

Short Courses for Everyone

Before we get into what's on offer in 2nd Quarter, here's a little freebie to share!

Last month we hosted our first *SPBC Community Series* event, with Dr Curt Niccum from Abilene Christian University. If you missed out, head to www.spbc.org.nz/comseries to watch the full presentations on *The Untold Story of Acts*. Dr Niccum also taught the 1st Quarter module *Pauline Literature: Romans*.

Read on to see what we have on offer this coming quarter. Whether you want to work towards an accredited diploma, or are interested in a single module to help you develop more insight and ability in serving God, we have short courses for everyone.

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Modules Available This Quarter

Spiritual Practices

Many Christians seem to approach spiritual growth as though it were purely accidental, or strictly through Bible study. However, Scripture repeatedly speaks about many different ways to submit oneself to the Spirit to be sanctified, such as by prayer, meditation, fasting, solitude, and community.

Subject	Credits	Teacher
Engaging Scripture Part 2	5	David Nelson
Biblical Exegesis and Translation Part 2	5	John Atchley
Spiritual Practices	5	John Atchley
Art of Communication Part 2	5	Mike Austin
Lukan Literature: Gospel and Acts	6	David Nelson
Pauline Literature: Prison Letters	6	Steve Raine
Christian Evidences	5	Mark Woodward

Lukan Literature: Gospel and Acts

Luke's Gospel and its accompanying sequel—the story of the Spirit-empowered community spreading the message of Christ—are in the spotlight in this module. Key themes include compassion for the downtrodden, the power of prayer, and the universality of the gospel.

Pauline Literature: Prison Letters

Despite their very different situations, the Corinthian and Prison Epistles have a striking overlap in their focus on Christian living. 1 & 2 Corinthians, Philemon, and Philippians provide perspective on how Christians should act, while Ephesians, Philippians, and Colossians explore the heart of Christian motivation. *Note:* This module runs over 2nd and 4th Quarters.

Christian Evidences

Christians in this modern world are often called upon to give a defence for their faith. How can one believe in God when science is said to have all the answers, or with so many other religions to choose from? Can we take the miracles of the Bible seriously or are they just ancient metaphors? Christian Evidences was a module created to offer satisfying questions to these answers and more.

Please note: Courses continuing from 1st Quarter (Part 2) are not available for casual study. They are included for information only.

Daily Schedule	Monday		
	9:00-10:30	Session 1	
10:45-12:15	Session 2		
1:15-2:05	TIA*		
2:15-3:45	Session 3		
Tuesday		Wednesday	
9:00-10:30	Session 1	9:00-10:30	Session 1
10:45-12:15	Session 2	10:45-12:15	Session 2
1:15-2:05	TIA	12:30-1:30	TIA
2:15-3:45	Session 3		
Thursday		Friday	
9:00-10:30	Session 1	9:00-10:30	Session 1
10:45-12:15	Session 2	10:45-12:15	Session 2
1:15-2:05	TIA		
2:15-3:45	Session 3		

*Theology in Action

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
APRIL	Luke-Acts 29	Engaging Scripture 30	Bib Ex & Trans 1	Luke-Acts 2	Spiritual Practices 3
	Luke-Acts	Engaging Scripture	Bib Ex & Trans	Luke-Acts	Spiritual Practices
	Spiritual Practices	Spiritual Practices		Spiritual Practices	
	Luke-Acts 6	Engaging Scripture 7	Bib Ex & Trans 8	Luke-Acts 9	Spiritual Practices 10
	Luke-Acts	Engaging Scripture	Bib Ex & Trans	Luke-Acts	Spiritual Practices
	Spiritual Practices	Spiritual Practices		Spiritual Practices	
	Luke-Acts 13	Engaging Scripture 14	Bib Ex & Trans 15	Luke-Acts 16	Spiritual Practices 17
	Luke-Acts	Engaging Scripture	Bib Ex & Trans	Luke-Acts	Spiritual Practices
	Spiritual Practices	Spiritual Practices		Spiritual Practices	
	Luke-Acts 20	Engaging Scripture 21	Bib Ex & Trans 22	Luke-Acts 23	Prison Letters 24
	Luke-Acts	Engaging Scripture	Bib Ex & Trans	Luke-Acts	Prison Letters
	Prison Letters	Prison Letters		Prison Letters	
	Luke-Acts 27	Engaging Scripture 28	Bib Ex & Trans 29	Christian Evidences 30	Christian Evidences 31
	Luke-Acts	Engaging Scripture	Bib Ex & Trans	Christian Evidences	Christian Evidences
	Prison Letters	Prison Letters		Engaging Scripture	
JUNE	QUEENS BIRTHDAY 3	Christian Evidences 4	Christian Evidences 5	Christian Evidences 6	Christian Evidences 7
		Christian Evidences	Christian Evidences	Christian Evidences	Christian Evidences
		Art of Communication		Art of Communication	
	Luke-Acts 10	Christian Evidences 11	Christian Evidences 12	Christian Evidences 13	Christian Evidences 14
	Luke-Acts	Christian Evidences	Christian Evidences	Christian Evidences	Christian Evidences
	Prison Letters	Art of Communication		Art of Communication	
	Luke-Acts 17	Prison Letters 18	Art of Communication 19	Prison Letters 20	Prison Letters 21
	Luke-Acts	Prison Letters	Art of Communication	Prison Letters	Prison Letters
	Art of Communication	Art of Communication		Art of Communication	
	Luke-Acts 24	Prison Letters 25	Prison Letters 26	Prison Letters 27	Prison Letters 28
	Luke-Acts	Prison Letters	Prison Letters	Prison Letters	
	Art of Communication	Art of Communication			
JULY	Mission Week Prep 1	Mission Week Prep 2	Mission Week Prep 3	Mission Week Prep 4	

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Biblical Exegesis
& Translation 2
J. Atchley

BI610.2
Engaging
Scripture 2
D.W. Nelson

BS610.1
Spiritual
Practices
J. Atchley

BS620.3
Lukan Literature:
Luke-Acts
D. W. Nelson

BS620.6
Pauline Literature:
Prison Letters
S. Raine/J. Atchley

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Art of
Communication 2
M. Austin

MIN620.2
Christian
Evidences
M. Woodward