

Spring Term

January 28 to April 15, 2019

Classes will not meet February 18 (Presidents' Day).

Registration

Monday, January 28, 2019

Church Sanctuary, 7:00 p.m.

Abbreviated classes will follow registration.

Classes are held in the Youth Ministries Center & The Chapel (next to the church office).



*Do your best to present yourself to
God as one approved,
a workman who does not
need to be ashamed and who
correctly handles the word
of truth.
2 Timothy 2:15*

A WORD FROM THE DEAN

The primary purpose of Hawthorne Community Bible School is to enable Christians to better understand God's Word, thus increasing their love for the Savior and their effectiveness in reaching others for Jesus Christ.

The importance of knowing God's Word cannot be overemphasized. The apostle Paul tells us that the Bible is the very Word of God and as such is "useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting, and training in righteousness so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work" (2 Tim. 3:16, 17). The psalmist declared, "O, how I love your law!" (Ps. 119:97). As we read these verses, we quickly realize the importance of a systematic, continual study of God's Word.

If you have any questions or if we can help you in any way, we are here to serve you.

Pastor John

Requirements for Graduation

Three-Year Certificate

<u>Course</u>	<u>Semester</u>	<u>Credits</u>
A Survey of Bible Doctrine I	fall	1.5
A Survey of Bible Doctrine II	spring	1.5
New Testament Survey I	fall	1.5
New Testament Survey II	spring	1.5
Old Testament Survey I	fall	1.5
Old Testament Survey II	spring	1.5
Plus any six additional electives		<u>9.0</u>
Total credits required		18.0

Four-Year Diploma

Completion of requirements for Three-Year Certificate	18.0
Plus four additional electives	<u>6.0</u>
Total credits required	24.0



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COMMUNITY BIBLE SCHOOL



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*Developing fully devoted followers of
JESUS Christ*

Spring Semester 2019

Hawthorne Community Bible School

Each year hundreds of students enroll in the Hawthorne Community Bible School (formerly Monday Evening Bible School). They come from a wide geographical area and represent many different, local churches. The School is financed by freewill offerings.

Our desire is to provide a well-rounded knowledge of the Word of God so that we grow in our faith and practical teaching to help us be more effective in our service to God.

Anyone who desires to grow in his or her understanding of the Word of God is welcome. A certificate and diploma may be earned; call the church office for more information.

The Faculty

JOHN W. MINNEMA, Montclair State University, Dallas Theological Seminary, Senior Pastor of Hawthorne Gospel Church, Dean of School.

SAL CUSMANO, MEd From William Paterson University; BA from University of South Florida; Graduate of Hawthorne Community Bible School; Faculty at Pillar College.

LAUREL DOCKERY, Bergen Community College, Montclair State College, Union County College, Interpreter for the deaf at Hawthorne Gospel Church.

RODNEY INNIS, Le Tourneau University, Teacher and Bible Subject Coordinator at Hawthorne Christian Academy.

DONALD KLINGEN, The King's College, William Paterson University, Iona College, Church Board Member at Hawthorne Gospel Church.

ABIGAIL MERCURIO, Nyack College, Social Work with minor in Bible and Deaf studies/interpreting, Bible studies for the deaf.

JONATHAN MINNEMA, Cairn University, Dallas Theological Seminary, Teaching and Director of Media Ministry at Hawthorne Gospel Church.

JAMES PERCY, Prairie Bible Institute of Alberta, Canada. Missionary to France with France Mission and Global Outreach Mission for over 30 years.

DAVID SCHUIT, The King's College, Wheaton Graduate School, Trinity Evangelical Seminary, Pastor of Missions and Adult Education at Hawthorne Gospel Church.

SABRIE SOLOMAN, New Castle Upon-Tyne University, Cambridge University, Professor at Columbia University, Author, Inventor.

WILLIAM THOMSON, Pace University, Northeastern Bible College, Teacher of Biblical Financial Seminars at Word of Life.

HOWARD VAN DYK, JR., Montclair State University, Western Seminary, Associate Pastor at Hawthorne Gospel Church.

ZAL V. WALTON, United Theological Seminary, Hawthorne Community Bible School, Pastor of Greater Promise Baptist Church, Linden, NJ.

First Period: 7:00 - 7:45

A Survey of Bible Doctrine II* Pastor Minnema
Room: *The Chapel* 1.5 Credits

This class offers a systematic overview of the various doctrines of the Bible. God, the Bible, angels, Satan, demons, man, sin, Jesus Christ, salvation, the Holy Spirit, the church, and the future. Continuation of last semester. No pre-requisite.

