

New Testament Course Handout

New Testament

2021-22

Hours: C Tues-Friday

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Course Description: This class covers an overview of the New Testament. The class will study how the book of the Bible and New Testament were decided. We will get a broad basis for how to navigate and use the New Testament. We will study how the life and ministry of Jesus and how it impacts the lives of people today. We will learn about the earliest apostles and the epistles written in the New Testament.

Materials: Each student will be provided a bible by the school that they should bring to class every day. A 3-ring binder with loose-leaf paper or a spiral notebook is needed for organizational purposes. Handouts and other supplies will be provided as needed.

Goals/Objectives

Students will be able to:

- Recall important parts of Christ's birth, life, death, and resurrection.
- Describe the establishing and growth of the early Christian Church.
- Develop personal connections with the teachings of Jesus.
- Explain the basic tenets of the Christian faith based on their knowledge of Scripture.
- Distinguish between Law and Gospel in Scripture.
- Analyze other interpretations of Scripture, determining their validity.

Grading: Grades are determined on a percentage basis. Letter grade cutoffs are every 10% (consult school handbook for questions). Each Quarter grade will be 40% of their final grade. There will also be a final exam that weighs 20% of their grade. Each quarter grade will be a percentage based on accumulated points compared to the maximum possible.

Grading Breakdown for Semester Grades:

Tests	=	40%
Homework/Projects	=	60%

Methods of Evaluations: There will be projects/essays, tests/quizzes, and weekly homework assignments. Assignments and lessons are going to be integrated in google classroom. Students should log into the classroom site regularly to get updates and find resources. Many of the assignments will be submitted as digital copies through our class on google classroom.

Late Work: It is the responsibility of the student to ensure that all assigned work be turned in completed and on time. The instructor may deduct points to ensure the student is turning in work in a timely manner.

Cheating/Plagiarism: These are serious infractions. Lutheran High holds to high character expectations. Do not take or borrow another student, adult or teacher's work. Seeking someone to help facilitate your understanding is not cheating or plagiarism. All work you hand in needs to be your original work, whether it is a test, homework or research for a project. Infractions will be dealt with as the handbook, instructor and administrators decide. The penalties will be severe and

the student risks both failing the assignment or the class. Please turn in your own work. Do the right thing.

Attendance/Tardiness: The attendance policy is explained in the student handbook. Tardiness to class will be defined as not in the classroom prepared for chemistry to start. Waiting until the bell rings to go to your locker to get something you needed for class will be considered being unprepared and may result in a tardy for that period. Please communicate if there are any prolonged stretches for absences in order that a plan can be made to keep up with the school work.

Other important information:

- Work is to be done neatly. Presentation of homework is also to be organized and neat. The heading of each assignment should include Name, Date, Class Period and assignment title.
- **RESPECT.** Please respect your classmates, the instructor, school and personal property, and yourself. Any venture outside respectful behavior risks academic or disciplinary consequences.

School year at a glance:

Semester 1:		Semester 2:	
Week 1	Intro to the Bible	Week 1	Review of Luke
Week 2	How to Read the Bible?	Week 2	Acts Part 1
Week 3	Intertestamental Period	Week 3	Acts Part 2
Week 4	New Testament	Week 4	Acts Part 3
Week 5	Gospels Overview	Week 5	Pauline Epistles
Week 6	Jesus' Birth	Week 6	Pauline Epistles
Week 7	Early Ministry	Week 7	Pauline Epistles
Week 8	Miracles	Week 8	Spring Break
Week 9	Role of the Apostles	Week 9	Pauline Epistles
Week 10	Teachings and Parables	Week 10	Pauline Epistles
Week 11	Jesus Returns to Jerusalem	Week 11	Hebrews
Week 12	Jesus' final teachings	Week 12	Other Letters
Week 13	Suffering and Death	Week 13	Review of Gospel of John
Week 14	Resurrection/Ascension	Week 14	John's Letters
Week 15	Mark's unique accounts	Week 15	Revelations
Week 16	Luke's Gospel	Week 16	Review
Week 17	John's Gospel	Week 17	Finals
Week 18	Review		
Week 19	Finals		