

# CATALOG - FALL 2018



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*Since CCGS Bible College is an affiliate of Calvary Chapel Bible College in Murrieta, some of this catalog mirrors theirs. We do this so our courses and programs will sync with theirs, and so our students can transfer there. We are deeply indebted to them for their outstanding work and example.*

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## INTRODUCTION

*We believe we are very close to the return of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and God's Holy Spirit is moving mightily among His people. Since God has given Calvary Chapel Golden Springs a vision to reach the lost, we have established CCGS Bible College to train young men and women who want to serve the Lord. We pray that if the Lord is speaking to your heart about studying His Word in-depth, you will enroll. You will be glad you did. May the Lord bless you richly with His love and grace, as you seek His perfect will for your life.*

Dr. Raul A. Ries,  
President, CCGS Bible College

*Since God has exalted His Word above His Name (Psalm 138:2), nothing could be more important than studying and knowing the Bible. So at CCGS Bible College, studying God's Word is what we're all about. Our classes are exciting, our instructors are among the best, and our education is very affordable. If God has been moving on your heart to have a closer relationship with Him, through a deeper understanding of His Word, then we invite you to prayerfully consider studying with us here at CCGS Bible College.*

Dr. Larry D. Powers  
Director, CCGS Bible College

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Calvary Chapel Golden Springs Bible College was established as a short, intensive Bible study program. It was developed as a part of the overall vision of Calvary Chapel Golden Springs to equip the people of God for His service. Throughout its history, CCGS Bible College has remained true to its initial vision: to be a place where committed Christians can learn the Word of God, draw closer to Jesus, and be equipped to serve Him.

### **Our Desire**

We desire to see each student at CCGS Bible College:

- Be totally committed and abandoned to Jesus Christ.
- Set free by the truth of the Word of God so they can grow in godliness and holiness.
- Become conformed into the image of Christ, having Christ's life live through them, by the power of the Holy Spirit.
- Develop the humble heart of a servant, allowing the grace of God to shape and strengthen their lives.
- Depend on the enabling work of the Holy Spirit, having no confidence in the flesh.
- Be equipped to bear lasting fruit in serving God.

CCGS Bible College is looking for students who want to:

- Know God in a richer, more intimate way.
- Deny themselves, take up their cross and follow Jesus.
- Allow the Holy Spirit to conform them into the image of Jesus Christ.
- Discover the perfect will of God for their lives.
- Prepare their lives to be used by God in whatever capacity God chooses to use them.

If this describes you, and you want to become equipped for all that God has for your life, we encourage you to prayerfully consider applying to study here at CCGS Bible College.

### **Compliance with State Requirements**

As a ministry of Calvary Chapel Golden Springs, CCGS Bible College is an independent, religious-exempt institution under CEC Section 94302(w)(5), qualifying it to grant degrees in Theology and Biblical Studies. CCGS Bible College confers degrees and awards diplomas and certificates by exemption as a religious institution in the State of California, and operates under the Private Postsecondary Education Act of 2009, Education Code (CEC) Section 94874(e)(1-5) of the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (BPPE).

### **Affiliations**

Calvary Chapel Golden Springs Bible College is also an affiliate of Calvary Chapel Bible College in Murrieta, California. Our main campus and office is located in Diamond Bar, California, with teaching sites in Rancho Cucamonga, California, Ontario, California, and Belen, New Mexico. We also have international campuses in Santiago, Chile and El Secreto, Colombia. All members of the Bible College staff and faculty are either employees, volunteers of, or associated with Calvary Chapel Golden Springs.

Because of our affiliation with CCBC Murrieta, students at CCGS Bible College can also earn credit toward a degree there if they choose. Although affiliated with CCBC Murrieta, each Affiliate School is a separate ministry under the oversight and leadership of its own local church. Courses offered at CCGS Bible College are approved and transferable to CCBC Murrieta. The college in Murrieta is affiliated with Calvary Chapel of Costa Mesa, where Chuck Smith was the founding pastor. All staff members at CCBC Murrieta are employees and ministers of Calvary Chapel of Costa Mesa, under the direction of Pastor Brian Brodersen.

## **Accreditation**

A school is accredited when it has been investigated and found worthy of approval by an accrediting agency. Accreditation alone (or the lack of it) does not determine whether or not a school is legitimate or credible, since not all accreditation is equal. Some accrediting agencies are recognized by the U.S. Department of Education and the Council for Higher Education Accreditation, but others are not. Also, some schools are based outside of the U.S. and are accredited by standards which differ from those of the recognized agencies in the United States. Prospective students should be aware of these important distinctions.

CCGS Bible College is not currently accredited and for two main reasons. First, we wish to continue having local pastors teach Bible classes. Some of these pastors - although called by God, gifted, and experienced in teaching - do not have formal academic degrees, which accrediting agencies might require. Second, since accreditation can be quite expensive, we want to keep the cost of our education affordable so that more students have the opportunity to study and remain free from school debt. But though we have chosen to remain unaccredited, we seek to demonstrate the credibility of our college through compliance with generally accepted accreditation standards, through articulation agreements with other accredited colleges, and especially through the spiritually fruitful lives of our students.

Many opportunities are available for students who are called to pursue education beyond CCGS Bible College, even though academic degrees are not the main goal of our program. Although we are not accredited by a government-recognized accrediting agency, a growing number of accredited colleges will transfer CCGS Bible College and CCBC Murrieta courses, and the Bachelor of Biblical Studies degree through CCBC Murrieta has been accepted by some of the finest seminaries in the nation. If you have specific questions about transferability of credits, please contact the Registrar's Office of the institution you desire to attend.

## **Locations and Facilities**

### **Main Campus**

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### **Offices / Classrooms**

The offices and classrooms of CCGS Bible College are located in the southeast corner of the second floor of Calvary Chapel Golden Springs at 22324 Golden Springs Drive in Diamond Bar, California. With the exception of holidays and special events, the CCGS Bible College office is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm and is closed for lunch.

### **Library**

The CCGS Bible College Library exists to serve and support our students and faculty as they study and teach the Bible. It is set apart as a quiet place to work, providing high quality resources for studying God's Truth. The Library contains a large number of theological books and resources. It also has several computers with access to the Internet and printers for student use. The CCGS Bible College Library is open during office hours. In addition, CCGS Bible College is in close proximity to other colleges and universities that have substantial theological libraries.

### Teaching Sites

FrontSight Ministry  
1009 Brooks St, Unit C  
Ontario, CA 91762

Calvary Chapel Rancho Cucamonga  
10700 Town Center Dr.  
Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730

Calvary Chapel Rio Grande Valley  
19381 NM-314  
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### Affiliate Headquarters

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## ADMISSIONS

### New Students

If you are interested in attending CCGS Bible College, you must apply for Admission. Potential students can apply on our college website: [www.ccgsbiblecollege.com](http://www.ccgsbiblecollege.com).

The application acceptance is made by our Admissions Review Board on the basis of the following:

- *Spiritual Maturity:* Information contained in the application, including the student's personal profile, spiritual life profile and statement of faith.
- *References:* Three references are required. One must be from a pastor or associate pastor. The other two are personal references. We ask that the reference from pastor be from a pastor that has known the applicant for at least one year and is not related by blood or marriage.
- *Academic Preparedness:* For those who want to work toward a degree, evidence of completion of high school, a G.E.D. program, or the State High School Proficiency Exam. However, the Certificate of Completion program is intended for the non-high school graduate. Academic preparedness is reviewed for the purpose of determining how much assistance a student may need.
- CCGS Bible College does not discriminate on the basis of race, age, gender, ethnic background, native language, nationality or physical disability. However, since CCGS Bible College is a ministry of Calvary Chapel Golden Springs and an affiliate campus of CCBC Murrieta, it gives priority to members of Calvary Chapel churches for admission.

*It is recommended that you apply at least two months prior to the beginning of the semester, that way the staff will have enough time to review and approve your application before registration for classes begins. CCGS Bible College will usually notify students of a decision within a few weeks of receiving the application. Incomplete applications cannot be processed until all information is received.*

## Returning Students

Returning students who have not been enrolled in classes at CCGS Bible College for over one year should contact our office before registering again for classes.

## Transfer Students

Students who have studied the Bible, Theology, or Christian Living at other institutions and wish to transfer credits to CCGS Bible College must have their official transcripts sent to our office for review. Courses will be examined individually and must be deemed identical or very similar in content to courses offered at CCGS Bible College. Usually a maximum of 12 semester credits may be transferred from another school toward the two-year course of study at CCGS Bible College, unless the institution is a CCBC Murrieta Affiliate or the student is pursuing the Bachelor of Biblical Studies degree at CCGS Bible College. For more information about transferring to and from other institutions, please see the Transfer Information section of this catalog.

## Students with Disabilities

CCGS Bible College abides by Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, which stipulates that no qualified student will be denied the benefits of an education “solely by reason of a handicap.” If you have a documented disability which limits a major life activity that may have some impact on your work at CCGS Bible College and for which you may require accommodation, please discuss that with our CCGS Bible College office prior to your enrollment so that appropriate accommodations may be arranged.

## ACADEMIC INFORMATION

### 64-Credit Bible/Theology Program

The heart of what we do is to offer a 64-credit Bible/Theology program. To receive a Degree or Certificate of Completion, a minimum of 64 credits must be completed with a passing grade (C- or above). The following are the Course Requirements for this 64-credit program:

**Core Requirements:** A minimum of 42 credits must be completed by the following required courses:

Old Testament and New Testament Survey Courses: A minimum 12 credits must be completed with the Old Testament and New Testament Survey courses. These four 3 credit classes consist of a verse-by-verse study through the entire Bible taught by Pastor Chuck Smith.

Service Courses: A minimum of 4 credits must be completed through Practical Christian Ministry courses. Each course is worth 1 credit. In each course, students are required to serve at their local fellowship for a minimum number of hours each week. Students must enroll in this course during 4 different semesters prior to graduation.

Required Bible Courses: A minimum of 15 credits must be completed with required Bible classes. These include Genesis or Pentateuch (3 credits), a Gospel (Matthew, Mark, Luke or John) or Life of Christ (3 credits), Acts (3 credits), Romans (3 credits), and Revelation (3 credits).

Theology Courses: A minimum of 7 credits must be completed with required Theology classes. These include Basic Biblical Doctrines I (2 credits), Basic Biblical Doctrines II (2 credits), and Inductive Bible Study (3 credits).

Foundations Course: A minimum of 2 credits must be completed with a required Foundations Course. This could be an Apologetics (2 credits), a Cults-Comparative Religions (3 credits), or Ethics (2 credits) class.

