY · LENT 2026

7 Weeks · 10 Trail Markers · 12 Ranks · 3 Prizes · **Feb 18 Start** → **Apr 5 Easter**



HOW THE GAME WORKS

7 weeks from Ash Wednesday to Easter · Friday-to-Thursday cycles

1

Trail Markers

10 weekly assignments

2

Bonus Points

Capped at 10/week

3

Climb Ranks

12 ranks to Saint

4

Win Prizes

Top scorers at Easter



THE 7-WEEK SCHEDULE

Each week runs Friday to Thursday · Grace Week starts on Ash Wednesday

WK 1

Feb 18–26
Grace Week

WK 2

Feb 27–Mar 5
First Full Week

WK 3

Mar 6–12
Momentum

WK 4

Mar 13–19
Midpoint

WK 5

Mar 20–26
Home Stretch

WK 6

Mar 27–Apr 2
Holy Week

WK 7

Apr 3–5
Resurrection



6 RULES TO REMEMBER

The essentials that every brother should know



Thursday = Biggest Day

Check-in = 3 pts (highest value)



10 Pt Supplemental Cap

Capped at 10 pts/week



90% Quiz Threshold

Below 90% = zero points



Happy Hour = 2× Pts



Check-In = Streak Only



Liturgical = Uncapped



YOUR 10 WEEKLY TRAIL MARKERS

Complete these each week to earn staple points · ~12 pts possible



Thursday Bible Study Check-In

3 pts



Stations of the Cross

1 pt



Weekly Study Quiz (90%+)

2 pts



Lenten Commitment Check-In

1 pt



Bishop Barron Sermon Watch

1 pt



Share Ministry

1 pt



Weekend Church Check-In

1 pt



Weekly Reflection

1 pt



Catholic Teaching Quiz (90%+)

1 pt



Upload Profile Picture

0 pts



Tip: Thursday Check-In (3 pts) and Weekly Study Quiz (2 pts) are your biggest weekly earners.



THE LENTEN JOURNEY ROAD

12 stops from the Wilderness to the Empty Tomb — your avatar advances as you earn points

1



Wilderness

2



Galilee

3



Jericho

4



Bethany

5



Bethphage

6



Jerusalem

7



Temple

8



Upper Room

9



Gethsemane

10



Golgotha

11



The Tomb

12



Empty Tomb



WHAT'S IN THE APP

Everything you need for the Lenten journey



Leaderboard

All-Time + This Week's Race



Brotherhood Wall

Post thoughts, photos, videos



Daily Toss-Up

Daily puzzle, 3 PM cutoff



Challenges

Weekly brotherhood challenges



Prayer Wall

Post & pray for brothers



Study Journal

Personal reflections



Direct Messages

Private messaging



Friday Meals

No Meat Friday recipes



Journey Road

12 stops to Easter



PRIZES

Three prizes awarded at the end of the Lenten season



BIBLE CLOCK

Overall Top Scorer
from bibleclock.com



FACEBOOK PORTAL

Catholic Focus Leader
Catholic teaching excellence



COMPANION BIBLE

Wade's Studies Leader
F.W. Bullinger edition



SCORING SYSTEM

Your weekly score is built from **four categories**. Complete trail markers, engage with brothers, honor liturgical events, and master the game mechanics.

WEEKLY SCORE =

Staples

+

Supplements

+

Liturgical

+

Mechanics

= TOTAL



STAPLE POINTS

Weekly Trail Markers · ~12 pts possible

📌 Thursday Bible Study Check-In	3 pts
📖 Weekly Study Quiz (90%+)	2 pts
🎬 Bishop Barron Sermon Watch	1 pt
🏛️ Weekend Church Check-In	1 pt
📖 Catholic Teaching Quiz (90%+)	1 pt
✝️ Stations of the Cross	1 pt
🕯️ Lenten Commitment Check-In	1 pt
📢 Share Ministry	1 pt
📖 Weekly Reflection	1 pt
📷 Upload Profile Picture	0 pts

💡 **Tip:** Thursday Check-In (3 pts) and Weekly Study Quiz (2 pts) are



SUPPLEMENTAL POINTS

Bonus Engagement · Capped at 10 pts/week

🏆 Brotherhood Challenge	1 pt
💬 Daily Social Prompt	1 pt
🤝 Reach Out to a Brother	1 pt
🔥 Happy Hour Response	1 pt
🕯️ Lenten Commitment Check-In	1 pt

⚠️ **10 POINT CAP:** Once you reach 10 supplemental points in a week, you're done. A message will appear and further supplemental activities won't earn points until the next week.

🔥 **Happy Hour (Thu 6–8 PM):** Supplemental points are **doubled** during the meeting window. The 10 pts/week cap still applies.



LITURGICAL EVENTS

Special Lenten Milestones · Not subject to cap

✠ Ash Wednesday Attendance	5 pts
📷 Ash Wednesday Photo	5 pts
✠ Stations of the Cross	10 pts
🌿 Palm Sunday	20 pts
📖 Holy Thursday	30 pts
🥖 Good Friday	20 pts
🌅 Holy Saturday / Resurrection	20 pts

🏛️ **Total possible:** 110 liturgical points across the entire Lenten season. These are tracked separately and are **not** subject to the supplemental cap.



