

PERSPECTIVE

Faith Bible Institute of Biblical Studies offers an opportunity for the born-again believer to receive a balanced knowledge and foundation in the Holy Scriptures. FBI (formerly, School of the Bible) has been in existence for over thirty years.



OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of the required courses, the student will:

- Be established in sound doctrinal truth based on Scripture
- Have a biblical preparation for ministry in the local church
- Be encouraged to pursue spiritual maturity, whereby, the fruit of the Spirit is manifest in the student's personal life
- Know and experience the person of the Holy Spirit as He is active in the body of Christ and the world today
- Have the ability to study the Word in a disciplined manner

FIRST-YEAR COURSES

**Offered Sundays, 8:30 am and
Tuesday Evenings, 7:00 pm**

FIRST QUARTER

"Spiritual Dynamics"

A study of foundational truths concerning the Bible's validity and Bible-Study principles. Learn truths about spiritual warfare, prayer, fasting, worship, sharing your faith, and the person and ministry of the Holy Spirit.

SECOND QUARTER

"Biblical Theology"

Using the Bible as the only source, we will bring to expression the elements of belief that are explicitly contained in our faith in God and uncover how God revealed Himself to man.

THIRD QUARTER

"Israel and End-Time Events"

Learn about Israel and world current events as they pertain to the end of the age. Other topics include: overview of major end-time events regarding the resurrection, judgments, the second coming of Christ, Millennium, and the United States in prophecy.

FOURTH QUARTER

"Tabernacle in the Wilderness"

This course examines in detail the Tabernacle and its furniture, pertaining to the types and shadows of Christ and the New Testament truths, as revealed in the God-given design, construction, and materials used.

HOMEWORK

Homework is required each week. It takes an average of two to four hours per week to complete the reading and essay assignments.

Each student is teamed with a grader who will collect and grade each week's homework assignment. The grade received is not as important as the reflection of inspiration from the Holy Spirit in your writing and strong scriptural references to support your answers, and an over-all reflection that you have a solid understanding of the topic.

CONTINUING STUDIES

Two tracks are available

1) Sunday Morning Track

Offered Sundays at 8:45 am

FIRST QUARTER

"Nehemiah"

He was a man on a mission. All of us are called by God to effectively influence the world we live in. In this study we will learn principles on communication, conflict resolution, when to fight and how to fight, how to successfully work with others, and many other life equipping skills.

SECOND QUARTER

"The Bible and the Land"

Each week we will learn amazing lessons from the land of Israel both from modern and biblical times that will give us new understanding of God's word. In addition, at the beginning of every class there will be an update from Israel news, archaeological or scientific discovery or other events in the Middle East.

THIRD QUARTER

"Grace Anatomy" (A study of Galatians)

Have you ever wondered why so many Christians live defeated lives frustrated by their own hypocrisy and failure? The Apostle Paul's letter to the Galatians is God's remedy to that failure and defeat. What is that remedy? It is grace, which is the power to be who God redeemed you to be.

FOURTH QUARTER

"IGNITE: Seven Steps to Dynamic Breakthrough"

How do we ignite spiritual passion? How can we find dynamic breakthrough in the midst of busyness, temptation and discouragement? Are there timeless truths that can help today? Yes there are! Join us as we study the 'letters to the seven churches' in the book of Revelation.

2) Tuesday Evening Track

Offered Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

FIRST QUARTER

"America's Godly Heritage"

The class will dissect inspiring history from the time the separatists left the state church of England to pursue a land where they could freely worship God to the time when the founding fathers crafted the frame work of government under the inspiration and direction of the hand of the Holy Spirit to be one nation under God.

SECOND QUARTER

"Church History in Plain Language"

In this exciting study we will be learning to put the puzzle of the Churches history together in a clear, understandable, and exciting way, and to be able to share it with others. Jesus said I will build my Church we have church history and we are part of making church history.

THIRD QUARTER

"Islam: It's Past, Present and Future in Changing Times"

The events of 9/11 left many throughout the world stunned at the reality that Islam is still alive and so powerful as a religion. Yet, through the eyes of the followers of Muhammad – this attack fit the context of their existence and validated their prophetic future of world domination. In this class we will examine the chaotic beginnings of this 'third' religion, look at its growth and impact on the nations of the world as we discuss the future of Islam as they see it in history.

FOURTH QUARTER

"Creation"

The debate over creation and evolution shows no sign of letting up. This has become a worldview battleground, one that cannot be ignored, and perhaps it is the most important issue of our day. A person's worldview shapes the very foundation of how they live their life. In this course we will examine the evidence to determine which worldview—creation or evolution—presents the most accurate portrayal of the history of earth.

HOMEWORK required for the CONTINUING STUDIES program

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The admission requirements are two-fold. The student must have:

1. A personal relationship with Jesus Christ.
2. A desire, and demonstrated maturity, for advanced level of study.

Candidates for admission must complete the Faith Bible Institute application.

To fully benefit from your study in the Faith Bible Institute, we recommend that you have the following basic study supplies, in addition to your purchased textbooks:

- A good study Bible, such as the *New King James*, *NIV*, or the *New American Standard*. Paraphrased Bibles such as *The Living Bible* and *The Amplified Bible* are useful as additional resources only
- An exhaustive concordance

There are many additional reference books available in the church library.

Cost: \$55.00 per class (includes textbooks)
All classes meet on Sunday from 8:45 am to 10:15 am or Tuesday evenings from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm (no childcare on Tuesdays).

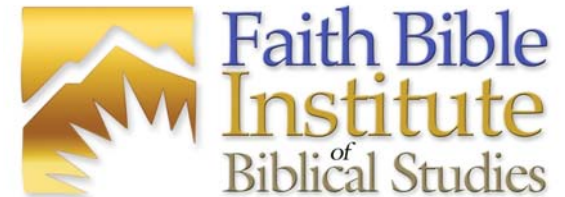
GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The curriculum requires four successful quarters, in track, to complete a certificate.

A graduation ceremony and a special reception for graduates and their family members is held each spring.

For further information contact:
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School of Lay Ministry since 1969

"Be diligent to present yourself approved to God, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth."

II Timothy 2:15 (NKJV)