

**Note:**

**Course content may be changed, term to term, without notice. The information below is provided as a guide for course selection and is not binding in any form, and should not be used to purchase course materials.**

## ***COURSE SYLLABUS***

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### **THEO 107**

#### **THEOLOGICAL SURVEY I**

#### **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

This is the first of three courses in a general survey of Bible doctrine designed to introduce the student to the major areas of systematic theology. This course presents the following areas of doctrine: Prolegomena, doctrine of the Trinity, doctrine of the Father, doctrine of the Bible (bibliology), and the doctrine of Prophecy (eschatology). The theology survey is continued in THEO 108.

#### **RATIONALE**

Willmington School of the Bible provides for its students a holistic understanding of the Scriptures. In so doing, it is necessary to develop a thorough understanding of Christian doctrine as it is presented throughout the Bible. This course, together with THEO 108 and THEO 109, provides students with a firm theological grounding which will serve as a guide in "rightly dividing the word of truth" (2 Timothy 2:15 [KJV]).

#### **I. PREREQUISITE**

For information regarding prerequisites for this course, please refer to the [Academic Course Catalog](#).

#### **II. REQUIRED RESOURCE PURCHASE**

Click on the following link to view the required resource(s) for the term in which you are registered: <http://bookstore.mbsdirect.net/liberty.htm>

#### **III. ADDITIONAL MATERIALS FOR LEARNING**

- A. Computer with basic audio/video output equipment
- B. Internet access (broadband recommended)
- C. Microsoft Word  
(Microsoft Office is available at a special discount to Liberty University students.)
- D. Blackboard [recommended browsers](#)
- E. School of Divinity Writing Guide  
<https://www.liberty.edu/divinity/index.cfm?PID=28160>

#### **IV. MEASURABLE LEARNING OUTCOMES**

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- A. Analyze the doctrines of the Trinity, Bible, Father and Christ as they are presented in this course.

- B. Interact cordially with others of differing theological perspectives.
- C. Explain the entire inductive method to another person.
- D. Describe the basic concepts and definitions of the doctrines of the Trinity, Bible, Father and Christ.
- E. Discuss the implications of theology for Christian life and personal ministry.
- F. Answer questions of personal interest concerning the world and God.
- G. Apply truths and principles associated with each major doctrinal study.

## V. COURSE REQUIREMENTS AND ASSIGNMENTS

- A. Textbook readings and lecture presentations
- B. Course Requirements Checklist
 

After reading the Syllabus and [Student Expectations](#), the student will complete the related checklist found in Module/Week 1.
- C. Group Discussion Board Forums (3)
 

The student is required to create a thread in response to the provided topic for each forum. Each thread is to be at least 300 words and support assertions with at least 2 citations in current Turabian format. In addition to the thread, the student is required to reply to 3 other classmates' threads. Each reply must be at least 100 words.
- D. Inspiration and Inerrancy Paper (1)
 

A short writing assignment will be due in Module/Week 3 requiring you to differentiate between inspiration and inerrancy and their relation to each other as held by evangelical Christianity. This will be a 3–4-page analysis responding to specific questions.

This paper will be submitted in a single Word document via SafeAssign.
- E. Quizzes (3)
 

Each quiz will cover the Reading & Study material for the modules/weeks in which it is assigned. Each quiz will be open-book/open-notes, contain 10 multiple-choice and true/false questions, 2 essays and have a time limit of 1 hour and 30 minutes.
- F. Final Project Topic and Final Project (1)
 

The student will write a 4-6 page paper on a topic pertaining to the doctrines covered in the course. The final topic will be submitted during week 3 of the course and the final project will be submitted during week 8. The paper must contain at least 7 scholarly sources and must include a title page and bibliography.

**VI. COURSE GRADING AND POLICIES****A. Points**

Course Requirements Checklist	10
Group Discussion Board Forums (3 at 150 pts ea)	450
Inspiration and Inerency Paper (1 at 100 pts ea)	100
Quizzes (3 at 60 pts ea)	180
Final Project Topic	70
Final Project	200

**Total** 1010

**B. Scale**

A = 900–1010 B = 800–899 C = 700–799 D = 600–699 F = 0–599

**C. Disability Assistance**

Students with a documented disability may contact Liberty University Online's Office of Disability Academic Support (ODAS) at [LUOODAS@liberty.edu](mailto:LUOODAS@liberty.edu) to make arrangements for academic accommodations. Further information can be found at [www.liberty.edu/disabilitysupport](http://www.liberty.edu/disabilitysupport).

***COURSE SCHEDULE***

**THEO 107**

<b>MODULE/ WEEK</b>	<b>READING &amp; STUDY</b>	<b>ASSIGNMENTS</b>	<b>POINTS</b>
<b>1</b>	Willmington: pp. 448-458, “Questions and Answers about the Trinity” 1-31 1 presentation 1 website	Course Requirements Checklist Class Introductions DB Forum 1	10 0 150
<b>2</b>	Willmington: pp. 458-469, “Questions and Answers about the Trinity” 32-62 2 websites	Final Topic Submission Quiz 1	70 60
<b>3</b>	Willmington: pp. 658-682 “Questions and Answers about the Bible” 1-45 1 presentation 1 website	Inspiration and Inerreny Paper	100
<b>4</b>	Willmington: pp. 682-714 “Questions and Answers about the Bible” 46-73 2 websites	Quiz 2	60
<b>5</b>	Article: If God Made the Universe, Who Made God? 1 presentation 2 websites	DB Forum 2	150
<b>6</b>	Willmington: pp. 472-476 “Questions and Answers about the Father” 1-21	Quiz 3	60
<b>7</b>	Wilmington: pp. 478-499 “Questions and Answers about Jesus Christ” 1-50 2 presentations	DB Forum 3	150
<b>8</b>	Wilmington: pp. 499-519 “Questions and Answers about Jesus Christ” 51-90	Final Project	200

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1010</b>
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Group DB = Group Discussion Board

**NOTE:** Each course week (except Module/Week 1) begins on Tuesday morning at 12:00 a.m. (ET) and ends on Monday night at 11:59 p.m. (ET). The final week ends at 11:59 p.m. (ET) on Friday.