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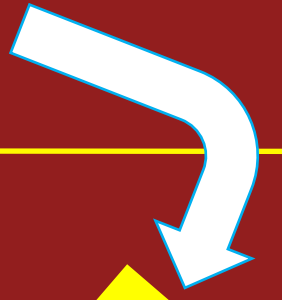
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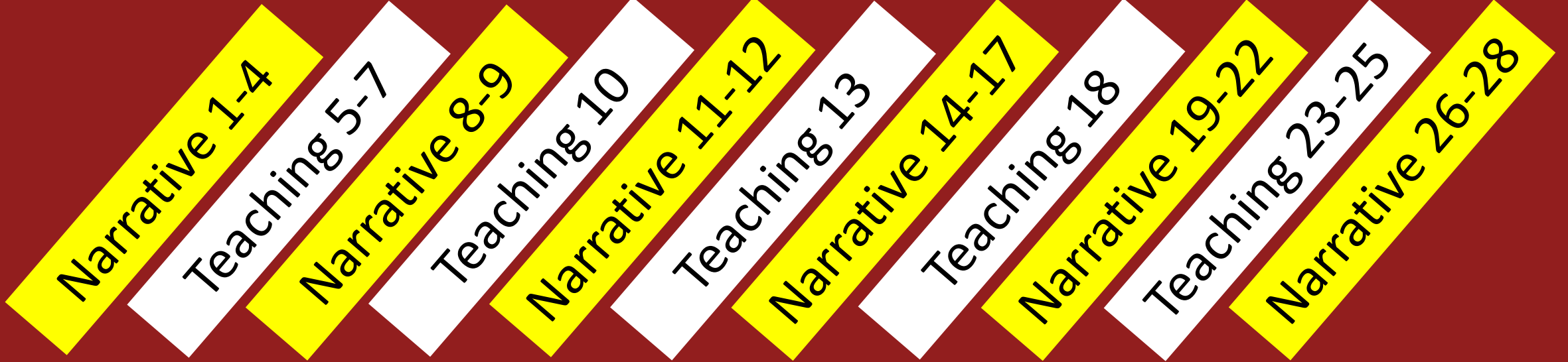
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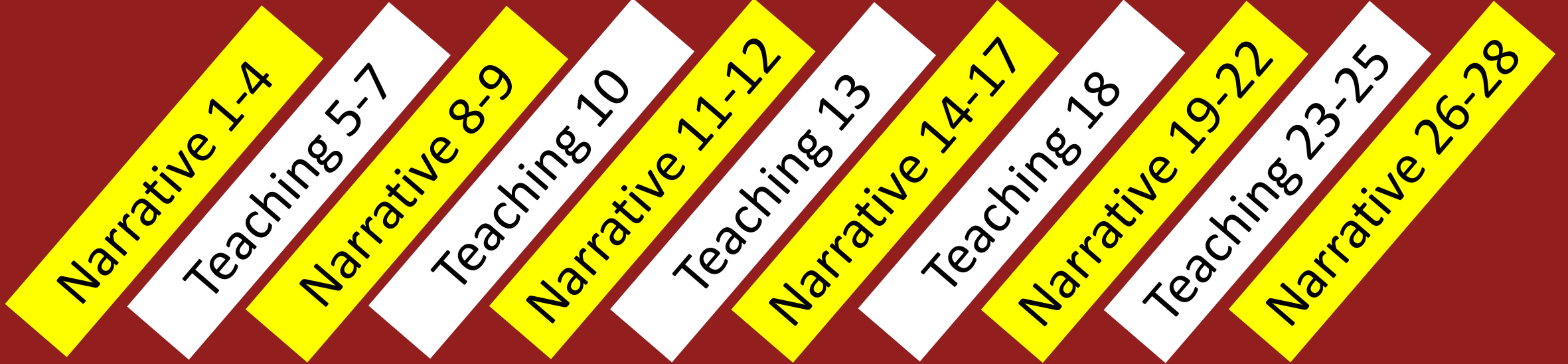
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4:18-19 While walking by the Sea of Galilee, He saw two brothers, Simon (who is called Peter) and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea, for they were fishermen. And He said to them, “Follow me, and *I will make you fishers of men.*”

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- If the church of the 21st century is going to have any impact on society, it will have to start by having the humble heart of a servant who serves rather than seeking recognition, affirmation, or even influence itself.

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**...Christ is the one we give our hearts and minds
to as He instructs us as His followers.**

Matthew 20:25b-28

“You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them.
It shall not be so among you.

But whoever would be great among you must be your servant, and whoever would be first among you must be your slave,

even as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.”

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