

## What Must I Do To Be Saved?

1. We must HEAR the truth.  
(Romans 10:14; Romans 10:17)
2. We must BELIEVE Jesus Christ is the Son of God. (Mark 16:16; John 8:24)
3. We must REPENT of our sins. (Luke 13:3; Acts 2:38)
4. We must CONFESS Christ before men.  
(Matthew 10:32-33; Romans 10:10)
5. We must be BAPTIZED into Christ.  
(Galatians 3:27; I Peter 3:21; Acts 22:16)

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## COURSE 3

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The pattern for Christ's church is found in:
  - a. A denominational manual.
  - b. A denominational discipline book.
  - c. The New Testament.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The Lord said the kingdom would:
  - a. Last only a few years.
  - b. Stand forever.
  - c. Last 1000 years.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The seed of the kingdom (Luke 8:11) is:
  - a. The Word of God.
  - b. Denominationalism.
  - c. Man's teachings and doctrines.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The church of Christ is:
  - a. A denomination.
  - b. Not a denomination.
  - c. A sect.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. One can become a member of Christ's church today by:
  - a. Following man's teachings.
  - b. Following the New Testament.
  - c. Doing what he thinks is best.

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**Can you answer these important questions?**

- 1. How many churches did Christ build? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. How does a person become a member of Christ's church?
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. \_\_\_\_\_
  - e. \_\_\_\_\_

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**Lesson 1: THE MEANING OF THE CHURCH**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The Bible speaks of only one church.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Christ said He would build His church.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The seven churches of Asia refer to seven different denominations.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The church is the body of Christ.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Christ is the head of the church.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The church is not:
  - a. Catholic
  - b. The kingdom.
  - c. The body of Christ.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The word, *church* comes from the Greek word:
  - a. Baptize
  - b. Ekklesia.
  - c. Agape.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The church is made up of:
  - a. The followers of Christ.
  - b. The lost.
  - c. The condemned.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. How many churches did Christ build?
  - a. 10
  - b. 25
  - c. 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The church is:
  - a. A denomination
  - b. The kingdom of God.
  - c. The fallen away.

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**Lesson 2: THE COMING OF THE CHURCH**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The church was planned, prophesied, promised, and then established.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. John said the kingdom was near at hand.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Repentance and remission of sins would be preached in His name among all nations.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The last days began when the church was established.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The prophecies and promises about the church (kingdom) were all fulfilled and kept.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. He prophesied the kingdom would be established in the latter days.  
a. Isaiah      b. Ezekiel      c. Jeremiah
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Who prophesied that the kingdom would be established during the 4<sup>th</sup> world empire (Roman Empire)?  
a. Isaiah      b. Joel      c. Daniel
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Who prophesied that the kingdom would last forever?  
a. Isaiah      b. Joel      c. Daniel
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Where did the kingdom start?  
a. Jerusalem      b. Antioch      c. Rome
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Where can you read about the establishment of the church?  
a. Matthew 16      b. Acts 2      c. Mark 9

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**Lesson 3: THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CHURCH**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. On the Day of Pentecost, the apostles preached, "Believe only and you shall be saved."
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Only the nation of Israel was present for the establishment of the church in Acts 2.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The apostles were the only ones to receive the baptism of the Holy Spirit on the Day of Pentecost.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The church of the Bible has always been in existence since the day of Pentecost (Acts 2), and will stand forever.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. How many missionary journeys did Paul make?  
a. 1      b. 20      c. 3
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The church was first persecuted in:  
a. Antioch.      b. Jerusalem.      c. Rome.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. When the church was persecuted in Jerusalem, the disciples went:  
a. Everywhere preaching the Gospel.  
b. To Egypt.      c. Into hiding.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The church first departed from God's Word in:  
a. Organization.      b. Worship.      c. Teaching.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Who started the reformation movement?  
a. John Calvin      b. Martin Luther      c. Henry VIII

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**Lesson 13: THE CHURCH TODAY**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The church of Christ exists today as in New Testament times.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The pattern for the church is found in the teachings of men.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. A person must be able to trace the church all the way back to the beginning to know if it is the true church.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The Lord's church exists today wherever people follow the Bible only.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The church was established:  
a. On the Day of Pentecost following Christ's resurrection.  
b. 606 B.C.      c. Never.

