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CC203 / CC503 / CC703 Living the Faith Course Description & Syllabus

Living the Faith will take the student through many spiritual truths needed for today's life of faith. The student will learn just what faith is and how to live a life of faith. This course will be a valuable instruction that challenges and guides the student toward many practical applications of Biblical faith. True Biblical faith is the only answer for many problems that people are facing today. This course covers many vital lessons in the Christian's application of the relevant spiritual truths needed to enhance one's faith walk in Christ. This course can be taken on an undergraduate level of study (CC203 - toward a Bachelor's degree), or it can be taken on a graduate level of study (CC503/CC703 - toward a Master's or Doctor's degree), providing the course requirements are met as explained in this course syllabus.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

ACADEMIC---To provide the student with lessons surrounding faith as modeled and displayed within many outlined areas of Biblical truth.

ATTITUDINAL---To help the student understand and affirm ways to enhance looking at God, self, and others through the lens of Biblical faith.

BEHAVIORAL---To encourage the student to apply the many principles of God's Word, as applicable to their faith journey, and learn how to share with others ways to engage and encounter genuine Biblical faith as part of their daily walks and ongoing Spiritual development.



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COURSE GRADING:

Chesapeake Bible College and Seminary uses a four-point grading system to calculate both semester and cumulative grade point averages. Point grades for all quizzes, exams, projects, and/or papers in any given course will be averaged to determine the final letter grade for the course, as applicable.

GRADING: - Description of Letter / Points

Work of an exceptional quality – A / 93 - 100%

Work of a commendable quality – B / 85 - 92%

Work of an acceptable quality - C / 78 - 84%

Work of minimal but passing quality – D / 70 - 77%

Failing work, no credit given – F / 0 - 69%

<u>NOTE:</u> Students are strongly advised to make copies of <u>all course work</u> submitted to Chesapeake Bible College & Seminary for grading.



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COURSE REQUIREMENTS

STUDY TEXT: There is no textbook required for this course. Scripture passages, unless otherwise noted, are from the King James version of the Holy Bible.

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CC203 - (DIPLOMA - ASSOCIATE - BACHELOR) - 3 CREDIT - DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For Students taking this course at an undergraduate level, (4) credit course, an additional six (6)-page essay is required to be submitted on any topic of choice that applies concepts from the coursework as related to your relevant life experience in addition to the criteria below. This six (6)-page essay includes a cover page & bibliography page. The essay is to be typed double spaced, in New Times Roman type font, 12 font size. The instructions for essay/assignment submission are as follows: Coursework may be electronically uploaded into the Online Student Portal (if taking the course as an Online Student); submitted to the overseeing Instructor (if taking the course as part of a Distance Learning (DLC) Center); or electronically emailed to Assignment@chesapeakebiblecollege.com.

- 1. Maintain a minimum of a "C" average for the course.
- 2. Read all materials assigned.
- 3. Study the review materials.
- 4. The student will submit their responses to all of the section questions as provided as part of the CC203 Resource: Living the Faith Lesson Exposition Assignment Questions. This will constitute one-half (50%) of the student's grade for the course. The summary of questions and answers must have a course title

- page and may be submitted as outlined in the CC203 Degree Requirement description above.
- 5. Successful completion of the Mid-term (25%) and Final (25%) Examinations will constitute the remainder of your grades for the course.

CC503 - (MASTERS) - 4 CREDIT - DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For students taking this course on a Master's level, the student must:

- 1. Maintain a minimum of a "B" average for the course.
- 2. Read all materials assigned.
- 3. Study the review materials.
- 4. Before taking the final examination, the student will submit a ten (10)- page essay on any topic pertaining to the subject studied in this course. This ten (10)-page essay includes a cover page & bibliography page. The essay is to be typed double spaced, in New Times Roman type font, 12 font size. The instructions for essay/assignment submission are as follows: Coursework may be electronically uploaded into the Online Student Portal (if taking the course as an Online Student); submitted to the overseeing Instructor (if taking the course as part of a Distance Learning (DLC) Center); or electronically emailed to Assignment@chesapeakebiblecollege.com. The essay will constitute one-half (50%) of your grade for the course.
- 5. Successful completion of the Mid-term (25%) and Final (25%) Examinations will constitute the remainder of your grades for the course.

