# Doctrines of the Gospel

#### SPRING 2025

Thursday (7:30pm)

**EMAIL** 

## **INSTRUCTOR**

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## **COURSE OVERVIEW:**

In this course we will study principles and doctrines of the gospel of Jesus Christ as revealed in the standard works. By the end of this course, we should be able to, understand, explain, and apply the doctrines of the gospel. Doing so will help all who participate strengthen and increase their testimonies of restored gospel of Jesus Christ.

Elder Dale G. Renlund invited and promised:

"I invite you to live the doctrine of Christ repeatedly, iteratively, and intentionally and help others on their way. I testify that the doctrine of Christ is central to Heavenly Father's plan; it is, after all, His doctrine. As we exercise faith in Jesus Christ and His Atonement, we are propelled along the covenant path and motivated to help others become faithful disciples of Jesus Christ. We can become heirs in Heavenly Father's kingdom, which is the culmination of faithfully living the doctrine of Christ."

## COURSE OBJECTIVES & LEARNING OUTCOMES:

- Understand, believe, explain, and apply the doctrines of the Gospel of Jesus Christ
- Be more confident in efforts to talk about the gospel

## INSTITUTE & TRANSFER CREDIT (OPTIONAL):

If you are interested in getting institute credit toward graduation or for transfer to a Church university, you must do the following.

- Attend 75% or more classes
- Read 75% or more of the assigned readings
- Complete an Elevate Learning Experience (Complete one of the following)
  - o Study Journal: Utilize a study journal throughout the semester to document "God's dealings" with you. This can include notes on each lesson, your thoughts and experience with the readings, and revelation you receive.
  - o Personal Learning Project: Plan and complete a project that focuses on doctrines and principles from the course, evidence of your learning and application, and a summary of how your faith in Jesus Christ has increased. This can be done through any medium.

## **COURSE MATERIAL:**

Doctrines of the Gospel Student Manual <a href="https://www.churchofjesuschrist.org/study/manual/doctrines-of-the-gospel-student-manual?lang=eng">https://www.churchofjesuschrist.org/study/manual/doctrines-of-the-gospel-student-manual?lang=eng</a>



## **COURSE SCHEDULE:**

CLASS DATE	readings
August 28 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 1: Divine Truth
	Lesson 2: Revelation
September 4 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 3: God the Eternal Father
	Lesson 4: Jesus Christ, the Son of God
	Lesson 5: The Holy Ghost
September 11 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 6: Our Premortal Life
	Lesson 7: The Creation
	Lesson 8: The Fall
September 18 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 9: The Atonement of Jesus Christ
	Lesson 10: The Purpose of Earth Life
	Lesson 11: The Agency of Man
September 25 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 13: Faith, a Power That Centers in Christ
	Lesson 14: Repentance
	Lesson 15: The Covenant of Baptism
	Lesson 16: The Gift of the Holy Ghost
October 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lesson 12: Prayer and Fasting
	Lesson 17: Obedience, a Law of Heaven
	Lesson 18: Spiritual Rebirth: True Conversion
October 9 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 21: The Foreordination of Covenant Israel and Their Responsibilities
	Lesson 24: The Scattering and the Gathering of Israel
October 16 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 22: The Apostacy
	Lesson 23: The Restoration of the Gospel in the Dispensation of the Fulness of Times
October 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Lesson 25: Priesthood: What It Is, How It Works
	Lesson 26: The Oath and Covenant of the Priesthood
October 30 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 27: The Law of the Sabbath
	Lesson 20: The Sacrament, a Memorial Ordinance
November 6 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 28: Celestial Marriage
	Lesson 29: The Importance of the Family
November 13 <sup>th</sup>	Lesson 30: Death and the Postmortal Spirit World
	Lesson 31: The Redemption of the Dead

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