**Ministry Course:** A minimum of 2 credits must be completed with a required Ministry course. This could be a Missions (2 credits), Counseling (2 credits), Pastoral Ministry (2 credits), Youth Ministry (2 credits), Children's Ministry (2 credits), Preaching (2 credits), Worship (2 credits), or Evangelism (2 credits) class.

**Elective Courses:** A minimum of 22 credits must be completed by taking Elective Courses:

**Bible Electives:** A minimum of 10 credits must be completed with Bible electives. Any class that is taught verse-by-verse through a specific book of the Bible will count toward this requirement. This does not, however, include the Old Testament and New Testament Survey courses, which are a separate requirement. We highly recommend that students take Hebrews (3 credits) as one of their electives.

**Other Electives:** The remaining 12 credits required for graduation may be completed by any of the other courses offered at CCGS Bible College. We highly recommend that students take Church History (2 credits) as one of their electives. If the requirement for Bible Electives has been fulfilled, Bible classes can also be used for Other Electives as well.

## Degrees and Certificates

CCGS Bible College offers two main degrees - **Associate of Theology** and **Bachelor of Biblical Studies**; and awards one certificate – **Certificate of Completion**.

### Associate of Theology Degree

The **Associate of Theology** degree will be awarded to those who have completed the 64-credit Bible/Theology Program described above. To receive this degree, a minimum of 64 credits must be completed with a passing grade (C- or above).

Students who have earned a high school diploma, California Proficiency Exam (CPE) or GED are eligible for the Associate of Theology program upon submitting complete high school transcript, CPE, or GED. Homeschooled students who desire to pursue an Associate of Theology degree must submit high school transcripts. Students who have completed secondary education outside of the United States and desire to pursue an Associate of Theology degree must submit an evaluation of foreign credentials from an evaluating agency.

### Bachelor of Biblical Studies Degree

The **Bachelor of Biblical Studies** degree will be awarded to those who transfer in an Associate of Arts degree and then complete the 64-credit Bible/Theology Program described above.

Students who have earned an Associate of Arts degree or the equivalent at an approved college are eligible for the Bachelor of Biblical Studies degree. Approved colleges are those accredited by an agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education. Students must complete all graduation requirements and submit official transcripts from the school where the Associate of Arts degree was earned. Students who have completed a degree outside of the United States and desire to pursue a Bachelor of Biblical Studies degree must submit an evaluation of foreign credentials from an evaluating agency.

### Certificate of Completion of the Bible/Theology Program

The **Certificate of Completion of the Bible/Theology Program** is a *non-degree course of study* intended for students who *do not* have a high school diploma or are not desirous of college-level academics. This course of study also benefits those with learning disabilities for whom academics are extremely difficult. The spiritual training in this program is identical to that of the Associate in Theology or the Bachelor of Biblical Studies degrees, but the coursework for the Certificate of Completion is done on a Pass/Fail basis. To receive this certificate, students must complete the 64-credit Bible/Theology Program described above with a passing grade (C- or above) in all their classes.

## Audit Program

CCGS Bible College also has an Audit Program for students not wishing to earn a certificate or degree of any kind, but just want to attend classes for personal growth. This program is ideal for those seeking to deepen their relationship with God, to increase their knowledge of the Bible, and to become equipped for ministry.

## Degree Requirements

*It is the student's responsibility to track their graduation progress and enroll in classes needed for their degree. Students are encouraged to check with the CCGS Bible College office to be sure they are on track. For the Degree and Certificate of Completion programs, a minimum of 64 credits must be completed with a passing grade (C- or above). Graduation Worksheets are available in the CCGS Bible College office (see sample on the next page). All financial obligations must be settled at the beginning of the semester in which the student intends to graduate and there is a small graduation fee. During the semester of graduation students will complete an Application to Graduate (during a meeting with the CCGS Bible College office) and sign an acknowledgment of CCGS Bible College's Statement of Faith. (See the Statement of Faith section of this catalog)*

### SUGGESTED TWO-YEAR PROGRAM

#### First Year Courses:

##### **1st Semester**

##### **Required Courses (12 credits)**

OT Survey I (3 credits)  
 Christian Ministry (1 credit)  
 Biblical Doctrines I (2 credits)  
 Genesis (3 credits)  
 Romans (3 credits)

##### **Electives (4 credits)**

**Total: 16 Credits**

##### **2nd Semester**

##### **Required Courses (9 credits)**

OT Survey II (3 credits)  
 Christian Ministry (1 credit)  
 Biblical Doctrines II (2 credits)  
 Acts (3 credits)

##### **Electives (7 credits)**

**Total: 16 Credits**

#### Second Year Courses:

##### **3rd Semester**

##### **Required Courses (12 credits)**

NT Survey I (3 credits)  
 Christian Ministry (1 credits)  
 Inductive Bible Study (3 credits)  
 Gospel or Life of Christ (3 credits)  
 Foundations or Ministry Course (2 credits)

##### **Electives (4 credits)**

**Total: 16 Credits**

##### **4th Semester**

##### **Required Courses (9 credits)**

NT Survey II (3 credits)  
 Christian Ministry (1 credits)  
 Revelation (3 credits)  
 Foundations or Ministry Course (2 credits)

##### **Electives (7 credits)**

**Total: 16 Credits**

## Calvary Chapel Golden Springs Bible College Graduation Checklist

Student: \_\_\_\_\_

### Core Requirements (42 Credits) (18 Classes)

OT / NT Survey (4 Classes)	Credits	Check
OT Survey # 1	3	
OT Survey # 2	3	
NT Survey # 1	3	
NT Survey # 2	3	

Service (4 Classes)	Credits	Check
Practical Christian Ministry	1	

Required Bible (5 Classes)	Credits	Check
Genesis or Pentateuch	3	
One Gospel or Life of Christ	3	
Acts	3	
Romans	3	
Revelation	3	

Theology (3 Classes)	Credits	Check
Basic Biblical Doctrines I	2	
Basic Biblical Doctrines II	2	
Inductive Bible Study	3	

Foundations (1 Class)	Credits	Check
Apologetics, Cults, or Ethics Course		

Ministry (1 Class)	Credits	Check
Missions, Counseling, Pastoral Ministry, Youth Ministry, Children's Ministry, Preaching, Worship, or Evangelism Course		

### Electives (22 Credits)

Bible Electives (10 Credits)	Credits	Check
Hebrews (Highly Recommended)		

Other Electives (12 Credits)	Credits	Check
Church History (Highly Recommended)		

Evangelistic Outreach? (Optional)

Core Requirements	42	
Electives	22	
<b>TOTAL CREDITS</b>	<b>64</b>	

## **Distance Education at CCGS Bible College**

The classes at CCGS Bible College are life-changing. Much of this has to do with the unexplainable dynamic that happens when students and teachers are in the same room and the Holy Spirit does what only He can do. We believe nothing can substitute for this spiritual learning environment filled with worship, prayer, discussion, and fellowship. For this reason, we highly recommend that students do their course work here on campus.

However we realize there are many people in other states and other countries for whom taking classes here is not possible. So we've set up online classes especially for them. As selected courses are taught on campus here they are filmed by our outstanding video team. Then these high quality videos are uploaded for distance students to watch. In most cases, distance students do the same coursework as the on-campus students and interact with their professors online. It's the next best thing to being here.

Currently there are several courses available for distance students - Acts, Biblical Doctrines 1, Biblical Doctrines 2, Church History, Daniel, Hebrews, Life of Christ, OT Survey 1, OT Survey 2, NT Survey 1, NT Survey 2, Revelation, and Romans. Each semester new courses are filmed and made available online. Our goal is that eventually students at a distance will be able to earn their entire degree by taking online courses.

Online classes are only available for distance students (more than 25 miles) or by special approval. These courses are for credit only, and in addition to the cost of registration and tuition, there is a small online fee for taking them. Currently they are not accepted in transfer at CCBC Murrieta as they have their own online program. To register for online courses or to get more information about them, please contact us at (909) 859-6519.

## **Dual Enrollment Program**

CCGS Bible College recognizes the incredible value of homeschooling education and wants to help homeschooling high school students on their academic journey. The new Dual Enrollment Program at CCGS Bible College allows homeschooling high school students to earn both high school and college credits simultaneously. This enables these students to get a head start on their degree with us or to earn credits that can transfer to CCBC Murrieta.

- This program is for students in their junior or senior year of high school. A representative from CCGS Bible College will connect with a parent/guardian, upon completion of the application if the student is under 18 years old.
- Homeschooling students in this program may take up to 6 credits per semester and up to 16 credits total.
- Current high school transcripts are required, even though they will not be complete. These transcripts will need to be updated annually.
- Students in this program must be able to study and write at a college level.
- Most courses in this program can be completed in an online format through Distance Learning. However, mature students may be allowed to take regular courses on campus as well.
- A 2 credit CCGS Bible College course is a 16-week term for which students can receive one year of high school credit. CCGS Bible College classes can apply to an Honors Class 5.0 grading scale.
- Tuition and fees for those in the dual enrollment program are the same as for on-campus or online students.

## **Getting a Degree from CCBC Murrieta**

As an affiliate school of the CCBS Murrieta up to 54 credits may be transferred from courses taken at CCGS Bible College toward the programs there. For different degree options and requirements, students should contact CCBC Murrieta.

## Populi Online System

CCGS Bible College provides all students with access to Populi, our web-based Student Information System. Students use this online system to apply to CCGS Bible College, pay tuition and fees, access course information, submit assignments, keep track of all grades and assignments, search for Library resources, store files, communicate with staff and faculty, print academic and financial records, and track their progress toward graduation. In order to stay current with important announcements and grading information, students are expected to remember their Populi username and password and log in regularly throughout their time at CCGS Bible College.

## Graduation

### Graduation Tracking

All students are responsible for tracking their graduation progress regardless of the campus or campuses attended. Students should check Populi regularly and/or meet with their Teacher or Teacher Assistants before class concerning missing assignments and absences. All graded homework should be saved and backed up, both for future reference and as proof in case of an error in grading.

### Graduation Procedures

Potential graduates must sign up for a graduation interview at the CCGS Bible College office when registering for their last semester. The office will review records, resolve academic conflicts, verify degree level and complete an application to graduate during the graduation interview. In addition, we will schedule the graduation ceremony rehearsal and various meetings for the graduates at that time. *A graduation fee of \$50 is required for all CCGS Bible College students who are going to graduate.*

### Graduation Policy

CCGS Bible College trains people for Christian ministry and leadership. This demands a high standard of character and conduct as measured by the Scriptures. Students who by the evaluation of the faculty and administration do not demonstrate these qualities during their degree program will not be recommended for graduation. Fulfillment of degree requirements does not guarantee a recommendation to graduate. CCGS Bible College reserves the right to dismiss students at any time for any reason deemed appropriate by the administrative staff. Prior to degree completion the student may be required by CCGS Bible College to furnish additional and/or updated information to ensure accuracy and a complete file.

