



# monarch

Curriculum Catalog

Bible 800

## Table of Contents

<b>COURSE OVERVIEW</b> .....	<b>3</b>
UNIT 1: THE ATTRIBUTES OF GOD.....	4
UNIT 2: SIN AND SALVATION .....	4
UNIT 3: COMMUNICATION WITH GOD .....	4
UNIT 4: EARLY CHURCH HISTORY .....	4
UNIT 5: THE CHURCH’S MISSION.....	5
UNIT 6: THE EARLY CHURCH.....	5
UNIT 7: THE LATER CHURCH.....	5
UNIT 8: THE WAY OF WISDOM .....	5
UNIT 9: THE FAMILY .....	6
UNIT 10: THE SEARCH FOR IDENTITY, BELONGING, AND PURPOSE.....	6
ADDITIONAL RESOURCES .....	6

## Course Overview

In this course, students will examine theological, practical, and historical topics related to the Christian experience. Specifically, students will explore God's attributes, sin and salvation, prayer, and first-century church history, focusing on the church's origin, identity, community, and mission. The course will introduce relevant truths, events, and people. Further, the course will enable students to trace the connections between these truths, events, and people to each other and current realities. Finally, the course will help students learn to follow Jesus Christ and develop a Christian worldview.

In this course, students will examine:

- The Attributes of God
- Sin and Salvation
- Communication with God
- Early Church History
- The Church's Mission

## Course Objectives

Upon successfully completing the course, students will be able to:

- Explain why God invites them to live in a relationship with God.
- Build a foundation for Christian discipleship.
- Integrate biblical truth into their experience.
- Connect historical developments to current realities.
- Develop the ability to evaluate truth claims through a Christian worldview lens.
- Engage in thoughtful reflection using biblical data and reliable secondary sources.
- Establish a firm foundation for life-long learning

## Method

This course will achieve its objectives by means of:

- Reading
- Scripture memorization
- Questions
- Quizzes
- Tests
- Service project
- Project

Unit 1: The Attributes of God	
Bible 800	<b>Assignments</b>
	1. God's Eternality
	2. God's Holiness
	3. God's Love
	4. God's Sovereignty
	5. God's Immutability
	6. God's Justice

Unit 2: Sin and Salvation	
Bible 800	<b>Assignments</b>
	1. The Nature of Sin
	2. The Universality of Sin
	3. The Nature of Salvation
	4. The Gift of Salvation
	5. The Results of Salvation Part 1
	6. The Results of Salvation Part 2
7. The Results of Salvation Part 3	

Unit 3: Communication with God	
Bible 800	<b>Assignments</b>
	1. The Lord's Prayer Part 1
	2. The Lord's Prayer Part 2
	3. The Lord's Prayer Part 3
	4. The Lord's Prayer Part 4
	5. The Value of Prayer
	6. The Practice of Prayer in the Bible
	7. The Effect of Prayer Part 1
	8. The Effect of Prayer Part 2
	9. The Effective Prayer Part 1
10. The Effective Prayer Part 2	

Unit 4: Early Church History	
Bible 800	<b>Assignments</b>
	1. The Roman Setting Part 1
	2. The Roman Setting Part 2
	3. The Roman Setting Part 3
	4. The Jewish Background Part 1
	5. The Jewish Background Part 2
	6. The Jewish Background Part 3
	7. The Jewish Background Part 4
	8. Christianity's Beginnings Part 1
	9. Christianity's Beginnings Part 2
	10. Christianity's Beginnings Part 3
	11. To the Uttermost Parts, Part 1
12. To the Uttermost Parts, Part 2	

**Unit 5: The Church's Mission****Assignments**

1. The Congregation at Antioch of Syria
2. The First Missionary Journey
3. The Jerusalem Council
4. The Second Missionary Journey
5. The Marketplace
6. The Third Missionary Journey
7. The Journey to Jerusalem
8. The Congregation in Rome
9. The Neronian Persecution
10. The Jewish War
11. The False Teachers
12. The Seven Congregations of Asia Minor

Bible 800

**Unit 6: The Early Church****Assignments**

1. The Church Fathers
2. The Apologists
3. The Martyrs
4. The Monks
5. The Theologians
6. The Heretics
7. The Papacy
8. The Church and State
9. The Holy Roman Empire

Bible 800

**Unit 7: The Later Church****Assignments**

1. The Protestant Reformation, Part 1
2. The Protestant Reformation, Part 2
3. The Protestant Reformation, Part 3
4. The Swiss Reformation
5. The English Reformation
6. The Catholic Reformation
7. The Wars of Religion
8. The Puritans and Separatists
9. The Puritans in America

Bible 800

**Unit 8: The Way of Wisdom****Assignments**

1. The Bible's Wisdom
2. The Bible's Wisdom Literature
3. The Book of Proverbs: Background
4. The Book of Proverbs: Content
5. The Book of Proverbs: Use and Misuse
6. The Wise Words of Jesus: Part 1
7. The Wise Words of Jesus: Part 2
8. The Wise Words of Jesus: Part 3
9. The Wise Words of James: Part 1
10. The Wise Words of James: Part 2

Bible 800

Unit 9: The Family	
Bible 800	<b>Assignments</b>
	1. The Fatherhood of God
	2. The Compassionate Father
	3. The Divine Plan for the Family
	4. The Christian Household: Part 1
	5. The Christian Household: Part 2
	6. The Christian Household: Part 3
	7. The Blessing of Marriage
	8. The Challenge of Divorce
9. The Blessing of Singleness	

Unit 10: The Search for Identity, Belonging, and Purpose	
Bible 800	<b>Assignments</b>
	1. The Search for Identity: Part 1
	2. The Search for Identity: Part 2
	3. The Search for Identity: Part 3
	4. The Search for Belonging: Part 1
	5. The Search for Belonging: Part 2
	6. The Search for Purpose: Part 1
	7. The Search for Purpose: Part 2
8. The Search for Purpose: Part 3	

## Additional Resources

Students will need access to a Bible, either in print or online. Students should use one of the standard, committee-produced, versions, for example (listed in alphabetical order): Christian Standard Bible, Douay-Rheims Bible, Eastern Orthodox Bible, English Standard Version, King James Version, New American Standard Bible, New Catholic Bible, New English Translation, New International Version, New Jerusalem Bible, New King James Version, or New Revised Standard Version.

Students do not need to purchase additional resources to complete this course. However, access to a Bible dictionary or encyclopedia and an exhaustive concordance will prove useful in the event students encounter topics needing further explanation to facilitate understanding or if curiosity provokes a desire for additional information. The use of a Bible dictionary or encyclopedia will also be useful when completing the project.

### Copyright Notice

If taking this course using the English Standard Version:

Scripture quotations are from The ESV® Bible (The Holy Bible, English Standard Version®), copyright © 2001 by Crossway, a publishing ministry of Good News Publishers. Used by permission. All rights reserved.

If taking this course using King James Version Bible:

Scripture quotations taken from the King James Version Bible (KJV) are public domain and may be freely used without permission.

If taking this course using the New American Standard Bible:

Scripture quotations taken from the (NASB®) New American Standard Bible®, Copyright © 1960, 1971, 1977, 1995, 2020 by The Lockman Foundation. Used by permission. All rights reserved. lockman.org.

Citation

Header Images incorporate image by Koltukovs, Shutterstock, Asset ID: 1661865538. Used under license.

Williams, Roy, editor. Bible 8A. Imagine Learning / Alpha Omega Publications, 2023.