

COURSE OVERVIEW

Christian Faith and Living applies what students have learned in their study of the teachings of the Old and New Testaments. The course focuses on personal Christian ministry, the nature of God, comparative religions, and the writings of James, John, David, Solomon, and Daniel. These areas target three content strands: the attributes of God, biblical literature, and Christian growth.

Upon completion of the course, students should be able to do the following:

- Understand the unique identity of a Christian.
- Pursue the various opportunities to serve as a Christian.
- Explain the Christian view of the Trinity.
- Identify the meaning of James' and John's letters.
- Describe the contents of the book of Daniel.
- Contrast Christianity with other religions of the world.
- Use God's wisdom to solve problems among today's youth.
- Identify the practical steps toward successful Christian living.

UNIT 1: KNOWING YOURSELF	
CHRISTIAN FAITH AND LIVING	Assignment Titles
	1. Course Overview
	2. Knowing What You Are: God's Creation
	3. Your Unique Personality
	4. Your Interaction with Others
	5. Quiz 1: Personality
	6. Knowing Who You Are: A Child of God
	7. Project: Your Personal Testimony*
	8. Project: Memorize Scripture*
	9. A Servant of God
	10. Project: Channels of Communication*
	11. Spiritual Gifts
	12. Knowing Your Spiritual Gifts
	13. Quiz 2: Gifts
14. How You Are Equipped: Personal Skills	
15. Project: Backward Look	
16. Project: Inward Look	
17. Project: Forward Look	
18. What to Look for in Vocational Skills	
19. Project: Work Values	
20. Project: Motives	
21. Project: Vocational Interests	
22. Project: Vocational Skills	
23. Quiz 3: Skills	
24. Special Project*	
25. Test	
26. Alternate Test*	
27. Reference	

UNIT 2: CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES	
CHRISTIAN FAITH AND LIVING	Assignment Titles
	1. Varieties of Ministry
	2. The Two Modern Meanings
	3. Project: Ministers
	4. Project: What is a Ministry?*
	5. Quiz 1: What A Christian Ministry Is
	6. Ministry Occupations
	7. Project: The Effect of Ministry*
	8. Movements
	9. Social Services, Media, and Support
	10. Quiz 2: How Christian Ministries Are Served
	11. Ministry vs. Career
	12. Project: Career*
	13. Project: Witness*
	14. Quiz 3: How A Christian Ministry Relates To A Career
	15. Special Project*
	16. Test
	17. Alternate Test*
18. Reference	

UNIT 3: CHOOSING A MINISTRY	
CHRISTIAN FAITH AND LIVING	Assignment Titles
	1. Gathering Information: Where to Look
	2. Project: Career Search*
	3. What to Look For
	4. Project: Priorities*
	5. Quiz 1: Gathering Information About Available Career/Ministries
	6. Applying: Making Contacts/Writing a Resume
	7. Project: Applications*
	8. Project: Resume
	9. Project: Cover Letter*
	10. Interviewing and Candidating
	11. Quiz 2: Applying For A Prospective Career/Ministry
12. Reaching Conclusions: Divine Guidance	
13. Project: Prayer List*	
14. Project: God's Will	
15. Career Decisions: Human Responsibility	
16. Project: Roadblocks	
17. Project: Decision Making*	
18. Career Planning	
19. Quiz 3: Reaching A Conclusion About Your Career/Ministry	
20. Special Project*	
21. Test	
22. Alternate Test*	
23. Reference	

UNIT 4: GODHEAD	
CHRISTIAN FAITH AND LIVING	Assignment Titles
	1. Old Testament View of the Godhead
	2. Names of God in the Old Testament
	3. Project: Yahweh
	4. Project: Use of Names*
	5. Quiz 1: Old Testament View of the Godhead
	6. New Testament View of the Godhead
	7. Project: Developing Revelation
	8. The Godhead in John and Paul's Epistles
	9. Project: Paul's View
	10. Quiz 2: New Testament View of the Godhead
	11. Origin of the Doctrine of the Godhead
12. Project: Early Church Theologians*	
13. Essay: Historical Development*	
14. Development of Christian Creeds	
15. Project: Three Arguments*	
16. Quiz 3: Historical Perspectives Of The Godhead	
17. Christian Faith in the Godhead	
18. Quiz 4: Man's Relationship With The Godhead	
19. Special Project*	
20. Test	
21. Alternate Test*	
22. Reference	