*CCGS Bible College does not ordain ministers or directly place graduates in ministry positions outside their colleges. Occasionally, when Christian ministries announce openings for positions, the colleges make the information available to students to apply for these positions if they wish to do so. However, making this information available does not constitute an endorsement of any ministry.*

## Transcripts

Students can request transcripts by contacting the CCGS Bible College office. Transcripts are \$5 each, and cannot be processed prior to payment. This fee is non-refundable. Transcript requests can usually be processed within 2 weeks.

## Degree Upgrade

If a student graduates from CCGS Bible College with an Associate of Theology degree and has since earned an Associate of Arts degree or its equivalent from an approved institution, the student may be eligible for a degree upgrade. For information regarding this, please contact the CCGS Bible College office.

## Diploma Reissue

If a student's diploma has been lost or damaged, he or she may contact the CCGS Bible College office to request a new copy for a non-refundable fee of \$50. The student should allow up to three weeks for delivery.

## Release of Student Information

CCGS Bible College voluntarily abides by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), a federal law that protects the privacy of student educational records.

## Honorary Degrees

Since CCGS Bible College is an independent, religious-exempt institution, qualifying it to grant degrees in California, and since its degrees are religious in nature, it may also confer honorary degrees. Such degrees are granted only in exceptional cases. If the leadership of CCGS Bible College deems the education, experience, or service of an individual as of significant value to the school, they may award that person an Honorary Bachelor of Biblical Studies, Honorary Master of Divinity, or Honorary Doctor of Divinity degree.

# ACADEMIC STANDARDS

## Credits

CCGS Bible College operates on a 15-week semester system. One credit represents 15 hours of time spent in class. For each hour spent in class, students are assigned approximately one hour of homework to be done outside of class. Overall, one credit represents approximately 30 total hours of lecture, study, discussion, or any combination thereof.

## Attendance

Time spent in class at CCGS Bible College is about much more than gathering notes and information in order to pass an exam. The great benefit of the live classroom setting is that it is a time of face-to-face fellowship and learning as a community of believers gathered in the presence of God. Another benefit is the opportunity for the students' active participation - the ability to ask questions and personally engage in discussion. For these reasons, we emphasize the need to attend class faithfully. We recognize that extenuating circumstances sometimes prevent a student from being able to attend class. For this reason, we distinguish between excused and unexcused absences. *Students must contact their instructors to determine if an absence is excusable, and do so within 2 weeks of the absence.* Unexcused absences will result in a reduction of your course grade, and enough absences whether excused or unexcused may cause you to lose the class. Whenever an absence occurs, whether excused or unexcused, students are highly encouraged to listen to the class session they missed on mp3 and take notes. In addition, any homework that was due the day of the absence should be turned in at the next class.

Course schedule, topics, and assignments may be changed at the instructor's discretion. Students are responsible for knowing information provided in class whether or not they are in attendance when the information is given. Students can track their attendance on the Populi system, but *attendance will not be factored into your grade until the end of the semester when courses are finalized.*

## Grading

While grades are not the main goal of our classes, evaluation is an important tool in teaching and discipleship training. We recognize that, although all people are equal in value, they often differ in their gifts and abilities. As we design our

courses and evaluate students' work, we do our best to make sure that students receive grades that properly reflect the effort they put into their studies.

If a student is unsatisfied with a final grade and thinks that an error has occurred in the calculation of the grade, he or she may submit a request for a grade change in writing to the Bible College office within 90 days after receiving a grade report. CCGS Bible College will review the grade and if there is sufficient evidence showing that the grade was inaccurate it will be corrected. Students are responsible to keep all graded assignments and exams. These items will be necessary whenever a request for a grade change is filed.

At CCGS Bible College, we use both letter grades and grade points that count toward a cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA). This standard grading system makes it easier for our students to transfer credits from CCGS Bible College to other academic institutions, and applies uniformly to all courses. Here is a chart that shows the grades, percentages, and grade points:

Letter Grade	Percentage	Grade Points	Explanation
A	100-95	4.0	Excellent
A-	94-90	3.7	Excellent
B+	89-87	3.3	Good
B	86-83	3.0	Good
B-	82-80	2.7	Good
C+	79-77	2.3	Satisfactory
C	76-73	2.0	Satisfactory
C-	72-70	1.7	Lowest passing grade
D+	69-67	1.3	Unsatisfactory
D	66-63	1.0	Unsatisfactory
D-	62-60	0.7	Unsatisfactory
F	59 or below	0.0	Failure
P	-	-	Pass
AU	-	-	Audit
UA	-	-	Unsuccessful Audit
W	-	-	Withdrawal
UW	-	0.0	Unauthorized Withdrawal
I	-	-	Incomplete

### Scholastic Standing

Grades are evaluated at the end of each semester. A grade point average of 2.0 per semester must be maintained in order to attend CCGS Bible College. If a student's cumulative GPA drops below 2.0, the student will have one semester to bring the cumulative GPA up to 2.0. If the student is not able to bring the GPA up within one semester, he or she will be asked to move from the degree-seeking program to the Certificate of Completion program. Students must earn a grade of "C" or better in all required courses. Grades of "D+" or lower will not be considered a passing grade for any required course and "F" is a failing grade. Any elective course in which an "F" is received cannot be applied toward a degree or certificate.

## TRANSFER INFORMATION

### Transferring to CCGS Bible College

Some students who come to CCGS Bible College may have prior coursework from an evangelical Bible College or Seminary and desire to use that course work to fulfill a portion of their CCGS Bible College elective requirements. Courses will be examined individually and must be deemed identical or very similar in content to courses offered at CCGS Bible College. Usually, a maximum of 12 semester credits may be transferred from another school toward the two-year course of study at CCGS Bible College, unless the institution is a CCBC Murrieta Affiliate or the student is pursuing the Bachelor of Biblical Studies degree at CCGS Bible College. In most cases, any credits that are transferred will count toward Electives or Bible Elective credits only.

Credit is usually not awarded by CCGS Bible College for "life experience." Degrees cannot be granted retroactively from the time before CCGS Bible College was verified as able to grant degrees. Thus, Certificates of Completion from CCGS Bible College cannot be exchanged for the Associate of Theology or Bachelor of Biblical Studies degrees from CCGS Bible College. All work completed at any institution must apply towards the degree granted. Degrees cannot be granted for work done that applied towards another degree, except where deemed appropriate by the administration. The purpose for these policies is to prevent CCGS Bible College from being anything like a "diploma mill" and to ensure that the degrees offered by CCGS Bible College are of the highest integrity.

To request a transfer credit evaluation, please submit your official transcripts from the institution(s) you have attended. No official evaluation can be made without official transcripts. In some cases, you may be asked to provide additional information about your coursework in order to complete the evaluation. CCGS Bible College will maintain a written record of the student's previous education and official transcripts and a record showing that transfer credit was granted, if appropriate, with the student notified accordingly. Transfer students should not assume all Bible courses will be transferable. Final decisions are made by our staff after carefully considering each course and comparing it to required course work at CCGS Bible College.

### Transferring from CCGS Bible College

Students have numerous opportunities to build on their biblical education and pursue further studies beyond CCGS Bible College at accredited Christian colleges and seminaries. A number of accredited colleges have recognized CCGS Bible and CCBC Murrieta as credible Bible-teaching institutions and have accepted their courses in transfer, and the Bachelor of Biblical Studies degree through CCBC Murrieta has been accepted by some of the finest seminaries in the nation as meeting the admissions requirements for their master's degree programs.

The following list includes some of the institutions that have accepted credit from CCBC Murrieta or admitted students to graduate programs who have earned the Bachelor's in Bible Studies degree. Each institution may accept transfer credits or grant admission for students on a case-by-case basis. They have reserved the right not to accept certain credits or admit students as they deem appropriate. If you have specific questions about transferability of credits, please call the Registrar's Office of the institution you desire to attend.

Arizona Christian University (formerly Southwestern College)  
2625 E. Cactus Road / Phoenix, Arizona 85032  
Phone: (800) 247-2697 / Web: [www.arizonachristian.edu](http://www.arizonachristian.edu)

California Baptist University  
8432 Magnolia Ave. / Riverside, California 92504  
Phone: (877) 228-3615 / Web: [www.calbaptist.edu](http://www.calbaptist.edu)

Calvary Chapel University  
4633 Doliva Drive / San Diego, CA 92117  
Phone: (954) 453-9228 / [info@calvarychapeluniversity.com](mailto:info@calvarychapeluniversity.com)

Denver Seminary  
6399 South Santa Fe Drive / Littleton, Colorado 80120  
Phone: (800) 922-3040 / Web: [www.denverseminary.edu](http://www.denverseminary.edu)

Gateway Seminary  
3210 E. Guasti Rd. / Ontario, CA 91761  
Phone: (909) 687-1800 / Web: [www.gs.edu](http://www.gs.edu)

Faith Evangelical College and Seminary  
3504 N. Pearl Street / Tacoma, Washington 98407  
Phone: (888) 777-7675 / Web: [www.faithseminary.edu](http://www.faithseminary.edu)

Horizon University  
5331 Mt. Alifan Dr. / San Diego, California 92111  
Phone: (858) 695-8587 / Web: [www.horizonuniversity.edu](http://www.horizonuniversity.edu)

Liberty University  
1971 University Boulevard / Lynchburg, Virginia 24502  
Phone: (434) 582-2000 / Web: [www.liberty.edu](http://www.liberty.edu)

Life Pacific College  
1100 Covina Blvd. / San Dimas, CA 91773  
Phone: (909) 599-5433 / Web: [www.lifepacific.edu](http://www.lifepacific.edu)

The Master's College  
21726 Placerita Canyon Rd. / Santa Clarita, California 91321  
Phone: (800) 568-6248 / Web: [www.masters.edu](http://www.masters.edu)

The Master's Seminary  
13248 Roscoe Blvd. / Sun Valley, California 91352  
Phone: (800) 225-5867 / Web: [www.tms.edu](http://www.tms.edu)

Northwestern College  
3003 Snelling Ave. / St. Paul, Minnesota 55113  
Phone: (800) 827-6827 / Web: [www.nwc.edu](http://www.nwc.edu)

San Diego Christian College  
2100 Greenfield Drive / El Cajon, California 92019  
Phone: (800) 676-2242 / Web: [www.sdcc.edu](http://www.sdcc.edu)

The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary  
2825 Lexington Road / Louisville, Kentucky 40280  
Phone: (800) 626-5525 / Web: [www.sbts.edu](http://www.sbts.edu)

Southern California Bible College and Seminary  
2075 E. Madison Ave. / El Cajon, California 92019  
Phone: (888) 389-7244 / Web: [www.socalsem.edu](http://www.socalsem.edu)

Southern Evangelical Seminary and Bible College  
3000 Tilley Morris Road / Matthews, North Carolina 28105  
Phone: (800) 778-7884 / Web: [www.ses.edu](http://www.ses.edu)

Talbot School of Theology  
 13800 Biola Ave. / La Mirada, CA 90639  
 Phone: (562) 903-6000 / Web: www.talbot.edu  
 Vanguard University  
 55 Fair Drive / Costa Mesa, California 92626  
 Phone: (714) 556-3610 / Web: www.vanguard.edu

Veritas International University (Formerly Veritas Evangelical Seminary)  
 3000 W. MacArthur Blvd / Santa Ana, California 92704  
 Phone: (714) 966-8500 / Web: www.ves.edu

## **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

### **Tuition**

Credit Program: \$70.00 per credit

Audit Program: \$70.00 per course

Textbooks are not included in the tuition cost.

