



AFTER 135 SCHOOLS  
IN 14 COUNTRIES  
**THE HSI SCHOOL  
OF DISCIPLESHIP**  
IS NOW GOING  
ONLINE



## A WORD FROM THE FOUNDER

In Matthew 28:18-20, we find Jesus giving his apostles what is known as the Great Commission to “go and make disciples of all nations” and “teaching them to obey all I have commanded you”. But this is not a commission given only to them. It is a commission given to all of us who call ourselves Christians.

However, we cannot make disciples of anybody if we aren't disciples ourselves, and the HSI Schools of Discipleship help us to attain this goal. We teach the faith with three express purposes: to learn it, to live it, and to share it. A really powerful wave of the Holy Spirit, there are currently over 135 Schools in 14 countries around the world, and when the lock-down started, a new School was opening somewhere almost every other week. But, nothing can stop the work of God, so we are starting the Schools online from June 2020. A team of very anointed teachers will guide you through the course. Lessons will be held once a week on Zoom, or a similar platform, with each batch of students restricted to 100. The first four weeks are open to all to get a feel of what lies ahead, but journeying further with us will require a commitment. You will not find this burdensome.

More details are provided on the next two pages. We hope they will answer most of your questions. Should you have more, please don't hesitate to contact us at [hsischool@hsiweb.org](mailto:hsischool@hsiweb.org).

Come, let's make disciples of all nations.  
May the Spirit be with you.



Aneel Aranha

# EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW

# THE HSI SCHOOL OF DISCIPLESHIP

Free

The HSI Schools of Discipleship are fueling a new revival within the Church, something desperately needed for these trying times when Christians are dwindling in numbers so rapidly that demographic studies show they will be reduced to a minority in most countries in the world within a few years. The HSI Schools of Discipleship are helping to reverse that trend and you can be part of the process, either by animating or joining one of them.

## WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE SCHOOL?

The main purpose is to train people in the faith: to learn it, to live it and to share it. Using a very structured approach the School lays a foundation and then gradually builds upon it so that participants grow systematically in full knowledge of their faith until they are in a position of confidence and knowledge to share this faith with others.

## HOW LONG IS IT? WHAT DOES IT COVER?

The Online School comprises a 5-month long program covering a variety of subjects in five modules. Each module has four sessions that will be held over four weeks. The topics are mentioned in the Syllabus alongside.

## WHO CAN JOIN?

The School is open to anybody who wishes to grow in the faith, or learn about the faith. Since it starts off at a foundational level, even somebody who has no knowledge whatsoever about Jesus can join it. However, since it gets very deep, very quickly, even those who are spiritually mature will discover that they are learning a lot that is new, in addition to getting new insights about things that they have long been familiar with.

## HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE THERE IN A SCHOOL?

We are restricting the number of students per online School to 100.

## CAN MY CHILDREN BE PART OF THE SCHOOL?

Yes! We believe that families need to grow in the faith together and children can be part of the School. Most children, even as young as six or seven, love it, and it is wonderful to see them blossom and bloom in the faith, so do encourage them to be part of it.

## ARE THERE CONDITIONS TO JOINING?

People interested in joining the School have to commit to the program. However, the first module is open to everybody. You are encouraged to check out this module for the first week before committing to it.

## WHAT'S A TYPICAL MEETING LIKE?

The first 20 minutes will be spent in praise and worship. This is followed by a 30-45 minute talk on the topic of the week. Following the talk, you will have a break-out session with a smaller group of six people. You will be given a question to think about and discuss with members of your group. After this you will be invited to share your thoughts with the teacher, and ask questions, if any.

## WHEN AND WHERE IS IT HELD?

The first batch will begin in June, and continue for five weeks. The classes will be held online, on ZOOM, so you will need to download and install the app.

## WHAT'S THE COST?

Nothing. The School is totally free. All resource material is made available electronically either as a pdf file for the notes or a YouTube video for the sermons at no cost.

## WHAT IF I MISS A MEETING?

We encourage students to attend all classes so that they can participate in the discussions and clarify questions. However, in the event that a student misses a class, he/she can refer to the notes, and/or watch a recording of the teaching on YouTube if one is available.

## HOW WILL IT WORK WITH DIFFERENT TIME ZONES?

Classes will be held once a week from 7 p.m. to 8.30 p.m. (India time) for the duration of each School. To ensure this, each successive School will be targeted to a different time zone. The first Schools starting in June will be for people living in the Middle East/South East Asia (IST); the next starting in August for those in North America/Canada (EST); the third starting in October will be for people living in Australia/New Zealand (EST).

## WHAT HAPPENS WHEN THE LOCKDOWN ENDS?

We will once again start regular Schools of Discipleship, because these allow for greater spiritual growth and a more satisfying learning experience. We hope that your experience in the online School will encourage you to start one in your community. However, we will continue Online Schools for those who may not be able to attend a "regular" School because one doesn't exist in their community.

## OK! HOW DO I JOIN?

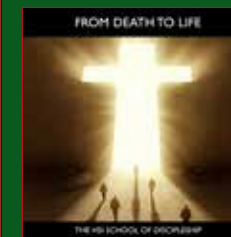
To join, simply fill out the online registration form which asks for basic information. The link is provided below. We will let you know when the School for your country will begin, and how to access the classes.

TO REGISTER ONLINE  
VISIT

[HTTPS://BIT.LY/HSISCHOOL](https://bit.ly/hsischool)

THE SYLLABUS

## 1 COME AND SEE



- 1.1 : The Renewing of the Mind
- 1.2 : The Salvation Story
- 1.3 : Sin and Temptation
- 1.4 : New Life

## 2 WADING IN



- 2.1 : Repentance
- 2.2 : Forgiveness
- 2.3 : Surrender
- 2.4 : Discipleship



- 3.1 : Prayer
- 3.2 : Study
- 3.3 : Sharing
- 3.4 : Outreach



- 4.1 : Reading Scripture
- 4.2 : Understanding Scripture
- 4.3 : Studying Scripture
- 4.4 : Meditating on Scripture



- 5.1 : Meet the Holy Spirit
- 5.2 : Led by the Spirit
- 5.3 : The Gifts of the Spirit - 1
- 5.4 : The Gifts of the Spirit - 2

**EXPONENTIAL EVANGELISM: IF 1 PERSON MAKES ONLY 1 DISCIPLE EVERY YEAR—WITH THIS DISCIPLE, IN TURN, MAKING A DISCIPLE EVERY YEAR—IN 21 YEARS THE NUMBER OF DISCIPLES WOULD BE 2,097,152. ALL BECAUSE OF THE EFFORT OF 1 PERSON. IMAGINE IF 40 PEOPLE WERE TO DO THAT? THAT'S THE DRIVING PREMISE BEHIND EACH SCHOOL OF DISCIPLESHIP. AND IT WORKS.**



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