

## Month One

- Introductions to one another, to the program, and to resources
- Reformed Worship—Theology and Order, Leadership and Participation, The Christian Year

## Videos

- Theocademy
  - Reformed Worship Section— [www.theocademy.com/reformed-worship](http://www.theocademy.com/reformed-worship)
    - Lesson 1: The Meaning of Life...and Worship
    - Lesson 2: Service of the Lord's Day
    - Lesson 4: Leadership and Participation
    - Lesson 5: The Christian Year
  - Ordered Ministry Section—  
[www.theocademy.com/lessons-for-ruling-elders-and-deacons](http://www.theocademy.com/lessons-for-ruling-elders-and-deacons)
    - Lesson 10: The Dynamics of Worship

## Readings

- Book of Order
  - Directory for Worship (W)
    - Preface
    - Chapter One: The Theology of Christian Worship
    - Chapter Two: The Ordering of Reformed Worship
    - Chapter Three: The Service for the Lord's Day
      - Read W-3.01 until W-3.03, then W-3.05
  - Form of Government (G)
    - Chapter Two: Ordered Ministry, Commissioning, and Certification
      - Read G-2.01 through G-2.04, and G-2.10 and G-2.11

## Preparation

- Watch the videos—take notes of key questions or topics to discuss
- Read the Book of Order selections--take notes of key questions or topics to discuss
- Write about your experiences participating in or leading worship (1/2 page)
- Make a list of your 3 favorite parts of a worship service, and a list of your 3 least favorite
- Begin journaling your daily prayer life for our next meeting