

Life of Christ in the Autoptic Gospel

Course Syllabus 2020-21

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Title: Life of Christ
Grade Level: 9 - 12
Course Length: 1 semester (2nd semester)
Credit: 0.5 credits
Prerequisites: none



Description:

Insights into the life and ministry of our Savior as recorded by an eyewitness. The Gospel of John will be studied in detail to gain an appreciation for its special emphases.

Course Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

- understand that Jesus is the promised Messiah and the Savior of the world
- appreciate the unique insights of each of the evangelist John
- know the significance of the cultural and historical context of the Bible
- grow in the ability to share the gospel

Course Outline:

Week	Readings, etc.	Topics
1	Introduction	The World of the First Century
2	Mk 10-13	Jesus' Last Days (Mk)
3	Lk 18:15-21:38	Jesus' Last Days (Lk)
4	Mk 14-16	Jesus' Crucifixion, Resurrection, & Ascension (Mk)
5	Lk 22-24	Jesus' Crucifixion, Resurrection, & Ascension (Lk)
6	Exam	Mk 10-16 & Lk 18:15-24:53
7	The Miracles of Jesus	Their Types and Purposes
8	The Parables of Jesus	The Teaching of Jesus
9	Introduction to John	Author and Content
10	Jn 1-3	The Beginning of Jesus' Ministry
11	Jn 4-6	Signs and Discourses
12	Jn 7-9	The Healing of a Man Born Blind
13	Jn 10-12	The Raising of Lazarus and Palm Sunday
14	Jn 13-17	Instruction of the Disciples
15	Jn 18-21	The Humiliation and Triumph Over Death
16	Unique features of John	Signs, I AMs, Profound Words
17	Review of the Course	Application to Life
18	Exam	

Course Materials:

Required textbook:

The Holy Bible NIV

Required software:

none

Evaluation & Grading Scale:

Assignments: Each graded assignment in the course is assigned a certain number of points. The course percentage grade will be determined by comparing the points earned out of points possible and then converting to a letter grade based on the grading scale below. Late assignments will lose points for being late. A student's current grade in the course will be available as we progress.

Grading Scale

98-100 A+	87-89 B+	87-89 C+	67-69 D+	
93-97 A	83-86 B	73-76 C	63-66 D	0-59 F
90-92 A-	80-82 B-	70+72 C-	60-62 D-	

Instructor Policies:

Expected of Students:

- Check in on the course on a daily basis, Monday through Friday. Generally, students have been scheduled by their school to work on this course at a specific time each school day. Be faithful in using this time to work on this course. If you will be absent from class on a particular day, or if you miss class because of illness, be sure to let me know.
- Expectations for this course are high, but reasonable. Everyone is very busy with their other courses, activities, and responsibilities, yet you are expected to complete all work on time. If you need an extension of time, please make the request via private email prior to the due date.
- Communicate! If you have questions or concerns on a particular assignment or activity, please send me a private email or make a public posting in the Instructor's Office Forum. Good two-way communication is very important to having a successful experience!

ALHS Online Policies:

Current ALHS Online policies are listed in the *Handbook for ALHS Online Students and Parents*, available on the ALHSO.org website. This includes policies on non-discrimination, anti-harassment, student expectations, attendance, academic honesty, student discipline, student grades, course add/drop, etc.

Please note the policy on **class attendance**, which states in part:

“Even if a student’s local school does not have school on a particular day (snow day, teacher’s conference, quarter break, choral fest, class trip, etc.) ALHS Online courses will continue to meet and students are expected to complete required work on time.”

Students also fall under the policies of their local high school, if applicable, while enrolled in ALHS Online courses.