



**Session 4.1**  
**Book Introductions:**  
**Preparing The Church**  
**For Exposition**

# JOHN 16:13-15

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Howbeit when He, the Spirit of truth, is come, He will **guide you into all truth**; for He shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever He shall hear, that shall He speak; and **He will shew you things to come**.  
He shall glorify Me; for He

# **BOOK INTRODUCTIONS**

## **Personal Preparation**

- PRAYER

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## **Personal Preparation**

- **REPETITIOUS READING**

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## **Preparation for Preaching**

- Author

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- Hearers / Readers

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## **Preparation for Preaching**

- Date / Timeframe / Environment

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## **Preparation for Preaching**

**CONTEXT...**

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## **Presentation**

- **Redemptive Focus**  
(Fallen **C**ondition **F**ocus)

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## Presentation

- Application

(Why would God want the Church today to know the content of this book?)

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## Presentation

*“One must first process  
the text for original meaning and then  
principilize the text for current  
applicability”*