



COVENANT DISCIPLES BIBLE COURSE

FOUNDATION & ADVANCED COURSES

MODULES & OUTLINE

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Course Outline

The Covenant Disciples Bible Course is made up of 2 parts ...

Foundation Principles Advanced Principles & Studies

The **Foundation Principles** consist of three Courses ...
... each made up of six units ...
... with multiple choice questions study review sheets.

The **Advanced Principles & Studies** consist of 20+ Advanced Studies...
... each study is made up of four units ...
... with choice questions study review sheets.

Foundation Principles

The two Foundation Courses are exactly what their name implies ...
... foundation courses covering basic principles in a clear and practical way ...
and are specifically aimed at laying a sound foundation for life ...
... for a victorious new life in Christ!

The Studies...

The two Foundation Courses each have a theme or basic concept as an underlying study, in fact they are fundamental concepts on which all Christian study and life should be based ...

Relationship, Character and Covenant

God created us in His image and likeness (His characteristics)
... with the express purpose to have a covenant relationship with us ...
And therefore ... relationship, character and covenant ... are the foundation
on which all study, fellowship and walk with the Lord should be based ...
... without which your 'house' will be built on the sand.

Each unit has a Word based teaching, fully referenced to scripture ...
... to lay a foundation in the Word and its practical daily application.

Each unit has a Practical Application in which the study and scriptures are specifically applied to practical Christian learning, living and developing!

Each unit has a Theme or Concept Application, summarising and emphasising the practical application of the Word and in particular relationship and character.

... How do we live out what God has put in us?
... How do we receive and apply what God has provided for us?

Foundation Course Modules ...*(Foundation Certificate)***Relationship ...**

... our **personal relationship** with God the Father, Jesus and the Holy Spirit ...

Knowing God's heart, what He is really like!

Knowing the relationship God wants to have with us!

Knowing the relationship we should be having with Him!

Knowing how to communicate with God!

Character ...

... **God's character** (His characteristics) **in us**.

How does God expect us to respond to Him?

How does God expect us to respond to our fellow man?

What is the foundation of God's relationship with us?

Covenant ...

... the **expression of God's character in a real life**.

What has God put inside of us?

The reality of God's ability in man?

Responding to God's Word!

Hearing God's voice!

Foundation Course Outline ...
*(Foundation Certificate)***Relationship - New life in Christ.**

What is this new life in Christ?
The basics of a relationship with God.

Life before ...
New life in Christ ...
God the Father ...
God the Son ...
God the Holy Spirit ...
Communicating with God ...

Character - New life with God.

Getting to know God and His ways more intimately

A new lifestyle ...
Friendships ...
God's love - Agape ...
God's word - Logos or Rhema ...
The confession of faith ...
Discipling - Effective for God ...

Covenant Love - Growing in the spirit.

Living and expressing God's character in us

In His Image ...
God's ability in man ...
A Real Relationship ...
Expressing God's character ...
The power of love ...
God's Word and God's Voice

Advanced Principles ... Modules & Studies

In-depth Word studies on specific topics and subjects.

The Advanced courses follow on the Foundation courses, and as mentioned before, ... the success of and the value derived by the student in studying God's Word ... lies in building on a good foundation ...

Therefore it is imperative to have a solid foundation to build on ... and to continually refer back and refresh the truths already learnt.

The Advanced Principles and Studies give a deeper insight into God's Word and His principles and concepts, whilst also exposing the underlying truths with regard to God's purpose and character. It deals with God's plans for man since before creation, God's plans for us, today, that is, victory and prosperity in every area of our life.

We are overcomers in Christ.

Victory and success is what God has in mind.

On a sound foundation ... based firmly on His Word ...

... where hope, success and victory can be built.

The Studies...

Each of the Advanced Courses or studies deals with individual themes or Biblical Principles, and are in-depth studies highlighting ...

... the principles and the Word base behind each principle ...

... weighing them up against God's Word, His will and His plans ... and ...

... practically apply every principle to life ... the way God planned it!

Each Advanced Course is made up of four units ...

... with each unit made up of a Word based teaching ...

... and fully referenced to scripture ...

Each unit also has a Practical Application in which the study and scriptures are specifically applied to practical Christian learning and as a resource for training and teaching!

Advanced Courses outline...

At present there are four Advanced Principles Modules, each made up of five Advanced Courses ...

Module 1 – Adv. Courses 1 - 5

Module 2 – Adv. Courses 6 -10

Module 1 – Adv. Courses 11 -15

Module 1 – Adv. Courses 16 - 20

Although it is not absolutely mandatory to follow the Advanced courses in numerical order, and the school, rector or teacher may decide to change the order ...