\_\_\_\_\_ 5. The Bible is all truth.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The religious world is divided today because:
  - a. They have accepted the teachings of men.
  - b. Christ prayed for it.
  - c. The Bible teaches it is all right.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The creed of the Lord's church is:
  - a. The Koran. b. The church manual. c. The Bible.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. To believe the truth, you must:
  - a. Hear the truth.
  - b. Hear the teachings of men.
  - c. Do as you like.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The creeds of men can lead you to only one place:
  - a. Hell. b. Heaven. c. Eternal life.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The Bible says we are:
  - a. To add to it. b. Not to add to it.
  - c. To subtract from it.

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**Lesson 12: THE HISTORY OF THE CHURCH**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The Gospel had gone into all the world during the time of the apostles. TM
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The church did not grow very fast when it first started.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Many Christians were put to death because of their belief in Jesus.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The Restoration Movement was to make the church like it was in the Bible.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Jesus removed the pains of death through His resurrection.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Christ adds those who repent and are baptized for the remission of sins to His church.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Who said He would build His church?
  - a. Christ b. Peter c. John
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Who said, "Repent ye, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ unto the remission of your sins?"
  - a. David b. Isaiah c. Peter
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. When was the Lord's church (kingdom) to be established?
  - a. At the end of the world b. The last days c. Never
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. In what city was the church (kingdom) to be established?
  - a. Jerusalem b. New York c. Tokyo
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. How long would the church (kingdom) stand?
  - a. 2000 years b. Never c. Forever

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**Lesson 4: THE IDENTITY OF THE CHURCH**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Peter is the head of the church. TM
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The church had its beginning in Jerusalem. TM
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. To enter the church a person must believe, repent, confess, and be baptized.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Christians are commanded to assemble on Saturday to worship.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The doctrine (teaching) of the church is based on the Bible and man-made creeds.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Members of Christ's church are called:  
a. Catholics. b. Mormons. c. Christians.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Who is the head of the church?  
a. Peter b. Jesus c. Pope
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Which one of the following have we NOT been commanded to do in worship to God?  
a. Sing b. Play an instrument c. Pray
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The organization of the church must be according to:  
a. God's plan. b. Man's plan. c. Anyone's plan.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The doctrine (teaching of the church is based on:  
a. The teachings of our ancestors.  
b. One's feelings. c. The Bible only.

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**Lesson 5: THE NAME OF THE CHURCH**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Man-made names and titles for churches are wrong because they cause division.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Wearing man-made names and titles will cause people to be lost.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. We can glorify Christ if we do not wear His name.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Christ is the Savior of the church.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. What belongs to God does not belong to Christ.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. To be the church of the Bible, the church must have a name that comes from the:  
a. Koran. b. Bible. c. Book of Mormon.

**Lesson 10: THE UNITY OF THE CHURCH True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. People all over the world want religious unity.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Unity can come about by men agreeing to disagree.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The Lord hates those who cause division.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The Bible is the cause of religious division.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Ephesians 4:5 says there is only one baptism today.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. What must men lay down (put away) for there to be unity?  
a. The Bible b. Their teaching c. Christ
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. What is the answer for unity?  
a. The Bible b. Men's teachings c. Church creeds
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. What did Christ pray for in John 17:20-21?  
a. Unity b. Division c. The teachings of men
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. How many kingdoms does the Lord have?  
a. 10 b. 1000 c. 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. How many churches did Christ build?  
a. 10 b. 1000 c. 1

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**Lesson 11: THE CREED OF THE CHURCH**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. It is all right for men to add to the Bible.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. It is all right for men to take away from the Bible.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The Bible is the Word of God and the Word of God only.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The Bible will judge us in the last day.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Where was Paul when he saw the idol TO THE UNKNOWN GOD?  
 a. Rome                      b. Jerusalem                      c. Athens