### **Fees**

Application Fee: \$25.00 (a one-time non-refundable fee for new students)

Registration Fee: \$60.00 (a non-refundable fee every semester)

Online-Class Fee: \$50.00 (a non-refundable fee every semester)

### **Total Cost**

The total cost for a typical 64-credit Associate of Theology, Bachelor of Biblical Studies, or Certificate of Complete program is \$4,745 (Tuition: \$70 x 64 credits = \$4,480 / Fees: \$265). This does not include the cost of textbooks.

### **Financial Aid**

At CCGS Bible College, we attempt to keep the cost of our education program affordable so as many students as possible can attend. Because of this we do not participate in government supported financial aid programs or guaranteed student loans.

Before applying for admission to CCGS Bible College, applicants should make realistic assessments of the financial obligation. Calvary Chapel Golden Springs believes and teaches, "where God guides, God provides." Over the years, we have seen God make provisions for people who were called to attend Bible College.

Calvary Chapel Golden Springs also believes it is more blessed to give than to receive. With this in mind, God has led us to give partial scholarships to students who may be in need of financial aid to cover tuition expenses. Students are not obligated to repay such gifts; however, we highly encourage students who have been given these scholarships to express their gratitude by serving at Calvary Chapel Golden Springs in some way. Students can obtain a Scholarship Application form by contacting the CCGS Bible College office.

## Payment Terms

The required fees are due at the time of registration, for each semester. Any student who would like to make payments towards their tuition may complete a Tuition Contract. Students will be able to make payments towards their tuition throughout the semester. If there is an outstanding balance after the semester has ended, the balance will be applied to the credit card provided on the Tuition Contract. Payments must be made by cash, check, or credit/debit cards. Checks must be made payable to CCGS Bible College.

## Refunds

Refunds of tuition or account credits can be made up to the fourth week of the semester. Refunds are based on the number of classes held prior to the notification from the student of their intent to drop. Students can view the pro-rated schedule for refunds on their Populi account. *The total tuition amount is due if the student drops after the fourth week of the semester.*

Refunds are contingent on proper notification by the student. It is important for students to notify the CCGS Bible College office as soon as they decide to drop a class, since the refund amount is determined according to the day the Program Change Form is submitted, NOT according to the last day class is attended. Drops are not official until a Program Change Form is filled out and signed. If a student does not drop the class with proper written documentation, within the allotted drop dates, they will be responsible for the full tuition payment.

## CALENDAR AND REGISTRATION

### Academic Calendar

<b>Registration Begins:</b>	August 5, 2018
<b>Classes Begin:</b>	August 20, 2018
<b>Class Add Deadline:</b>	September 3, 2018
<b>Class Drop Deadline:</b>	September 10, 2018
<b>Labor Day Observance:</b>	September 3, 2018
<b>Thanksgiving Break:</b>	November 22, 2018
<b>Finals Week:</b>	December 3-6, 2018

### Registration for Classes

Registration for classes may be done within the registration period only. Returning students can register online using Populi or in person before or after any church service, or during office hours. Registration dates can be acquired online or by calling the college office at (909) 859-6519. If you have an outstanding balance from a previous semester, arrangements for payment must be made with the the CCGS Bible College office, before admittance will be accepted. Due to limited class space, students should register as soon as possible. Registration closes at the end of the first week of classes.

## STUDENT LIFE

### **Moral Code**

In all we do, as the body of Christ, we should seek to honor and glorify the Lord. We ask students to be modest and appropriate in their attire. We appreciate your cooperation in this, as we seek to honor God and promote godliness on our campus. This is a non-smoking facility and there are no designated areas for smokers on or near the campus. This rule is strictly enforced. Smoking on campus is grounds for dismissal.

### **Academic Honesty**

As God's people we are to walk in integrity and truthfulness in all we do. This is especially important in an academic setting. For this reason, students should never use another person's words, ideas, music, artwork, or any other product of their academic or creative endeavors in such a manner as to imply that the thing used was their own. In academic circles, not to acknowledge your sources (what is known as *plagiarism*) is a very serious matter. As well, during quizzes or exams, students should never use notes or memory aids unless allowed by the instructor. Students who plagiarize or cheat may face disciplinary action up to, and including dismissal. God is light and in Him there is no darkness at all, so as children of light, we are to walk in the light.

### **Use of Technology**

We thank God for the technologies we have in our modern age, but we want to use them in a way that honors and glorifies Him. Mobile phones must be silenced or turned off in class, and no texting is allowed during class sessions. Laptop computers or tablets are to be used only for course-related work. Thanks in advance for your willingness to respect this important policy.

### **Ministry Opportunities**

In addition to course work, CCGS Bible College provides numerous on-going opportunities to serve within Calvary Chapel, in order to gain practical ministry experience. Some common areas of ministry, which have developed over the years are: Mexico outreach ministry, hospital ministry, feeding the homeless, children's Christian education, CD and radio ministry, street witnessing, outreach concerts, new believer instructors, women's ministry, bookstore ministry, sound ministry and youth group involvement. The opportunities change each semester, depending on the spiritual gifts of the students currently in attendance.

## STATEMENT OF FAITH

The following doctrinal statement of faith governs the teaching at Calvary Chapel Golden Springs Bible College:

**Scripture:** We believe the Bible (i.e., the sixty-six books of the Old and New Testaments) is the Word of God, comprises the totality of Holy Scripture, is verbally inspired and inerrant in the original text, remains inerrant and infallible in all its substance, and is sufficient for salvation and sanctification. Therefore, it is the supreme, final, and authoritative standard for faith, theology, and life. We seek to teach the Word of God in such a way that its message can be applied to an individual's life, leading that person to greater maturity in Christ. (CCBC affirms the Chicago Statement on Biblical Inerrancy)

**Historicity:** We believe in the full historicity and perspicuity (clear) of the biblical record of primeval history, including the literal existence of Adam and Eve as the progenitors of all people, the literal fall in the Garden of Eden and resultant divine curse on creation, the worldwide cataclysmic deluge, and the origin of the nations and languages at the tower of Babel.

**God:** We believe that the triune God eternally exists in one essence and three distinct persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit; that He is essentially spirit, personal, transcendent, sovereign, life, love, truth, almighty, simple (i.e., essentially one without parts), timelessly eternal, unchangeable, wise, just, holy, relational, pure actuality, dynamic, infallible in all things, including His foreknowledge of all future decisions and events, and that He created the heavens and the earth in six literal days.

**Jesus Christ:** We believe that Jesus Christ is fully God and fully human, possessing two distinct natures which are co-joined in one person; that He was miraculously conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, lived a sinless and miraculous life, provided for the atonement of our sins by His vicarious substitutionary death on the Cross, that He was buried in the tomb, and was physically resurrected in the same body by the power of the Holy Spirit; that Jesus Christ physically ascended back to the right hand of God the Father in heaven, and ever lives to make intercession for us. After Jesus ascended to Heaven, the Holy Spirit was poured out on the believers in Jerusalem, enabling them to fulfill His command to preach the gospel to the entire world, an obligation shared by all believers today. (CCGS Bible College affirms the Apostle's, Nicene, and Athanasian Creeds).

**Holy Spirit:** We believe the Holy Spirit is the third person of the Godhead who seals, indwells, sanctifies, baptizes, teaches, empowers, reveals, and guides the believer into all truth. The Holy Spirit gives gifts to whom He wills, which are valid for today, and ought to be exercised within scriptural guidelines. We as believers are to earnestly desire the best gifts, seeking to exercise them in love that the whole Body of Christ might be edified. We believe that love is more important than the most spectacular gifts, and without this love all exercise of spiritual gifts is worthless.

**Mankind:** We believe that man is created in the image of God; however, after the Fall of Adam and Eve, all people are by nature separated from God and responsible for their own sin, but that salvation, redemption, and forgiveness are offered as a free gift by the Lord Jesus Christ to all based on His grace alone. When a person repents of sin and receives Jesus Christ as personal Savior and Lord, trusting Him to save, that person is immediately born again and sealed by the Holy Spirit, all his/her sins are forgiven, and that person becomes a child of God, destined to spend eternity with the Lord.

**Salvation:** Salvation is initiated, attained, and procured by God through the death of Christ on the cross for our sins and His resurrection from the dead. The salvation Christ offers is available to all, and is received freely by grace alone and through faith in Christ alone, apart from good works, thereby justifying and sealing the believer once and for all.

**The Church:** The universal Church is an organic body composed of all believers, both living and dead, who have been sealed by the Holy Spirit through faith in Jesus Christ for salvation. The church has the responsibility to worship the Lord and share the good news of Christ's death and resurrection to the world, making disciples, baptizing believers, and teaching them to observe sound doctrine and live a morally pure life. We believe church government should be

simple rather than a complex bureaucracy, with the utmost dependence upon the Holy Spirit to lead, rather than on fleshly promotion or worldly wisdom. The Lord has given the church two ordinances which are to continue until He returns - Water Baptism by Immersion and Holy Communion. Water Baptism is not necessary for salvation, and cannot remove sins, but is a picture of the salvation already received by the believer. This is why we do not believe in infant baptism. We believe the only true basis of Christian fellowship is Christ's sacrificial agape love, which is greater than any secondary differences we possess, and without which we have no right to claim ourselves Christians.

**Worship:** We believe worship of God should be spiritual. Therefore, we remain flexible and yielded to the leading of the Holy Spirit to direct our worship. We believe worship of God should be inspirational. Therefore, we give great place to music in our worship. We believe worship of God should be intelligent. Therefore, our gatherings are designed with great emphasis upon the teaching of the Word of God that He might instruct us how He should be worshiped. We believe the worship of God should be fruitful. Therefore, we look for His love in our lives as the supreme manifestation that we have been truly worshiping God in spirit and truth.