CC703 - (DOCTORS) - 4 CREDIT - DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

For students taking this course on a Doctor's level, the requirements are the same as the Master's degree (see above) except the student must write a twenty (20)-page essay, instead of a ten (10)- page essay. This twenty (20)-page essay includes a cover page & bibliography page. The essay may be submitted as outlined in the CC503 Degree Requirement and the Master's degree descriptions above.



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COURSE INTRODUCTION

Read the Foreword & Introduction

Living the Faith: Unit 1 - Lessons 1 through 14

- Read the accompanying sections of each lesson's course work
- Read and reflect upon the accompanying Scriptures relevant to the course work
- Review study materials as applicable for each lesson
- Apply practical and relevant application of your learning to your areas of influence

Lesson 1 - Doctrine

Spiritual engagement: Word, Experience, Preaching, and Worship

Lesson 2 - Doctrine of Divine Revelation, Part 1

Agents of Biblical Revelation

Lesson 3 – Doctrine of Divine Revelation, Part 2

The Names and Attributes of God

Lesson 4 – Doctrine of Divine Revelation, Part 3

The Divine Word of God and Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Lesson 5 - Doctrine of the Trinity, Part 1

• The Trinity - A Distinctive Christian doctrine

Lesson 6 – Doctrine of the Trinity, Part 2

Creation and Redemption

Lesson 7 - Doctrine of Divine Decrees

• Nature of Decrees and Divine Providence

Lesson 8 - Doctrine of Creation, Part 1

• The purposes and order of Creation and Angels

Lesson 9 - Doctrine of Creation, Part 2

• The Image of God, Covenant of Life, & The Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil

Lesson 10 – The Fall of Humanity

• The Nature, Character and Consequences of Sin

Lesson 11 - Divine Providence

• Providence and Suffering

Lesson 12 – Doctrine of Jesus Christ, Part 1

• The Person and Work of Jesus Christ

Lesson 13 – Doctrine of Jesus Christ, Part 2

• The Life of Jesus and The Atonement

Lesson 14 – Doctrine of The Holy Spirit, Part 1

• The Holy Spirit of the Old and New Testaments

MID TERM EXAM

Living the Faith: Unit 2 - Lessons 15 through 28

- Read the accompanying sections of each lesson's course work
- Read and reflect upon the accompanying Scriptures relevant to the course work
- Review study materials as applicable for each lesson
- Apply practical and relevant application of your learning to your areas of influence

Lesson 15 – Doctrine of The Holy Spirit, Part 2

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Lesson 16 – Doctrine of Salvation, Part 1

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Lesson 17 – Doctrine of Salvation, Part 2

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Lesson 18 – Doctrine of Salvation, Part 3

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Lesson 19 – Doctrine of the Salvation (Sanctification), Part 4

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Lesson 20 – Doctrine of the Salvation (Baptism in the Holy Spirit), Part 5

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Lesson 21 – Doctrine of the Church

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Lesson 22 – Doctrine of the Church: Signs of a Healthy Church

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Lesson 23 – Ordinances of the Church

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Lesson 24 – Polity and Discipline of the Church

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Lesson 25 – Doctrine of Eschatology, Part 1

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Lesson 26 – Doctrine of Eschatology, Part 2

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Lesson 27 – Doctrine of Eschatology, Part 3

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Lesson 28 - Doctrines of Heaven and Hell

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FINAL EXAM DUE

<u>COURSE ASSIGNMENT or ESSAY PAPERS DUE:</u> The instructions for essay/assignment submission are as follows: Coursework may be electronically uploaded into the Online Student Portal (if taking the course as an Online Student); submitted to the overseeing Instructor (if taking the course as part of a Distance Learning (DLC) Center); or electronically emailed to Assignment@chesapeakebiblecollege.com.

<u>APPENDIX LISTING</u> – Extra Study Text

- APPENDIX A Living the Faith Course Glossary
- APPENDIX B Names of God & The Spirit
- CC203 Resource: Living the Faith Lesson Exposition Assignment Questions

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