

# Jesus Christ and His Everlasting Gospel 250-92

## Syllabus and Schedule

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## OVERVIEW

"Jesus Christ and His Everlasting Gospel" focuses on the eternal ministry of Jesus Christ and His divine roles throughout His premortal, mortal, and post-mortal life through the Scriptures, the Topical Guide, words of modern prophets, and "The Living Christ: The Testimony of the Apostles."

## OBJECTIVES

The Objective of this course is to engage in learning experiences that will:

- Increase your faith in and understanding of Jesus Christ and His Atonement;
- Increase your capacity to receive personal revelation;
- Enable you to testify of the divine roles Jesus Christ fulfills in the Father's plan;
- Strengthen your commitment to be a faithful disciple of Jesus Christ; and
- Deepen your love for the Savior and your Heavenly Father.

We will also learn to:

- Critically read scripture;
- Search scriptures for connections, patterns, and themes;
- Share personal insights;
- Ask and answer sincere questions;
- Value and uplift each other as students of the Master.

## CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

This is a Cornerstone Class and is required for Institute commencement and Pathways credit. To qualify for credit, each student needs to do the following:

- Study the preparation material for at least 75% of the lessons;
- Attend at least 75% of the scheduled classes;
- Complete one of the following: keep a study journal (highly recommended but not difficult); write responses to 3 essay questions; or complete an approved learning project.

Remember, Institute parking requires 75% attendance.

## SCHEDULE

### **Come Unto Christ (Unit 1)**

Jan. 10, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 1, 2

- Accepting the Savior's Invitation to Learn of Him
- Strengthening Our Testimony of the Living Christ

### **Jesus Christ's Premortal Ministry (Unit 2)**

Jan. 17, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 3, 4

- Trusting Jesus Christ, Our Premortal Savior and Leader
- Finding Purpose and Joy in the Lord's Creations

Jan. 24, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 5, 6

- Becoming the Lord's Covenant People
- Using Symbolism to Better Understand Christ's Redeeming Power

Jan. 31, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 7, 8

- Embracing the Justice, Mercy, and Love of God
- Accepting Jesus Christ as the Promised Messiah

### **The Mortal Ministry of Jesus Christ (Unit 3)**

Feb. 7, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 9, 10

- Rejoicing in the Divine Birth of Jesus Christ
- Following Jesus Christ's Example of Submission

Feb. 14, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 11, 12

- Enjoying the Blessings of the Lord's Church
- Finding Pure Truth in the Teachings of Jesus Christ

Feb. 21, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 13, 14

- Ministering Like the Savior
- Recognizing the Savior's Miracles

**Feb. 28, 2024, 7:00 p.m. SPRING BREAK**

### **The Atonement of Jesus Christ (Unit 4)**

Oct. 18, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 15, 16

- Drawing Closer to Jesus Christ through the Sacrament
- Embracing the Savior's Great Atoning Sacrifice

**Mar. 6, 2024, Spring Break**

Mar. 13, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 17, 18

- Finding Hope in Jesus Christ's Victory over Death
- Receiving the Savior's Divine Gift of Grace

### **Post-mortal Ministry of Jesus Christ (Unit 5)**

Mar. 20, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 19, 20

- Assisting the Lord in the Redemption of the Dead
- Finding My Place in the Good Shepherd's Fold

Mar. 27, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 21, 22

- Hearing the Lord's Voice in the Latter Days
- Participating with Jesus Christ in the Ongoing Restoration

Apr. 3, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 23, 24

- Living with Hope as We Prepare for the Second Coming of Jesus Christ
- Trusting Jesus Christ as Our Judge

### **Becoming Disciples of Jesus Christ (Unit 6)**

Apr. 20, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 25, 26

- Striving to Be a Faithful Disciple of Jesus Christ
- Becoming More like Jesus Christ

Apr. 17, 2024, 7:00 p.m. Lessons 27, 28

- Finding Hope in the Light and Life of the World
- Standing as Witnesses of Jesus Christ