... this is however not recommended as certain courses, such as the Gifts of the Spirit should follow on the Anointing, and should not be done before the anointing, as the principles dealt with in the Anointing lay a foundation for properly understanding the Gifts of the Spirit.

Module 1. One**Covenant ...**

1. Covenant.
2. Covenant God.
3. New Covenant.
4. Better Covenant.

Anointing

1. to Anoint.
2. the Anointing.
3. Anointed.
4. Anointed One.

Discipleship ...

1. Discipleship.
2. Disciple of Jesus 1
3. Disciple of Jesus 2
4. Discipline.

Authority of the Believer ...

1. Authority warfare.
2. Authority - our position.
3. Source of authority
4. Exercising authority.

The Spirit World ...

1. Spirit life.
2. Spirit man.
3. Angels.
4. Demons and Strongholds.

Module 2. Two

Gifts of the Spirit ...

1. Gifts of the Spirit.
2. Revelation gifts.
3. Power gifts.
4. Inspiration gifts.

Faith ...

1. Faith is.
2. Faith - a way of life.
3. Foundation of faith.
4. The law of faith.

Righteousness & Holiness ...

1. Righteous living.
2. Righteousness.
3. Holiness.
4. Heart of the Father.

Baptism ...

1. Baptism.
2. Baptism in water.
3. Baptism in the Spirit.
4. Baptism in fire.

Marriage Covenant ...

1. Covenant and marriage.
2. Man and Woman.
3. Marriage.
4. Marriage Covenant.

Module 3. Three**God's plan for man ...**

1. God blessed man.
2. Be fruitful.
3. Carnal vs. Spiritual man.
4. Victorious man.

The Armour of God ...

1. Armour – God's plan.
2. Why God's armour.
3. The armour of God.
4. Using God's armour.

Kingdom Qualities ...

1. Character.
2. Heart
3. Spirit
4. Fruit.

Love – The Glorious Church ...

1. The glorious church.
2. The power of love.
3. The expression of love
4. Casts out fear.

Creation ...

1. In the beginning.
2. Before creation.
3. Re Creation.
4. God's plan – Man!.

Module 4. Four

Renewing the mind ...

1. Put off the old man.
2. Transformed.
3. Put on the new.
4. Proving God's perfect will.

The Measure of Faith ...

1. Measure of faith.
2. Building faith.
3. Water-walking-faith.
4. Faith shield.

The Living Word ...

1. In the Word.
2. In agreement.
3. Authority of the Word.
4. God's Word works.

Created in Love ...

1. What is man?
2. And God blessed man.
3. A Fruit Tree.
4. Love where you are.

Covenant Relationship ...

1. A Covenant God.
2. A Covenant heart.
3. Covenant expressed.
4. Covenant Characteristics.

Practical - Course procedure.**Foundation & Advanced Courses Reviews (Quiz...)**

Each of the courses, Foundation and Advanced, has a 20 question, multiple choice review, which, in the case of the Online Course is automatically evaluated by the Online System, and in the case of the Correspondence Course is returned by mail or email for evaluation.

The purpose of these reviews, is not to test the students memory or recall ability, but to evaluate understanding, and thereby to foster the application of these Biblical principles to life...

Evaluation ...

... all the studies reviews , both the Foundation and Advanced Courses, consisting of scriptural references, true/false and descriptive answers...

... all tests are open book and students may use their notes and Bible when doing the reviews.

Remember,

*The primary objective is to promote understanding ...
... and not merely checking knowledge ...*

Grading ...

All Students **must attain a 70% pass rate** to be promoted to the next course or level of study, and thus also to graduate and be awarded a certificate or diploma.

Time scale ...

The time scale or course duration is not specifically fixed ...
... and each school may set their own timetables.

Or.

... in the case of correspondence course students,
... the student paces him or herself.

However,

It is suggested that ample time is allowed to assimilate and apply the principles covered by the courses.

Suggested timetable ...

Foundation Courses

6 – 9 weeks Covering all 18 units

Advanced Courses

2 + weeks per Course of 4 units

Certification ...

Foundation and Advanced Course Certificates and Diplomas, are awarded.

Foundation Certificate ...

To be awarded a Foundation Certificate

Students must complete all 18 units ...

Students must complete all 18 tests ...

Advanced Diploma ...

To be awarded an Advanced Diploma

Students must complete 3 of the 4 Advanced Modules

... 15 Courses

Students must complete 3 of the 4 Advanced Modules reviews

... 15 Course Reviews