**Christ's Return:** We await the pretribulational rapture of the church and the second coming of Christ which will be physical, personal, visible, and premillennial. This motivates us to evangelism, holy living, heart-felt worship, committed service, diligent study of God's Word, and regular fellowship.

**Eternity:** We believe those who are saved by Jesus Christ will spend eternity with Christ in heaven in a conscious state of blessedness, reward, and satisfaction; that those who do not personally receive the finished work of Christ by faith will spend eternity separated from God in a state of conscious torment.

**Satan:** We believe there is a real personal Devil of great malevolence, cunning, and power, who seeks to deceive, tempt, kill, steal and destroy, yet his power is limited by God to only what God permits him to do; that the Devil has been defeated positionally at the cross of Christ, and will be defeated practically at Christ's glorious second coming which will eventuate in the permanent quarantine and punishment of the Devil, Beast, and False Prophet, in the Lake of Fire.

**We Reject:** (1) The belief that true Christians can be demon possessed and are helpless against the craft and wiles of the Devil; (2) any philosophy or theology which denies that human freewill can be exercised in the receiving of Christ's free gift of salvation; specifically, we reject the belief that Jesus' atonement was limited in its extent, instead, we believe that He died for all unrighteous people and that any perceived limitation rests in one's free rejection of Christ's finished work of atonement, and we reject the assertion that God's wooing grace cannot be resisted or that He has elected some people to go to Hell; instead we believe that anyone who wills to come to Christ may do so freely as a result of the Holy Spirit's conviction and wooing persuasion of the heart; (3) "positive confession," (e.g., the Faith Movement, that views faith as a force that can create one's own reality or that God can be commanded to heal or work miracles according to man's will and faith); (4) human prophecy that supersedes or is contrary to Scripture; (5) any introduction of psychology and philosophy which is contrary to Scripture and is in substance "according to the tradition of men, according to the basic principles of the world, and not according to Christ" into biblical teaching; (6) "Open Theism" or "Freewill Theism" which reduces God's timeless, unchanging, dynamic nature, and exhaustive foreknowledge of future free decisions, to creaturely modes of being and operation; (7) the "Emergent Church" movement insofar as it departs from the historic orthodox Christian doctrines in favor of postmodernism; and (8) the overemphasis of spiritual gifts, experiential signs and wonders to the exclusion of biblical teaching.

While CCGS Bible College holds to these beliefs, we welcome any believer in the Lord Jesus Christ who has a sincere desire to grow closer to Jesus. Our desire is to share in the fellowship of Christ in a way that brings glory to God, avoiding division, and to share in His love.

In some cases, departure from the doctrinal statement may, in the evaluation of the College, constitute grounds for denying admission to CCGS Bible College, subsequent dismissal, or prohibition from graduating.

## COURSE INFORMATION

⊕ A Core Class / ★ A Foundations Class / ✦ A Ministry Class / ✧ A Recommended Elective

### BIBLICAL COUNSELING (BC)

#### **BC 301: Biblical Counseling (2 credits) ✦**

This class will be a biblical study of counseling from God's perspective. We will study the biblical basis for counseling as well as the principles for effective counseling taught in God's Word. Students will also learn to discern the difference between secular counseling methods and biblical counseling methods.

### CHRISTIAN LIVING (CL)

#### **CL101: Chapel Service (0.5 credits)**

Thirty minutes before evening class sessions, there is a time of worship, prayer, and devotion. This Chapel Service allows students to prepare their hearts so they will be ready to learn the most they can from God's Word.

#### **CL 305: Growing in the Grace of God (2 credits)**

This course is designed to familiarize the student with a biblical understanding of grace and its meaning for the believer. Attention will be given to the relationship between grace and the Old and New Covenants.

#### **CL 331: Christian Marriage and Family (2 Credits) ✧**

Marriage and Family are two of the oldest institutions known to mankind, which recently have become popular topics of debate as to their purpose, validity and value, socially and spiritually. Discussion and debate about these institutions are meaningless and without merit when excluding the author and founder who instituted Marriage and Family, Almighty God, Himself and His perspective.

#### **CL 355: Cultivating A Life of Prayer (2 Credits)**

One of the most significant things we can do is pray. Because of that, God's Word has a lot to say about prayer. In this class you'll not only learn about what prayer is, and how to pray more effectively, but how to cultivate a life of prayer like Jesus and the great saints of the Bible.

### CHRISTIAN MINISTRY (CM)

#### **CM 199: Practical Christian Ministry (1 credit) ⊕**

Students will provide practical support in the many areas of ministry at the Bible College and Calvary Chapel Golden Springs, by their service to the Lord. Those who do not attend CCGS are encouraged to get involved at the church they are attending. Opportunities include working with various ministries such as the EXIT Concerts, the Gig, high school, junior high, children's ministry, ushers and the coffee house. **Four semesters of Practical Christian Ministry are required for graduation.**

#### **CM 301: Principles of Ministry (2 credits)**

This course is a practical study of the Unchanging-Biblical Principles of Ministry. It is widely recognized that: "Methods are many, principles are few, methods always change, but principles never do." This course is a heartfelt study of such principles. Interwoven throughout the course, will be the philosophy of ministry handed down from Pastor Chuck Smith, and his vision for Calvary Chapel.

#### **CM 329: Children's Ministry (2 Credits) ✦**

Children are the future of the Church. How then can we teach them the best way possible? In this new class, you'll not only learn biblical principles, but receive practical instruction on how to minister to children. This will equip you to be a more effective teacher and enable you to help train others as well.

**CM 339: Church Tech Arts (2 credits) †**

This course gives an overview of the key components of Tech Arts in the Church. It will include such things as video, sound, lighting, and web content. In this hands-on, learn by doing course, you'll get to work behind the scenes and see all that it takes to make a church in the 21st century work.

**CM 351: Spiritual Leadership (2 credits)**

In this course you will learn about what a true spiritual leader is. Students will learn about the characteristics and qualities of those God has used in history making ways, so that God can use them in our world today.

**CHURCH HISTORY (CH)****CH 301: Church History (2 credits) ✧**

This course is designed as an overview of the major events, movements, doctrines and people associated with the growth of the Christian church, from the apostolic era until the present.

**ETHICS (ET)****ET 301: Christian Ethics (2 credits) ★**

This course is designed to help students understand the complex issues facing our times and how Christians should address them in a loving biblical manner.

**EVANGELISM (EV)****EV 301: Evangelism (2 credits) †**

This course is designed to teach students the different biblical principles of evangelism. Students will be instructed on the purpose of evangelism as referred to in the scriptures, as well as give practical application in administering the things learned to those we come in contact with.

**LANGUAGE ARTS (LA)****LA 329: Simplified Hebrew (2 credits)**

This class introduces students to the original language in which the Old Testament was written. You will learn the Hebrew alphabet, the common pronunciation of Hebrew words, a basic vocabulary of Hebrew words and an overview of the essential elements of Hebrew grammar. This is all intended to equip students with the tools to better understand the Old Testament and prepare them to teach it correctly and effectively.

**LA 341: Simplified Greek and Hebrew (2 credits)**

This class introduces students to the original language in which the Old and New Testaments were written – OT Hebrew and NT Greek. You will learn the Greek and Hebrew alphabets, the common pronunciation of Greek and Hebrew words, a basic vocabulary of a few key Greek and Hebrew words, and an overview of some of the essential elements of Greek and Hebrew grammar. This is all intended to equip students with the tools to better understand the Old Testament and prepare them to teach it correctly and effectively.

**LA 357: Simplified Greek (2 credits)**

This class introduces students to the original language in which the New Testament was written. You will learn the Greek alphabet, the common pronunciation of Greek words used in Bible colleges and seminaries, a basic vocabulary of Greek words and an overview of the essential elements of Greek grammar. This is all intended to equip students with the tools to better understand the New Testament and prepare them to teach it correctly and effectively.

## MISSIOLOGY (MI)

### MI 205: Missions Practicum (3 credits) †

This practicum is an immersion into the mission field directed to the people in the indigenous tribes in Colombia, Peru and Brazil each one of the four levels is design to prepare you to do missionary work in faraway places out of your comfort zone blending and serving while you study on the life and work of missionaries that serve the Lord in those remotes areas.

### MI 301: Biblical Missions (2 credits) †

This class will focus on the theological and practical elements of mission work. Students will study the Biblical basis of missions, focusing on the life of Paul in the Book of Acts and some of his epistles. Students will learn principles that should be applied, practically, in their missionary endeavor.

## NEW TESTAMENT (NT)

### NT 301: Survey of the New Testament 1 (3 credits) ☼

Students will study the Bible, verse-by-verse, from Matthew through Acts by listening to the C-2000 series of Pastor Chuck Smith (Calvary Chapel Costa Mesa). Students will answer the study questions in the course guide and write down personal notes. For this course, there are 69 messages, at an average of about an hour per message.

### NT 302: Survey of the New Testament 2 (3 credits) ☼

Students will study the Bible, verse-by-verse, from Romans through Revelation by listening to the C-2000 series of Pastor Chuck Smith (Calvary Chapel Costa Mesa). Students will answer the study questions in the course guide and write down personal notes. For this course, there are 79 messages, at an average of about an hour per message.

### NT 351: Gospel of Matthew (3 credits) ☼

Matthew links the Old and New Testaments by presenting Jesus as the expectation and fulfillment of prophecy. This class will focus on the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ and His Messiahship.

### NT 352: Gospel of Mark (3 credits) ☼

The Gospel of Mark is the shortest and most action-packed of the four Gospels. It presents Jesus in a powerful and wonderful way. In this verse-by-verse study of the Gospel of Mark, you'll understand the life, death, and resurrection of Christ like never before.

### NT 353: The Gospel of Luke (3 credits) ☼

This is an in-depth study (historical, theological, expository and devotional) of the Gospel of Luke. It seeks to provide students with a thorough understanding of the history and chronology of the life of Jesus Christ, His teachings, theology and their practical application.

### NT 354: Gospel of John (3 credits) ☼

This book is recognized as the unique fourth Gospel, which offers a portrait of Jesus Christ like no other book of the Bible. This is a verse-by-verse study with emphasis on theology, Christology and the relationship between Christ's deity and humanity.

### NT 355: Acts (3 credits) ☼

This course is a verse-by-verse study through the Book of Acts. We will look at the growth of the early church and church practice, including the function of spiritual gifts. We will also study the aspects of early church missions, church planting and discipleship.

### NT 356: Romans (3 credits) ☼

This is a verse by verse study of the Book of Romans; a book long regarded as the most systematic presentation of doctrine in the Bible. Students will study, in-depth, grace, forgiveness and salvation.