World Religions II Schuit
Room: Y-301 1.5 Credits

In the NYC area, we live at a crossroad of world cultures and religions. In order to understand the people in our communities, we need to know what they believe and practice. This semester we will focus on Hinduism, Buddhism, Judaism, and the non-religious. Our aim is to better understand these religions so that we can more effectively engage with them. No pre-requisite.

The Forgotten Sermon Innis
Room: Y-307 1.5 Credits

The Sermon on the Mount is the greatest sermon ever preached. In this sermon Jesus describes what human life and community look like under His rule. Come, refresh your memory of what Jesus taught and how we can live by these important principles.

Book of Ruth Cusmano
Room: Y-311 1.5 Credits

In Scripture as well as secular literature, the Book of Ruth is considered one of the greatest short stories. Not only is Ruth a story of love, but it is also a story of God's provision and redemption of individuals, as well as the nation of Israel. This book is also a hinge between the days of the Judges and the establishment of the Kingship during Samuel's judgeship.

Proverbs II Klingen
Room: Y-310 1.5 Credits

Life is about choices. How should we live our lives? How should we manage our finances and relationships? God's Word provides the answers. The book of Proverbs contains the greatest collection of wisdom ever recorded, written by some of the wisest men who ever lived. This study will offer insights for making sound choices today. Continuation of last semester. No pre-requisite.

The Creator, The Universe and Mankind II Soloman
Room: Y-401 1.5 Credits

One of the biggest questions people have today is how the Bible and science interact. Can one believe in science and the Bible at the same time? Knowing how modern science supports the Bible will help us better defend our faith. This semester will focus on the creation of the Universe, the Earth and Man. Continuation of last semester. No pre-requisite.

French Connection I Percy
Room: Y-207 1.5 Credits

Both the first and second class periods will be conducted primarily in French. It will be helpful if you have a French Bible that includes the Old Testament.

Sign Language (Beginners) Dockery
Room: Y-201

This class teaches basic signs for those interested in building a sign language vocabulary and developing signing skills using ASL (American Sign Language). The objective of this class is for students to better understand how to communicate with deaf people, learning about deaf culture, and how to share the Word of Christ through signing.

Sign Language III (Advanced) Mercurio
Room: Y-208

This class builds off of Sign Language I and II. The objective of this class is for students to better understand how to communicate with deaf people, learning about deaf culture, and how to share the Word of Christ through signing. Pre-requisite: Sign Language I & II.

Second Period: 7:50 - 8:35

Paul's Epistle to the Romans II Pastor Minnema
Room: *The Chapel* 1.5 Credits

The book of Romans is perhaps the greatest and widest in scope of all of Paul's letters. The class will study the themes of justification, sanctification, and glorification with emphasis on how they relate to our daily lives. Continuation of last semester. No pre-requisite.

Old Testament Survey II* Van Dyk
Room: Y-301 1.5 Credits

A study of the Old Testament offers a fascinating experience for all who desire to understand more clearly the workings of God. Well-known Bible stories take on a new dimension when seen in the perspective of a panoramic overview. This class provides an analysis and brief discussion of Job through Malachi. Continuation of last semester. No pre-requisite.

Church History: Reformation to the Present J. Minnema
Room: Y-307 1.5 Credits

This class will study the history of the church beginning at the Protestant Reformation and moving to the present day. This class will give you a working understanding of the basics of Protestantism and some of the major differences between the different branches of Christianity.

Harmony of the Four Gospels Walton
Room: Y-311 1.5 Credits

Let's take a journey through the four Gospels, exploring them side by side and recalling the accounts of the birth of Jesus Christ, His miracles, teaching, parables and resurrection. This harmony of the four Gospels will enlighten us with a clearer view of the life and work of Jesus Christ and his resurrection.

I Am Fearfully and Wonderfully Made Soloman
Room: Y-401 1.5 Credits

The Lord created Adam for His glory, and for the joy of having fellowship with Him. As the Lord breathed life into Adam, He became present in the engine cells of Adam's body. This course will highlight the unique functions of God's infinite intelligence in His creation and alert us of Satan's deceptive manners inflicting suffering, disease and death to frustrate the believer's faith.

God's Keys to Financial Contentment Thomson
Room: Y-306 1.5 Credits

Many people have deep concerns for their financial affairs and future. The Bible contains the keys of handling our finances God's way. Knowing God's principles can give us a sense of peace in this important area of everyday life. This class will consider these principles so that we can have this peace and freedom.

French Connection II Percy
Room: Y-207 1.5 Credits

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Sign Language (Beginners) Dockery
Room: Y-201

Continuation of first period class. See description under first period.
Sign Language IV (Advanced) Mercurio
Room: Y-208

Continuation of first period class. See description under first period.

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The Hawthorne Community Bible School fall brochure will be available in August 2019.