UNIT 5: THE ATTRIBUTES OF GOD: HOLINESS AND GOODNESS	
CHRISTIAN FAITH AND LIVING	Assignment Titles
	1. The Holiness of God: His Holy Person
	2. Holiness of the Son and the Holy Spirit
	3. Project: Power of the Holy Spirit
	4. God's Holy Place
	5. God's Holy People
	6. Quiz 1: The Holiness of God
	7. The Goodness of God: In His Character
	8. Goodness of the Son and the Holy Spirit
9. Project: Young Ruler*	
10. In His Creation	
11. In the World and in Mankind	
12. In His Salvation	
13. Project: Glory to God	
14. Quiz 2: The Goodness of God	
15. Special Project*	
16. Test	
17. Alternate Test*	
18. Reference	

UNIT 6: THE EPISTLES OF JAMES AND JOHN	
CHRISTIAN FAITH AND LIVING	Assignment Titles
	1. The Epistle of James: The Man
	2. The Authenticity of James
	3. The Message: James
	4. Faith Versus Works
	5. Project: Wisdom
	6. Prayer, Lust, Money, and Healing
	7. Quiz 1: The Epistle of James
	8. The Epistle of John: The Man
	9. The Authenticity of the Epistles of John
10. The Message: First John	
11. Fellowship with God	
12. Project: Healing Today	
13. The Message: Second John	
14. The Message: Third John	
15. Quiz 2: The Epistle of John	
16. Special Project*	
17. Test	
18. Alternate Test*	
19. Reference	

UNIT 7: BIBLICAL LITERATURE (DANIEL)

Assignment Titles

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| 1. Daniel's Influence for God: Man of Conviction | 11. The Seventy Sevens |
| 2. Daniel's Godly Purpose | 12. Project: Interpretation |
| 3. Project: Fiery Furnace | 13. The Mighty Kings |
| 4. Interpreter of Dreams | 14. Project: Daniel 11 |
| 5. Project: Belshazzar* | 15. Quiz 2: Daniel's Visions from God |
| 6. Watchman of Prayer | 16. Special Project* |
| 7. Quiz 1: Daniel's Influence for God | 17. Test |
| 8. Daniel's Visions from God: The Four Beasts | 18. Alternate Test* |
| 9. The Ram and the He-Goat | 19. Reference |
| 10. Project: Antiochus Epiphanes* | |

UNIT 8: COMPARATIVE RELIGIONS

Assignment Titles

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| 1. Christianity: Basic Elements | 12. Essay: Zoroastrianism |
| 2. The Validity of the Christian Faith | 13. Quiz 2: World Religions |
| 3. Project: The Great Difference | 14. The Occult: Spiritualism |
| 4. Quiz 1: Systems Of Worship | 15. Psychic Phenomena and Astrology |
| 5. World Religions: Buddhism | 16. Project: Daniel |
| 6. Project: Christian Response to Buddhism | 17. Quiz 3: The Occult |
| 7. Confucianism | 18. Special Project* |
| 8. Hinduism | 19. Test |
| 9. Essay: Hinduism | 20. Alternate Test* |
| 10. Islam | 21. Reference |
| 11. Zoroastrianism | |

UNIT 9: WISDOM FOR TODAY'S YOUTH

Assignment Titles

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| 1. The Life of David (1) | 12. Project: Tongue |
| 2. The Life of David (2) | 13. Quiz 2: Psalms and Proverbs |
| 3. David's Character | 14. Literary Styles in the Bible |
| 4. Essay: DAVID | 15. Prefigurations in the Bible |
| 5. The Life of Solomon | 16. Problem Solving in the Bible |
| 6. Solomon's Character | 17. Quiz 3: The Bible and Literature |
| 7. Quiz 1: David and Solomon | 18. Special Project* |
| 8. Psalms and Proverbs: God's Cleansing, Comfort | 19. Test |
| 9. Project: Cleansing | 20. Alternate Test* |
| 10. God's Presence, Sovereignty, Guidance | 21. Reference |
| 11. Project: Psalms 139 | |

UNIT 10: PRACTICAL CHRISTIAN LIVING

Assignment Titles

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| 1. The Nature and Holiness of God | 13. Scripture Study |
| 2. The Word, Salvation, Defense of the Faith | 14. Quiz 2: Growing Toward Christian Maturity |
| 3. Project: Salvation | 15. Life Work and Ministry |
| 4. Quiz 1: Fundamentals Of The Christian Faith | 16. Values |
| 5. Spiritual Gifts | 17. Spoken Testimony |
| 6. Project: Spiritual Gifts | 18. Project: Personal Testimony |
| 7. Personality | 19. Debate and Apologetics |
| 8. Project: Temptations | 20. Quiz 3: Influencing The World For Christ |
| 9. Christlike Character and Conduct | 21. Special Project* |
| 10. Project: Moral Dilemma | 22. Test |
| 11. Spiritual Development and Prayer | 23. Alternate Test* |
| 12. Project: Trials and Tribulations | 24. Reference |

(*) Indicates alternate assignment