**NT 357: 1 Corinthians (2 credits)**

How are we to deal with problems in the church? In this expositional study of 1 Corinthians, you'll learn that the problems plaguing the Corinthian church are the same problems we face today. How do you deal with division, marital conflicts, sexual immorality, taking Christian liberty too far, offenses, confusion about spiritual gifts, issues about money, and so on? 1 Corinthians teaches us how to live "Christ-like" in a society that is carnal.

**NT 358: 2 Corinthians (2 credits)**

In the first century, false teachers and their teachings were leading many churches astray. The same is true today. How can we know who are trustworthy Christian leaders and who are not? And how can we know the marks of churches that are healthy, and those that are not? In the book of 2 Corinthians, the Apostle Paul gives answers to these important questions, showing what true Christianity looks like in an "anything goes" culture.

**NT 369: Hebrews (3 credits) ✧**

In this Epistle, we will see that mankind is no longer in need of a Priest here on earth. Christ, our High Priest, is now seated at the right hand of God and has fulfilled all the requirements of the Law. Therefore, the most important objective of Hebrews is to help the believer understand who the Lord Jesus Christ truly is.

**NT 377: Revelation (3 credits) ☼**

In this course, students will seek a biblical understanding in their minds and hearts, of the events God has foretold, through His prophets, concerning the Last Days. The purpose of this course is for students to understand where we are in prophecy and what lies ahead for the Church.

**NT 386: Prison Epistles (2 credits)**

This course is designed to Study the Epistles that Paul the Apostle wrote while in captivity in Rome. In Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, and Philemon we will see the tremendous heart of compassion Paul had for these early churches struggling for survival in a pagan and idolatrous world. While the prison epistles reflect Paul's earthly position as a prisoner of Rome, he makes it clear that his captivity was first and foremost to Christ. Paul's time in captivity was no less profitable to us today than it was to the first-century churches he loved so well.

**NT 389: General Epistles (2 credits)**

The books of James, 1-2 Peter, 1-3 John, and Jude are called "general" epistles, because they're not addressed to any local congregation, but to Christians in general. Though they are often overlooked, these books are filled with incredible insights for the days in which we live. In this class you will study the background, content, and significance of these incredible books.

**NT 392: Philippians and Colossians (2 credits)**

This class is an in-depth study of Paul's letters written to the churches in Philippi and Colossae during his first imprisonment in Rome. Students will discover the knowledge and acceptance of Christ. His great love and grace encourages us to faithfully and joyfully follow His will in all our relationships and circumstances.

**NT 397: 1-2 Thessalonians (2 credits)**

Two of the earliest letters Paul wrote are 1-2 Thessalonians. They were written to a church that though it was young, became a model for churches everywhere. These two epistles are filled with many practical lessons, but their special focus is on our blessed hope - the return of Jesus Christ. This verse-by-verse study through these books gives some of the clearest teaching about the Rapture of the Church and the Second Coming of Christ.

**NT 400: 1-2 Peter and Jude (2 credits)**

This course is designed to look deeply into the persecution, false doctrines, and immoral living found in the early church. Apostle Peter and Jude encouraged the church to combat this wickedness through the truth of scripture and the hope in Christ. Each student will learn the relevancy of applying God's truth in his or her lives in the society and times they live in now.

**NT 403: The Parables of Jesus (2 credits)**

This is an in-depth scholarly and devotional study of the Parables of Jesus recorded in the NT Gospels. Emphasis will be given to historical background, contextual interpretation, language style, technique, theology, doctrine and application.

**NT 404: The Life of the Apostle Paul (2 credits)**

This course will cover a study in the life, ministry, and theology of Paul the Apostle. Emphasis will be given to the following subjects, the call to ministry, training of leaders, missions, and Pauline theology.

**NT 407: Galatians/Ephesians (3 credits)**

The objective of this class is to give students a thorough working knowledge of Paul's epistles to the churches of Galatia and Ephesus, highlighting the doctrines presented in the epistles. Students will see a glorious picture of Christ and the plan of God for His children.

**NT 409: Pastoral Epistles (3 credits)**

Students will study the important issues in the church. In his letters to Timothy and Titus, Paul gives these young pastors encouragement and instruction about false doctrine, worship in the church, choosing leaders and proper treatment of those in the church.

**OLD TESTAMENT (OT)****OT 301: Old Testament Survey 1 (3 credits) 🔄**

This is a verse-by-verse study of the Old Testament, from Genesis through Job. Students will listen to the C-2000 series of Pastor Chuck Smith (Calvary Chapel Costa Mesa). Students will answer the study questions in the course guide and write down personal notes. For this course, there are 88 messages, at an average of about an hour per message.

**OT 302: Old Testament Survey 2 (3 credits) 🔄**

This is a verse-by-verse study of the Old Testament, from Psalms through Malachi. Students will listen to the C-2000 series of Pastor Chuck Smith (Calvary Chapel Costa Mesa). Students will answer the study questions in the course guide and write down personal notes. For this course, there are 88 messages, at an average of an hour per message.

**OT 306: Old Testament Characters (2 credits)**

Some of the greatest and most impacting leaders in human history are found in the Bible. And there are many profound and practical lessons we can learn from these "Heroes of the Faith." In this class, you'll study the lives of some of the great saints of old, and they'll show you how to live for God in our day.

**OT 310: Genesis (3 credits) 🔄**

The intention of this course is to study the magnificent account of the creation of mankind and the unfolding plan of the redemption of mankind. This verse-by-verse study will lead each student into a deeper faith in God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

**OT 311: Exodus (3 credits)**

The Book of Exodus tells the dramatic story of how God delivered Israel from their bondage to Egypt and brought them to Mt. Sinai to receive His commandments. It's a vivid picture of how God saves us and shows us how we are to love and live for Him.

**OT 315: The Book of Joshua (3 credits)**

This course will examine the historical lives of the nation of Israel as they were led by Joshua into and through the Promised Land. The same Promised Land the children of Israel experienced is available to us today in even a greater way. As Israel was led by Joshua, so we are led by Jesus, our Commander and Chief. Be ready to be challenged to live lives of victory by faith in Jesus and the Power of the Holy Spirit.

**OT 318: 1 Samuel (2 credits)**

Three men are the center of attention in the book of 1 Samuel - Samuel, Saul, and David. Samuel was the last of the judges, Saul was the first of the kings, and David was a man after God's own heart. And there are many impacting lessons that can be learned from their lives. 1 Samuel shows the hand of God at work in the affairs of men. Men make choices, but God sees to it that His purposes are fulfilled.

**OT 319: 2 Samuel (2 credits)**

The book of 1st Samuel introduces the monarchy of Israel, while 2nd Samuel chronicles the establishment of the Davidic dynasty and the expansion of Israel under God's chosen leader. We will take a closer look at David's life and his relationship with God. He was considered, chronologically, Israel's second king, although he would be the first king to follow after God's own heart. Yet, he was also a great sinner and it wasn't long after he became king that he committed both adultery and murder. We will look to answer the question: How can an adulterous murderer be called a man after God's own heart?

**OT 325: The Book of Nehemiah (2 credits)**

This is a study through the Book of Nehemiah. Important lessons in overcoming sin, spiritual restoration, spiritual warfare and other practical truths will be examined and applied. This course is designed to teach and encourage spiritual growth and attaining victory for all who seek and learn from the life and Book of Nehemiah. The valuable lessons learned from this course will aid the student in applying these principles in their own lives and ministry.

**OT 327: The Book of Job (3 credits)**

This course is an expository study and devotional overview of the Book of Job. Students will get a comprehensive overview and understanding of the doctrinal and practical truths revealed and taught in this unique book.

**OT 328: Psalms (3 credits)**

Students will discover the beauty of the praise and poetry in the Book of Psalms. Each verse in every Psalm, will be evaluated in-depth as students learn how to communicate with their Creator, with the comfort and healing this communication brings.

**OT 332: Isaiah (3 credits)**

This course is designed to deepen your relationship with Christ, while gaining a devotional understanding of the Book of Isaiah. You will become familiar with the form and structure of the book, as well as its basic theology, purposes, authorship and various historical accounts related to Isaiah.

**OT 333: The Book of Jeremiah (2 credits)**

An expositional study for the book of Jeremiah. Jeremiah was one of Judah's greatest prophets during the Israel's darkest days. Through the prophet's utterances, God is seen as patient and holy as He delayed His judgment and appealed to His people to repent. Jeremiah lists the moral and spiritual causes for their coming catastrophe, but he also proclaims God's gracious promise of hope and restoration.

**OT 336: The Book of Daniel (3 credits)**

This class will take an in-depth look at the book of Daniel focusing on three main topics. 1) The incredible Character of Daniel and how he was able to keep his faith despite tremendous trials. 2) The Prophecies of Judgment given to the Gentiles in the past and in the last days. 3) The Prophecies of Hope given to Israel by sending the Messiah and establishing God's ultimate kingdom.

**OT 352: Pentateuch (3 credits) ☪**

This course is an overview of the books of Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, and Deuteronomy. These books are commonly called the "Pentateuch," meaning "five scrolls." The authorship/date, background, content, themes, and structure of each of these important books is explored. Special attention is given to how these books apply to the student's personal and devotional life, as well as ideas for how they can teach these books to others.

**OT 359: The Minor Prophets (2 credits)**

The twelve Old Testament books of Hosea through Malachi are known as the “minor” prophets. They’re called “minor” prophets, because they’re shorter than the longer prophetic books, but their messages are of “major” importance. In this class students learn from these overlooked books and see how relevant they are for our day.

**OT 361: Ruth and Esther (2 credits)**

Ruth and Ester are two women of true living faith. They truly give us as women an example of a faith that works despite the cost. Both women lived in a time very different than our present world. Yet God’s principles never change and these women exercised these principles with courage and commitment. In this course we will examine choices, their cost and ultimately their eternal reward as God’s plan and purposes were accomplished through two women who trusted in Him

**OT 366: Old Testament History (2 credits)**

This course is a historical and devotional study of the Old Testament periods from the Exodus of the Jews to the time of the kings. Focus and emphasis will be given to key persons, events and milestones, as well as symbols and prophecy as they relate to New Testament faith. Students will gain a comprehensive overview and understanding of devotional, doctrinal and practical truths and applications, as revealed in the study of Old Testament history.

**OT 391: Christ in Old Testament (2 credits)**

This course is the Study of the typologies and appearances of Jesus Christ as seen in the Old Testament. These teachings will not only give us insight into Jesus in the OT, but also deepen our fellowship with him as we learn of His great wisdom in inspiring the word of God.

**PREACHING AND TEACHING (PT)****PT 301: Principles of Preaching (2 credits) †**

The purpose of this class is for students to understand the nature and importance of biblical preaching and identify the main types of biblical sermons. Another objective is for students to know the essential elements of constructing a sermon and develop a biblical sermon through exegesis, research and homiletics. Sermons from preachers in church history will also be evaluated.

