

**Christian Ministry Light Unit 1**  
**Introduction to Theology**  
**Exam Review Guide**

**Week 1**

- Be able to explain the differences between *general* and *special revelation*.
- Be able to name at least five attributes of God and cite at least one reason why knowing each attribute is helpful in living the Christian life.
- Definitions: trinity, revelation, speculation.

**Week 2**

- Know the consequences of the Fall.
- Know the areas that have been corrupted by the fall.
- Definitions: total depravity, federal headship.

**Week 3**

- Be able to define the *hypostatic union* and the *kenosis*.
- Be able to provide scriptural support for Jesus' deity, and humanity.
- Be able to explain why Jesus' deity, sinlessness and humanity are essential.
- Be able to explain why Jesus' bodily resurrection is essential.
- Be able to provide two lines of evidence supporting the resurrection of Jesus.
- Why is belief in the bodily resurrection essential?
- Definitions: kenosis, hypostatic union, incarnation.

**Week 4**

- Who is Satan and how did he come to be opposed to God?
- Know the key attitudes needed to effectively wage spiritual warfare and the memory verses that correspond to each attitude.
- Be able to name and define Satan's covert tactics. How does he use each one to derail Christians?
- Know what the Kosmos is and what its components are.
- Be familiar with the overt tactics of Satan.
- Be prepared to provide biblical substantiation for Christ's victory over Satan and the Christian's freedom from Satan.
- Know the difference between covert and overt tactics.
- Definitions: Kosmos/world system, subjection, demon possession.

**Week 5**

- Be able explain the progressive revelation of the concept of substitutionary atonement, including the significance of the Passover and the suffering servant in Isaiah 53.
- Be familiar with passages that illustrate substitutionary atonement.
- Be familiar with the contrasts in Hebrews 9 between the Levitical sacrifices (Old Covenant) and Jesus' sacrificial death (New Covenant).
- Know what Roman Catholics teach about the importance of the sacraments.

- Be able to define and critique Lordship Theology.
- Definitions: true moral guilt, substitutionary atonement, sacraments, radical arminianism, suffering servant.

### Week 6

- Be able to define *justification, redemption, propitiation, and reconciliation*.
- Be able to define *eternal security* and explain why each of your memory verses (see below) teaches eternal security.
- Know the three unscriptural elements of Roman Catholic soteriology.
- Be familiar with the two different views of non-eternal security.
- Be familiar with "Lordship Theology" and why it is problematic.
- Be familiar with the section "personal importance of security in Christ."
- Be able to refute the statement, "I must be water baptized in order to be saved," using Acts and scripture that teaches that salvation is by "grace alone."

### Memory Verses

#### Week 1

- Ex. 34:6-8\*\* – God's character is awesome and worthy of worship. God is both just and merciful in his dealings with humans.
- Gen. 1:26,27\*\* – God exists as more than one person.

#### Week 2

- Romans 5:12-19\*\* – Federal headship; spiritual effects of the fall (Total Depravity).
- Ephesians 2:1-3\*\* – Spiritual effects of the fall (Total Depravity).

#### Week 3

- Colossians 2:9\* – Clearest biblical affirmation of the hypostatic union.
- Philippians 2:6,7\* – Jesus laid aside the USE of certain divine attributes at the Incarnation.
- Hebrews 1:8-10\*\* – Jesus is God.
- 1 Peter 5:8 – Be on the alert for Satan's attacks!

#### Week 4

- Eph. 6:10-18\*\* – Our real battle is against the schemes of Satan. Our primary armor and weapons are our position in Christ, the Word and prayer.
- Rev. 12:11\* – Christians overcome Satan's accusations through grace, his deception through the Word, and his persecution through radical commitment to Christ.
- 1 Jn. 2:15,16\* – Loving the Kosmos is antithetical to loving God. The key components of the Kosmos are the lust of the flesh (HEDONISM), the lust of the eye (MATERIALISM), and the boastful pride of life (EGOTISM).
- 1 Jn. 4:4\* – Christians need not be afraid of demons because of Christ.

### **Week 5**

- Leviticus 16\*\* – The Day of Atonement is a clear example of substitutionary atonement for the nation of Israel.
- Isaiah 53\*\* – This passage makes it clear that the Old Testament sacrificial system must be fulfilled by a Person—the suffering servant.
- Romans 3:23,24\* – All humans fall justly under God's condemnation because of their sins, but all humans are acceptable to God if they receive Jesus' atoning death for their sins.

### **Week 6**

- Romans 8:1\* – Christians will never be condemned by God.
- Ephesians 4:30\* – Christians are sealed by God for safe passage to heaven.
- John 10:27-30\*\* – Jesus will not allow anyone to snatch believers out of his hand.