

Christian Ministry Unit 1 Syllabus

| Week | Topic | Memory Verses | Homework-due following week |
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| 1 | Theology Proper | Ex. 34:6-8** Gen. 1:26,27** | 1) Phil. 2:1-13 assignment (see end of student notes) 2) <u>Read</u> chapter 1 from <i>The Incomparable Christ</i> and answer questions on handout. 3) <i>Begin Church Visitation assignment</i> |
| 2 | Christology | Col. 2:9* Phil. 2:6,7* 1 Cor. 15:1-23** | 1) <u>Read</u> Genesis 1-5. Identify and list conditions <i>before</i> Adam & Eve fell and <i>after</i> they fell 2) <i>Begin Church Visitation assignment</i> |
| 3 | Anthropology QUIZ | Rom. 5:12-19** Rom. 3:9-20** | 1) <u>Read</u> Isaiah 52:13-53:12. Observe and record each parallel between Isaiah's servant and the ministry of Jesus 2) <i>Church Visitation assignment</i> |
| 4 | Substitutionary Atonement | Lev. 16** Is. 53** Rom. 3:23-24* | 1) <u>Read</u> Rom. 8:1*,31-39 & summarize what it seems to say about whether we can lose our salvation; <u>Read</u> Heb. 6:4-6 & 10:26-31 & summarize what it seems to say about whether we can lose our salvation. Write one paragraph attempting to harmonize their seeming contradiction. 2) <i>Church Visitation assignment</i> |
| 5 | Eternal Security | Rom. 8:1* Eph. 4:30* Jn. 10:27-30** | 1) <u>Read</u> John 12:32; Eph. 1:13; Rom. 2:4; 3:28; 4:4-5; 10:14. 2 Cor. 5:18-20; Matt. 28:18-20. In one paragraph, summarize what they seem to say about man's role in evangelism. In another paragraph, summarize what they say about God's role in evangelism? 2) <i>Church Visitation assignment</i> |
| 6 | God's Sovereignty & Human Choice in Salvation QUIZ | 1 Pet. 1:1b-2* 1 Jn. 2:2* 2 Pet. 3:9* | 1) <u>Read</u> 1 John 2:15,16* Describe what you believe each of the 3 "things of the world" are, and give an example of each. Why would Satan use these as tactics on the non-Christian? Christian? 2) <i>Church Visitation assignment</i> due August 13 at the Study Center for students taking module 1 only (see reverse under "Church Visitation"). |

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| 7 | Satanology 1 | Ez. 28:11-19** Eph. 6:10-18** Rev. 12:11* 1 Jn. 2:15-16* | 1) Read Rev. 12:9-11* Answer in your own words: What three ways does Satan attack Christians? In what three ways do we overcome these attacks? 2) Work on your <i>Church Visitation Assignment</i> . |
| 8 | Satanology 2 | 1 Pet. 5:8* 1 John 4:4* Deut. 18:9-12** | 1) Read Ps. 2:1-12; Isa. 11:1-12; Zech. 14:1-11,16-19 and record what role Israel &/or Jerusalem will play in God's future kingdom. 2) Work on your <i>Church Visitation Assignment</i> (due last week class). |
| 9 | Eschatology 1 (“The Last Things”) QUIZ | Rom. 11:29* Jer. 31:31-37** | 1) Read Rev. 21,22. What are the key features of the New Heavens & the New Earth? How does this fortify you to endure in your service to Christ? 2) Hand in <i>Church Visitation Assignment next week!</i> |
| 10 | Eschatology 2 (“The Last Things”) | 2 Thess. 2:3,4* Matt. 24:1-36** Rev. 21,22** | <i>Church Visitation Assignment due tonight!</i> |
| EXAM | | | |

Memory Verses

* = memorize the book and chapter reference, exact verse quote, and its application.

** = know the book and chapter reference, general content of the verse, and application.

Church Visitation

The *Church Visitation Assignment* is due by on the last day of class.

Exam.

Students of Christian Ministry 1 will take a cumulative exam during normal class time on the 11th week.