**PT 305: Teaching Methods of Jesus (2 credits)**

This is an overview of the basic teaching methods employed by Jesus, as well as a variety of contemporary teaching strategies used in educational circles. Students will focus on what Jesus stressed and how He accomplished His goals. This will guide students to what truths they should stress in their teaching and what skills they can develop to follow His methods of communication.

**THEOLOGY (TH)****TH 307: Basic Biblical Doctrines 1 (2 credits) ☪**

This course is a study of various topics from theological and doctrinal perspectives. It is a systematic teaching of biblical truths, which will provide a resource for all who seek to know sound doctrine. Three main topics will be covered: The Doctrine of Scripture, The Doctrine of Angels, and The Doctrine of the Church.

**TH 308: Basic Biblical Doctrines 2 (2 credits) ☪**

This course is a study of various topics from theological and doctrinal perspectives. It is a systematic teaching of biblical truths, which will provide a resource for all who seek to know sound doctrine. Four main topics will be covered: The Doctrine of God, The Doctrine of Man, the Doctrine Sin, and the Doctrine of Salvation.

**TH 311: The History of Redemption (2 credits)**

This course is a study on the key themes, symbols, history and teachings focusing on the redemptive work of Christ as traced and followed throughout the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. Students will gain a comprehensive overview and understanding of the Bible and key doctrines regarding the redemptive work of Jesus Christ as presented throughout the Old and New Testaments.

**TH 325: Calvary Chapel Distinctives (2 credits) ✧**

This course is an in-depth study through the *Calvary Chapel Distinctives*. This class will examine the major themes that make Calvary Chapel distinctively different and unique. And that has had a special place in the plan of God. We will study the principles of ministry through the philosophy of Calvary Chapel. These teachings will provide practical lessons for every student who desires to grow in his/her personal walk with Christ.

**TH 342: The Person and Work of the Holy Spirit (2 credits)**

Students will learn who the Holy Spirit is and His work. Topics such as the Person of the Spirit, the Baptism with the Spirit, and the Spirit's work in the unbeliever and believer's life will be covered. Students will, also, learn about the gifts of the Spirit and how they are to be exercised by the Church today.

**TH 347: Archeology and the Bible (2 credits)**

As Christians, we believe the Bible is the very Word of God. But our faith in God's Word is not a faith founded on faith alone, it's a faith founded on facts. In this interesting class you'll be learning about some of the amazing archeological discoveries that show the reliability and trustworthiness of the Bible.

**TH 363: Christian Apologetics (2 credits) ★**

This class will examine the evidence for the truthfulness of the Christian faith. It will also concentrate on answering tough questions people raise regarding what Christians believe and why we believe.

**TH 365: Apologetic Evangelism (2 credits) ★**

Emphasis will be given to the nature of truth, the existence of God, evil, hell, miracles, the reliability of the Bible, Jesus Christ, His resurrection and other elements to evangelize non-Christians. The biblical role of faith, reason and the Holy Spirit will be explored, as it pertains to evangelism.

**TH 387: Cults and Comparative Religions (2 credits) ★**

The course will consist of an introduction to the origin, history, philosophy, theology and practices of major religions such as Hinduism, Buddhism, Secular Humanism, Islam, the New Age Movement, Jehovah's Witnesses and Mormonism. Each belief system will be described and evaluated to equip the student for effective evangelism. An analysis will be given on each of the major cults' doctrines and traditions, as well as biblical refutation of their errors.

**TH 391: Introduction to Islam (3 credits)**

Islam represents one of the greatest challenges to the church today. Indeed, Muslims are the largest people group yet to be reached with effective methods of Christian evangelism. Most Muslims are honest seekers, searching for the truth regarding who God is and what He requires of us, and believe they have found the answer in Islam. Yet as one prominent Christian leader has noted, more Muslims are coming to Christ now than at any other time in history, if they hear the gospel the right way and they see it lived out in our lives.

**TH 393: Attributes of God (2 credits) ✧**

Who is God? What is He like? And how can we know Him more? These are the most important questions you will ever ask. For who you understand God to be, affects all of life. In this course you'll learn how incredibly wondrous our God is, and how you can have a closer personal relationship with Him.

**TH 397: New Testament Theology (2 credits) ✧**

NT Theology is the study of the “Biblical Theology” of the New Testament. “Biblical Theology” is different than “Systematic Theology.” It studies directly from biblical passages in order to understand the key teachings of the various authors and sections of the New Testament, taking into account not only the biblical text, but the historical context as well. When this simple, more natural method of doing theology is used, it reveals many unforgettable insights. Once you see these truths you will never be the same again

**TH 409: Eschatology (2 credits)**

This course will look at various prophecies throughout the Bible that speak of events about or related to the end times or the last days of world history. These prophecies may have already been fulfilled, may be going on as we speak or have not yet occurred. These prophecies include Israel, The Church, the World and how they relate to us today.

**TH 411: Prophecy in the End Times (2 credits) ✧**

This course will look at various prophecies throughout the Bible, which speak of events related to End Times or the Last Days of world history. The prophecies the students study have already been fulfilled, may be taking place or have not occurred yet. Students will have a better understanding of where we are according to the biblical calendar.

**TH 417: Inductive Bible Study (3 credits) ☯**

This class is designed to teach students how to rightly divide the Word of God by observation, interpretation, application and cross-referencing the Scriptures.

**WORSHIP (WO)****WO 303: Principles of Worship (2 credits) ✧**

What does the Bible say about worship? Why do we sing songs before the pastor comes out to deliver his message? In this class, we will answer these questions and many more, as we look at the true ministry of worship and how it pertains to the church today.

**WO 313: Sound and Recording (2 credits)**

This class is designed to instruct and equip the student in numerous aspects of sound reinforcement, studio recording, and multimedia presentation. We will learn about servanthood, signal flow, mixing boards, equalization, microphones, effects, the recording studio, video, presentation software and many other aspects of the Media Ministry.

## ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY

### Administration

#### Dr. Raul Ries, President

Education: D Min - Fuller Theological Seminary; Master of Ministry - Azusa Pacific University; M Div - Azusa Pacific University; MA in Religion - Azusa Pacific University

Experience: Founder of Hidden Manna Corporation (1975); Founder and Lead Pastor of Calvary Chapel Golden Springs (formerly Calvary Chapel West Covina) since 1979; Founder of Manna for Today Radio (1980); Established Calvary Chapel Bible School West Covina (1982); Founder of Somebody Loves You Ministries (1993); Established CCGS Bible College and Pastoral School (1993); Established "So Send I You" International Missions (1993)

Courses Teaches: CM 301: Lectures in Ministry

Radio: Somebody Loves You Radio (*Syndicated, 30-minute daily program heard worldwide*)

Author: Fury to Freedom (*translated in six languages*), Hear What the Spirit is Saying, Things of the Spiritual Realm, Who Do You Think You Are, Five Deadly Vices, Seven Steps to a Successful Marriage, God Answers Prayer, Raising a Godly Family in an Ungodly World, Living Above Your Circumstances, Wake Up! Time is Short, Understanding God's Compassion, Follow Me, Practical Living from God's Word, Doctrines, Obedience (devotional).

Films: Fury to Freedom (*Feature Film -- drama/autobiography*); A Quiet Hope (*Documentary -- Vietnam War*); Venture in Faith (*Documentary*); Damascus Road: Raul Ries (*Documentary -- Life Story*); Taking the Hill (*Documentary -- War*)

Awards/Merits: Two Purple Hearts - Vietnam: Tour of Duty 1966-67

Notables: Eighth Degree Black Belt in Kung Fu San Soo: Inducted into the Martial Arts Hall of Fame (2012)

#### Dr. Larry Powers, Director

Education: D.D. - Calvary Chapel Golden Spring Bible College; M.A. in Theology - Fuller Theological Seminary; B.A. in Theology - Life Bible College; A.A. in Business Admin - Lane Community College

Experience: Director *Calvary Chapel Golden Springs Bible College* (2013-Present); Professor, CCGS Bible College (2013-2018) - Courses taught: *Simplified Greek; Church History; Preaching; Book of Acts*; Department Chair of Bible/Theology, *New Hope Christian College* (2010-2013); Professor, *New Hope Christian College* (2010-2013) - Courses taught: *Bible Survey, Bible-Centered Leadership, Bible-Theology Integration, Corinthian Epistles, Ezra-Nehemiah, History of Christianity, Introductory Bible Study, Ministry Integration, Prison Epistles*; Adjunct Professor, *Calvary Chapel Bible College* (1994-2013) - Courses taught: *Genesis, Simplified Greek-Hebrew, Life of Christ, Church History*, and guest lectures in *Pastoral Ministry*; Lead Pastor of Plaza Bible Church (1996-2004); Department Chair of Pastoral Ministry, *Life Pacific College* (2004-2009); Professor, *Life Pacific College* (1988-2009) - Courses taught: *OT Theology, NT Theology, Systematic Theology, Church History, Genesis, Joshua, Historical Books, Ezra-Nehemiah, Daniel, Hosea, Jonah, Zechariah, Synoptic Gospels, Gospel of Matthew, Gospel of Luke, Acts, Corinthian Epistles, Galatians, Prison Epistles, Pastoral Epistles, Revelation, Intro to Biblical Preaching, Preaching Practicum, Pastoral Ministry Seminar, Intro to Biblical Languages, Greek 1, Greek 2 Greek Reading, Hebrew, Hermeneutics, and Inductive Bible Study*; Adjunct Professor, *Vanguard University* (2006-2007) - Courses taught: *NT Survey and Intro to Greek*; Nathaniel Van Cleave Chair of Theology, *Life Pacific College* (1995-1996); Adjunct Professor, *Florence Avenue School of Ministry* (1994-1995) - Courses taught: *Introduction to Biblical Languages, Old Testament Theology, and New Testament Theology*; Adjunct Professor, *The King's College* (1988-1992) - Courses taught: *Intro to OT Hebrew, Intro to NT Greek*, guest lectures in *OT Survey, and NT Survey*

Published Works and Presentations: "How To Study the Bible For All Its Worth." A Seminar for *Central Valley School of Ministry* (2009); "Healing the Whole Person," *Fresh Perspectives on the Ministry of Jesus* (ICFG, 2004); "Is It Right To Be At War? – A Biblical Perspective on the War Against Terrorism" *Foursquare Advance Magazine* (Winter 2002); "The Healthy Church." *Ministry Today Magazine* Vol. 17/Number 2 (March-April 1999); "How To Study the Bible For All Its Worth." A Seminar for Foursquare Leaders and Pastors (1992-1993); "Introductions, Outlines, and Notes for 1-2 Kings and 1-2 Chronicles" in the *Spirit Filled Life Study Bible* (1991)

**Moses Silva**

Education: M.A. in Progress at Veritas International University; B.B.S. - CCGS Bible College; A.S. Fire Technology – Mt. San Antonio College; Certificate - Crafton Hills College Paramedic Program

Experience: Assistant Director of CCGS Bible College (2017-Present); Professor at CCGS Bible College (2016-2018); Spanish Teacher at Riverbend Classical Academy (2014-2017); Teacher at Ontario Christian School (2015-2017); Martial Arts Instructor for Silva Tae Kwon Do (2000-2017); Assistant to Spanish Translation – Calvary Chapel Chino Hills (2010-2017); Lead in First Responder’s Ministry at Calvary Chapel Chino Hills (2010-2017); Missionary Outreach to Mexico, Haiti, and Guatemala; President of Crafton Hills College Paramedic Program (Class 73); Eschatology in the Book of Revelation (en Español) – Friarjuanes, Guatemala.

