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# **Exposition of 1 Corinthians**Syllabus

## **Course Description**

This course is an expositional study of 1 Corinthians.

# **Course Objectives**

After completing this course the student will:

- 1. Remember the basic content and message of 1 Corinthians.
- 2. Identify the major themes of 1 Corinthians.
- 3. Know major problem passages and their possible solutions related to 1 Corinthians.
- 4. Gain a greater appreciation for the canonical contributions of 1 Corinthians.
- 5. Grow in spiritual maturity through careful and consistent application of the principles found in 1 Corinthians.

#### **Course Textbooks**

- 1. The Bible
- 2. Class notes

# **Course Assignment Description**

- 1. Read 1 Corinthians at least twice during the length of the course. There is no substitute for reading the Scriptures!
- 2. Keep a notebook (preferably a 3-ring binder) devoted *specifically* to 1 Corinthians. The notebook should contain the course handouts, your notes, and any assignments that you do for this course. Organizing these materials now will make them accessible in the future as you continue your studies and as you may have opportunity to teach the book.

### **Course Schedule**

Class times are 7:00-7:55 (15 min. break), 8:10-9:00

Day	Session	Content To Be Covered	Reading Due
1–19	1	Introduction to the the course	NONE
	2	Introduction to 1 Corinthians	
1–26	3	1 Corinthians 1:1–2:5	1 Corinthians 1:1–3:4
	4	1 Corinthians 2:6–3:4	
2–2	5	1 Corinthians 3:5–4:5	1 Corinthians 3:5–4:21
	6	1 Corinthians 4:6–21	
2–9	7	1 Corinthians 5	1 Corinthians 5
	8	Issue: church discipline	
2–16	9	1 Corinthians 6:1–11	1 Corinthians 6
	10	1 Corinthians 6:12–20	
2–23	11	1 Corinthians 7:1–11	1 Corinthians 7
	12	1 Corinthians 7:12–24	
3–2	13	1 Corinthians 7:25–40	1 Corinthians 7; Matt
	14	Issues: Marriage, Divorce, Remarriage	5:31–32; 19:1–12
3–9	15	1 Corinthians 8	1 Corinthians 8–9
	16	1 Corinthians 9	
3–16	17	1 Corinthians 10:1–13	1 Corinthians 10:1–11:1
	18	1 Corinthians 10:14–11:1	
3–23	19	1 Corinthians 11:2–16	1 Corinthians 11:2–34
	20	1 Corinthians 11:17–34	
3–30	21	1 Corinthians 12:1–11	1 Corinthians 12
	22	1 Corinthians 12:12–31a	
4–6	23	1 Corinthians 12:31b–13:13	1 Corinthians 13–14
	24	1 Corinthians 14:1–19	
4–13	25	1 Corinthians 14:20–40	Ephesians 4:7–13; 1
	26	Issues: Spiritual Gifts	Peter 4:10–11
4–20	27	1 Corinthians 15:1–34	1 Corinthians 15–16
	28	1 Corinthians 15:35–58	
4–27	29	1 Corinthians 16	NONE
	30	Wrap-up and Test	

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