GAME MECHANICS

Quiz Performance & Puzzles · Uncapped

✅ Quiz Correct Answer (90%+ req)	1 pt ea
💯 Perfect Quiz Bonus	+1 pt
⚡ Speed Bonus (fast quiz)	+1 pt
🕒 Speed Bonus per Question (<5s)	+1 pt
🎲 Daily Double (correct)	1-3 pts
🏠 Final Puzzle (correct)	1-5 pts
⚡ Lightning Round Correct	1 pt ea
🔥 Lightning Streak Bonus	+1 pt
🏆 Lightning Perfect Round	+5 pts
🎬 YouTube Trivia (correct)	1 pt
📺 Video Quiz Correct (90%+ req)	1 pt ea

📋 **The 90% Rule:** Quizzes require 90%+ to earn any points. Below 90% = zero quiz points. You can **retake** quizzes.



THE 12 RANKS

Progress through spiritual ranks as you earn points

 Seeker 0 pts	 Disciple 8 pts	 Herald 18 pts	 Pilgrim 30 pts	 Watchman 42 pts	 Servant 55 pts
 Warrior 70 pts	 Shepherd 85 pts	 Prophet 100 pts	 Apostle 115 pts	 Elder 135 pts	 Saint 150 pts

Expected range by Easter: Most consistent brothers should reach **Warrior-Shepherd** (70-85 pts). Prophet+ is for the most dedicated.



KEY RULES SUMMARY

Quick reference for the most important game rules



Daily Check-In = Streak Only. Awards **0 points**. Streaks are for bragging rights.



90% Quiz Threshold. Below 90% = zero quiz points. You can always retake.



Liturgical events are uncapped. Tracked separately, up to 110 bonus



Supplemental Cap = 10 pts/week. Blocked from earning more until next week.



Happy Hour = 2x Supplementals. Thursday 6-8 PM MT. Cap still applies.



Pilgrimage = Spiritual Journey. No points, just grace



JOIN & GET STARTED

SETUP INSTRUCTIONS · LENT 2026



SCAN TO JOIN THE BROTHERHOOD

Point your phone camera at the QR code to open the app instantly. No app store download needed — it runs right in your browser and can be saved to your home screen for quick access.

1

Scan the QR code with your phone camera

2

Tap the link to open the app

3

Log in and complete your profile

bible-study-app.manus.space

 SCAN WITH YOUR PHONE CAMERA



ADD TO YOUR HOME SCREEN

Save the app like a native app — launches full screen with its own icon

iPhone / iPad (Safari)

1

Open the app in **Safari**

Must use Safari — Chrome/Firefox won't show the option

2

Tap the **Share** button

The square icon with an arrow at the bottom

3

Scroll down and tap **Add to Home Screen**

4

Tap **Add** in the top right

The app icon will appear on your home screen



Android (Chrome)

1

Open the app in **Chrome**

Works best with Google Chrome browser

2

Tap the **Menu** (three dots)

Located in the top-right corner of Chrome

3

Tap **Add to Home Screen**

Or "Install App" if the option appears

4

Tap **Add** to confirm

The app icon will appear on your home screen



GRACE WEEK CHECKLIST

Get set up during Week 1 (Feb 18–26) — your orientation week



Open the app and log in



Upload your profile picture



Write your Lenten commitment



Share the ministry with someone



Find your accountability partner



Explore the Journey Road



Post a greeting on the Brotherhood Wall



Write your first reflection in the journal



MOBILE NAVIGATION BAR

These 5 buttons appear at the bottom of your phone screen — tap any to navigate



Home

Dashboard, scorecard,
daily check-in,
leaderboard



Journey

Lenten road map, weekly
progress, milestones



Study

Quizzes, videos,
reflections, assignments



Community

Brotherhood Wall, DMs,
prayer, challenges



More

Profile, journal, meals,
how to play, settings



MOBILE VS. DESKTOP LAYOUT

Same app, different layouts — designed for the best experience on each device



Mobile Layout

Phone & tablet — optimized for touch

- Bottom navigation bar for quick access
- Full-screen scrolling cards
- Large tap targets for one-handed use
- Swipe gestures for quick navigation
- **Best for daily check-ins & quick activities**



Desktop Layout

Laptop & desktop — dashboard style

- Side navigation panel with all sections visible
- Multi-column dashboard showing more data
- Wider content area for quizzes & reading
- Keyboard shortcuts for power users
- **Best for quizzes, reflections & deep study**



PRO TIPS

Get the most out of your Brotherhood experience



Check In Daily

Tap the daily check-in button every day to
build your streak. It takes 2 seconds.



Happy Hour Thursdays

Between 6–8 PM MT on Thursdays,
supplemental points are doubled.



Post Photos & Videos

Share your faith journey on the
Brotherhood Wall for supplemental points.



Retake Quizzes

Scored below 90%? Retake any quiz. Only
your best score counts.



Reach Out to Brothers

Send encouragement through the app. It
earns supplemental points.



Home Screen = Faster

Adding the app to your home screen means
it opens instantly in full screen.

"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up." — 1 Thessalonians 5:11

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