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**Lesson 9: THE WORK OF THE CHURCH True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The work of the church is to run businesses to make money.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The church is to preach the Gospel.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Preaching the Gospel includes teaching what a person must do to be saved.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The Christians in the time of the New Testament preached the Word of God wherever they went.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The church can help anyone in need who has no one to provide his needs.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. To edify means to:  
 a. Build up.    b. Be lost.    c. Follow teaching of men.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The church is to help:  
 a. Beggars.    b. Widows and orphans.    c. No one.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Those who do not obey the Gospel will be:  
 a. Saved.              b. Lost.              c. given a second chance.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The money to do the work of the church comes from:  
 a. Fund-raising promotions.  
 b. Free will offerings by the members.  
 c. Raffles.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Jesus told His disciples to preach the Gospel to:  
 a. The black man only.              b. The white man only.  
 c. All people.

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Christ purchased the church with:  
 a. Money.                      b. Fish.                      c. His blood.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Salvation is only in the name of:  
 a. Moses.                      b. John.                      c. Christ.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 4. We are to repent and to be baptized in the name of:  
 a. Christ.                      b. Moses.                      c. Adam.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The Bible sometimes calls the church:  
 a. The cross.                      b. The body.                      c. The feet.

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**Lesson 6: THE ORGANIZATION OF THE CHURCH True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Elders are also called pastors in the New Testament.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 2. A congregation can have elders and deacons, even if they do not meet all the qualifications.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 3. If there are no elders and deacons in a congregation, then the men must handle the business of the church.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The elders of the church are to rule over more than one congregation.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 5. We should go to the Bible for the pattern of church organization.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The Lord's church:  
 a. Has its headquarters on earth.  
 b. Has no headquarters on earth.  
 c. Has its headquarters in Jerusalem.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The Lord's church has as its head:  
 a. The pope.                      b. Christ.                      c. Neither.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. What are the local leaders of the church called?  
 a. Elders                      b. Deacons                      c. Pope
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Deacons serve with and under:  
 a. The pope.                      b. The elders.                      c. A diocese.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Elders are also called:  
 a. Bishops.                      b. Evangelists.                      c. Cardinals.

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**Lesson 7: ENTERING THE CHURCH**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The Bible teaches that the church is the savior.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. One does not have to be in the church to be saved.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The Lord adds the saved to the church.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The Lord knows our hearts and motives for becoming Christians.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. If one is in the church, he is in the kingdom of God.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The Lord adds the saved to:  
 a. The church.                      b. A political party.  
 c. A denomination.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The body of Christ is the:  
 a. Church.                      b. Ark.                      c. Flood.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Which Scriptures says that, **“Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the word of God”**?  
 a. Romans 5:4    b. Matthew 16:18    c. Romans 10:17
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Which Scripture says we must repent or perish?  
 a. Matthew 1:1    b. Luke 13:3    c. Mark 9:10

- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Baptism is:  
 a. For remission (forgiveness) of sins.  
 b. To join a church.  
 c. Not necessary in order to be saved.

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**Lesson 8: THE WORSHIP OF THE CHURCH**

**True or False: If the statement is correct, write TRUE in the blank; if it is wrong, write FALSE in the blank.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. To worship in spirit means to worship sincerely, humbly, and with understanding.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. One way to worship God is by studying the Bible.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The purpose of the church is to worship and serve God through Jesus Christ.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. No one today worships God in vain.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. It is all right for us to add to, or to subtract from, God’s plan of worship.

**Choose the correct answer. Put the letter in the space at the beginning of the question.**

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. True worship is:  
 a. In spirit and truth.                      b. In spirit only.  
 c. According to the traditions and teachings of men.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The early Christians partook of the Lord’s Supper:  
 a. Once a month.                      b. Every first day of the week.  
 c. Once a year.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. The Corinthian Christians were commanded to give:  
 a. On the first day of the week.  
 b. On Wednesday.                      c. Every Friday.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. In our worship to God, we are to:  
 a. Sing and play an instrument.                      b. Sing only.  
 c. Play an instrument only.