Benefits from the Course

The more accurately you present truth the greater the impact you will have in your presentation of truth. All students who complete all the requirements for the course will receive a certificate.

Syllabus

Please contact Randy Langham for a copy of the syllabus which gives the expectations, schedule, materials, and other important details needed for the course.

Cost

The cost is greatly reduced to provide the equivalency of Bible College training at an affordable price. Each 1.5-hour course is \$150. Additional costs include course materials.

Statement on Accreditation

O.N.E. School is not a regionally or ATS accredited program. The distinctive of this school is its accessibility in terms of location, cost, and adaptability to a variety of local contexts. College or seminary credit may be obtained. Please contact Randy Langham for more details.

To Register

Contact O.N.E. School at 330-775-3401 or contact Randy Langham at 330-398-2455

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Fall Semester, 2023



How to Interpret the Bible, part 2



You will learn how to ...

- ... dig out the original meaning of the text accurately,
- ... find the eternal principles in the text, and
- ... apply those principles for every day life.

LOWER COST

SLOWER PACE

Fall 2023 Course

How to Interpret the Bible, Part 2

Tuesdays 6-8 PM for 12 weeks Starting September 12, 2023

led by Dr. Randy Langham

Course Description

A course designed to further the student's understanding of how to interpret the Bible accurately and in a way to apply the principles properly.

Course Division

To make the classes easier for people to attend and to grasp the principles more fully, the classes are now in two halves. Thus, each semester will now go at a slower pace and provide more time for students to understand and apply the principles. The first half of this course was offered in the Spring of 2023 and it is NOT a prerequisite for the Fall part 2 class.

Scriptural Basis for the Course

Be diligent to present yourself approved to God as a workman who does not need to be ashamed, accurately handling the word of truth. (2 Tim 2:15, NASB)

Ways to Attend Class

- 1) Online live using Zoom
- 2) Online at your own pace (classroom videos will be available on YouTube.)
- 3) The Onsite option is still being worked out.

Ideal Participants for the Course

The O.N.E. School exists primarily for the sake of the average church member who wants to take Bible-College-type classes on a post high school level without having to travel long distances and to pay for extra expenses. The classes are taught on the level of the people to help our local churches. The following Scripture passages give additional emphasis showing the need for all Christians and church leaders to know the Bible accurately:

Christians

God has given church leaders the responsibility to lead their people so they can accurately interpret Scripture and speak that truth in love:

... for the equipping of the saints ... As a result, we are no longer to be children, tossed here and there by waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, ... speaking the truth in love, (Eph 4:12-15, NASB)

Teachers

All small group Bible study teachers need to increase the accuracy of their presentations:

Let not many of you become teachers, my brethren, knowing that as such we will incur a stricter judgment. (James 3:1, NASB)

Preachers

A pastor's job description includes leading the people to being sound in doctrine:

And [God] gave some as ... pastors and teachers, for the equipping of the the saints for the work of service, to the building up of the body of Christ; until we all attain to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a mature man, to the measure of the stature which belongs to the fullness of Christ.

(Eph 4:11-13, NASB)

How the Course will Run

All students will be introduced to many of the literary genres which include historical, poetical, prophetical, the Law, the Gospels, Epistles, and more. Each of these require a different approach leading to universal principles which lead to application for our lives. Throughout the class additional free resources will be distributed.

The graded assignments will consist of (1) daily tests covering the genre studied in the previous week and (2) a final paper which will show an understanding of how to use these approaches. Assignments are not required to participate in the class, but they are required to complete the requirements for a certificate.

A Wealth of Resources

- The main textbook contains a wealth of information.
- The companion workbook (optional) allows more opportunities to understand the approaches and to apply the same principles mentioned in the textbook.
- YouTube videos (optional) associated with the textbook provide lectures for each of the chapters in the textbook.
- The O.N.E. School class presentations will be available on YouTube within a day after the classes.
- You will receive an Old Testament timeline which aids greatly with historical contexts.
- You will also receive a listing of free web sites which provide additional resources.