Courses Taught: NT 302: NT Survey 2; NT 355: Acts (Online); NT 369: Hebrews (Online); OT 302: OT Survey 2; TH 365: Christian Apologetics; NT 369: Hebrews

**Faculty Emeritus****Dr. Guy P. Duffield (deceased)**

Education: D.D. from L.I.F.E. Bible College

Experience: Pastor - Pomona Foursquare Church; Pastor - Angelus Temple in Los Angeles; Professor at L.I.F.E. Bible College and Life Pacific College; Instructor at CCGS Bible College

Publications: Foundations of Pentecostal Theology; Pentecostal Preaching; Handbook of Bible Lands; A Christocentric Pentecost; The Security of the Believer; Salvation and the Seventh Day; The Inerrance and Authority of the Bible;

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Publications: Foundations of Pentecostal Theology; Handbook of Preaching; Studies in Sermon Preparation and Delivery; The Vine and the Branches; The Lord Our Healer

**Faculty****Justin Alfred**

Education: M.A. in Near Eastern Languages & Cultures from UCLA; Th.M. New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary; B.A. in History/Philosophy from Mississippi State

Experience: Lead Pastor in Louisiana (1973-1978); Taught at Calvary Chapel of Costa Mesa (1978-1983); Lead Pastor Parker, Colorado (1983-1984); Lead Pastor of Calvary Chapel of Colorado Springs (1984-1997); Instructor at CCBC Murrieta (1997-1999); Founder and Director of Word In Life Ministries (1999-Present); Adjunct Professor at the Haggard Graduate School of Theology in San Diego (2004-Present)

Courses Taught: LA 309: Simplified Hebrew; LA 305: Simplified Greek

**Adrian Alonzo**

Education: Associate of Applied Technology – ITT Technical Institute; Information Technology M & R

Experience: Web Ministry (1999-2000); Children’s Ministry (2000-2006); Mexico Outreach Ministry (2001-2006); Compassion Ministry 2009-Present); Pastoral Volunteer (2009-2015); Pastor Staff and IT Director (2015-Present)

Courses Taught: CM 199: Practical Christian Ministry; OT301: Survey of Old Testament I; OT302: Survey of Old Testament II; TH409: Eschatology; NT 301: Survey of the New Testament 1; NT 302: Survey of New Testament 2; NT 407: Galatians and Ephesians; MI 301: Biblical Missions; NT354: Gospel of John; BC 301: Biblical Counseling

**Marco Alvarez**

Education: Coursework at University of Havana

Experience: Founding Pastor of Calvary Chapel in Claremont (1977-1980); volunteer pastor at Calvary Chapel West Covina (1981-1991); Pastor at "The Branch" Calvary Chapel Claremont (1992-2017); Instructor at CCGS Bible College (2017-Present)

Courses Taught: OT 359: Minor Prophets

**Bruce Baloian**

Education: Ph.D., Religion in Old Testament from Claremont Graduate School; M.A., Old Testament, Claremont Graduate School; M.Div., Fuller Theological Seminary; B.A., Westmont College

Experience: Professor of Biblical Studies at Azusa Pacific University; Ordained, Evangelical Church Alliance; Pastor, Pilgrim Armenian Congregational Church, Fresno, California; Youth Worker, Fresno Youth for Christ; Guest Lecturer, Fresno Pacific College; Guest Lecturer, Armenian Missionary Association of America Seminary; Guest Lecturer, Fuller Theological Seminary; Guest Lecturer, Discipleship Training School of Youth with a Mission

Publications: Baloian, B. (1997). Anger. In *The New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology* (5). Grand Rapids: Zondervan; Baloian, B. (1997). Anthropomorphism. In *The New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology* (5). Grand Rapids: Zondervan; Baloian, B. (1997). Enemy/Hatred/Satan. In *The New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology* (5). Grand Rapids: Zondervan; Baloian, B. (1992). Anger in the Old Testament. In *American University Studies, Series VII, Theology and Religion* (99). New York: Peter Lang; Baloian, B. and Hartley, J. (1986). The Holy Spirit in the Old Testament. *Wesleyan Perspectives* (5). Anderson, Ind.: Warner Press.

Courses Taught: NT 310: The Gospel of Matthew; PT 305: Jesus' Teaching Method

**Mynor Bardales**

Education: CCGS Discipleship (2008), CCGS Pastoral School (2009-2011)

Experience: Communion Board (2009- Present), CCGS Children's Ministry Overseer (2009- Present). CCGS Volunteer (2008- Present), Pastoral Volunteer (2011- Present)

Courses Taught: CM 199: Practical Christian Ministry; OT301: Survey of Old Testament I; OT302: Survey of Old Testament II; NT 301: Survey of the New Testament I; NT 302: Survey of New Testament II; NT 352: Philippians and Colossians; NT 409: Pastoral Epistles; BC 301: Biblical Counseling; EV 301: Intro to Evangelism;

**Jesse Barela**

Education: M.Div. (Honorary) - Calvary Chapel Golden Springs Bible College; B.A. in Cross-Cultural Studies - Life Bible College.

Experience: Associate Pastor at CCGS (1988-Present); Missions Director at CCGS (1989-2004); Asst Director at CCGS Bible College (1988-1990); Director of CCGS Bible College (1990-2006); Instructor at CCGS Bible College (1986-Present); Director and Faculty at CCGS Pastoral School (1988-1992, 1999-2003, 2009-2011); Director and Faculty CCGS School of Ministry (2011-2013)

Courses Taught: CH 301: Church History; TH 307: Basic Biblical Doctrines 1; TH 308: Basic Biblical Doctrines 2; NT 377: Revelation; TH 390: Inductive Bible Study; NT 320: Gospel of John; NT 610: Life of Christ; NT 310: The Gospel of Matthew; NT355: The Book of Acts; TH 342: The Person and Work of the Holy Spirit; NT 356: Romans; NT 381: 1-2 Corinthians; NT 386: Paul's Prison Epistles; NT 409: Paul's Pastoral Epistles; NT 369: Hebrews; NT 389: General Epistles; NT 400: 1-2 Peter and Jude; NT 391: John's Epistles; OT 310: Genesis; OT 352: The Pentateuch; OT 315: Joshua; OT 328: Psalms; OT 332: Isaiah; OT 336: Daniel; OT 359: The Minor Prophets; TH 301: Old Testament Theology; TH 397: New Testament Theology; TH 387: Cults and Comparative Religions; TH 363: Apologetics; ET 301: Christian Ethics; MI 301: Introduction to Missions; BC 301: Biblical Counseling; TH 349: History and Philosophy of Calvary Chapel; TH 325: Calvary Chapel Distinctives; Bible Survey; Hebrew History; Steps in Church Planting

## **Danny Bond**

Education: M.Div. (Honorary) - Calvary Chapel Golden Springs Bible College

Experience: Shiloh Youth Revival Centers (1971-78); Church Planter - Calvary Chapel Prescott, Arizona (1978); Pastor - Calvary Chapel Pacific Hills; Church Plant - Calvary Chapel of Chicago; Church Plant - Tecate Mexico; Pastor's Conferences - Japan, Philippines; Instructor at CCGS Bible College (2014-Present)

Published Works: *Enjoying God While Overcoming Sin* (2011); *With Jesus in the Valley of Death* (2011); *The Spirit Controlled Life* (2011); *Heaven: What's It Really Like* (2011); *Our Perfect Father Every Day* (2011); *Why Did Jesus Have To Die?* (2011); *Clothed To Conquer* (2011); *God Always Cares* (2011); *You're Running Out Of Time* (2011); *Facing Death Without Fear* (2011); *The Way Out Is Forward* (2011); *Chosen By Love* (2011)

Audio Works (Old Testament): *Genesis* (41 messages); *Exodus* (27 messages); *Leviticus* (11 messages); *Numbers* (17 messages); *Daniel* (25 messages) / messages available at [www.thewordtransfer.com](http://www.thewordtransfer.com)

Audio Works (New Testament): *Gospel of John - Vol 1* (35 messages); *Gospel of John - Vol 2* (35 messages); *Acts* (50 messages); *Gleanings from Romans* (10 messages); *Romans 6-8* (26 messages); *1 Corinthians* (68 messages); *Philippians* (25 messages); *Titus* (26 messages); *1 Peter* (16 messages); *1 Timothy* (29 messages); *2 Timothy* (21 messages); *Hebrews* (50 messages); *Revelation* (42 messages) / messages available at [www.thewordtransfer.com](http://www.thewordtransfer.com)

Audio Works (Topical): *Christ in the Old Testament* (5 messages); *Election and Predestination* (7 messages); *Jesus Before Pontius Pilate* (2 messages); *Lord Teach Us How To Pray* (9 messages); *The Armor of God* (7 messages); *The Beatitudes* (4 messages); *The Christian and Satan* (5 messages); *The Crucifixion* (4 messages); *The Gifts of the Holy Spirit* (12 messages); *The Spirit Filled Life* (6 messages); *Your Sorrow Turned To Joy* (3 messages) / messages available at [www.thewordtransfer.com](http://www.thewordtransfer.com)

Video Works: *Jesus Died of a Broken Heart*; *Cultivating an Excellent Spirit*; *The Force of Fear* / videos available at [www.thewordtransfer.com](http://www.thewordtransfer.com)

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Courses Taught: MI 355: Intro to Missions; H 320: Old Testament History; NT 301: New Testament Survey I; NT 302: New Testament Survey II; CM 199: Practical Christian Ministry; MI 301: Biblical Missions; NT 369: Hebrews; CH 301: Church History; NT 357: I Corinthians; NT 358: 2 Corinthians; NT 407: Galatians and Ephesians; NT 377: The Book of Revelation; NT 352: Gospel of Mark; NT 351: Gospel of Matthew; NT 354: Gospel of John

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