

Principles in the

1ST PRINCIPLES OF THE DOCTRINE OF CHRIST
FUNDAMENTAL TEACHING FOR EVERY CHRISTIAN

WORKBOOK

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Dear Fellow Believer

Greetings in the lovely name of Jesus Christ

Having received Christ as your personal Saviour, there is no doubt that you would want to live a life pleasing to Him in all that you do and say. Doing the will of the Father in heaven now becomes the only and correct thing to do; “For it is God which worketh in you both to will and to do of His good pleasure”, Philippians 2:13.

The 'Principles in the Son' Workbook serves to encourage you to search the scriptures, so that God can reveal the mystery of the indwelling Christ that is being formed in you and that you bring forth much fruit for His glory.

“Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom” (Colossians 3:16a) as you diligently work through the studies contained in the Workbook and experience the blessing of being ‘SET FREE’ in and through Christ Jesus our Lord and Saviour.

Yours in His service

Peter Michell

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INTRODUCTION

Definition of a principle

“A principle is a law that governs in the Mind” (To make us what we are (should be) today – determining our characters.)

As believers we want ‘The Word of God’ to have such an effect on us that we ‘instinctively’ live out what God wants from us. These principles are from the very heart of Christ our Lord. So, as we yield our wills and our minds to the instruction of the word, instinctively our decisions and actions will be from the indwelling Christ.

These are the teachings of Christ that teach and show us how to come into the correct relationship with Him, and to live in victory – regardless of the circumstance.

How to use this work book

Each of the following studies has 4 to 6 questions. Each question should be researched and prayerfully answered. There are no ‘YES’ or ‘NO’ answers.

All the relevant scriptures needed for the answers have been carefully selected so that the correct answers can be given, you may find many more scriptures which will help you with your answers.

The local fellowship oversight or whoever will conduct the course will then allocate how many studies need to be completed - preferably on a weekly basis. Each new believer who then starts the course, will fill in their answers in the allocated space, should the allocated space not be sufficient please use extra paper.

The overseer will then work through the studies, answering and correcting whatever is necessary thus ensuring the believer understands. The discretion and discernment of the local oversight can determine the effective application of this course. The purpose is that each believer understands fully what their God given salvation and new walk with the Lord is truly about.

This workbook can also be used by any believer for their own personal knowledge and understanding, working through it by themselves. It would however, be advisable to draw on those established in the Faith to confirm their answers.

STUDY 1 – YOUR SALVATION

God's Love, Grace and Mercy

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 1

John 1 : 12,13,16,17	1	2 Peter 1 : 2-3 & 3 : 18	1,4
1 John 5 : 1-5	1	Ephesians 1 : 17,18	1, 4
Romans 5 : 2, 15, 17, 21 & 6 : 22	1	Ephesians 2 : 5, 8 & 4 : 7,13-14	1,6
1 Peter 2 : 1-3	2,6	Romans 12 : 1,2	4, 5
Hebrews 5 : 8-14	2,3,6	Ephesians 6 : 6	3, 5
1 Corinthians 6:17	1	Hebrews 10 : 36	5
Galatians 4 : 6	1	1 Peter 4 : 2	5
Romans 7 : 4	1	1 John 2: 17	5
Titus 3 : 7	1	Romans 8 : 10-14	4
John 4 : 32-34	3,5	Matthew 4 : 4	4
1 Corinthians 3 : 2	2	1 Corinthians 13 : 11	6

Question 1: Have you tasted of the grace of God?

Answer:

Question 2: What is the 'milk of the word'?

Answer:

STUDY 1

STUDY 1

Question 3: What is the 'meat' of the word?

Answer:

Question 4: When do you become a mature Christian?

Answer:

Question 5: When do you become a mature Christian?

Answer:

Question 6: When do you become a mature Christian?

Answer:

STUDY 2 – REPENTANCE FROM DEAD WORKS

The Complete Work of Christ

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 2

Hebrews 6 : 1 & 2	
Acts 24 : 16	2
Romans 2 : 15	4
1 Corinthians 8 : 7	2
2 Corinthians 1 : 12	2
1 Timothy 3 : 9	2
Hebrews 9 : 9-14	2, 3
Hebrews 10 : 16-22	4
2 Corinthians 7 : 9-11	1, 4

Romans 2 : 4	4
2 Timothy 2 : 25	4
Matthew 3 : 8	1, 4
Luke 3 : 8	1, 4
Romans 3 : 20, 28	3
Hebrews 4 : 9-11	4
Ephesians 2 : 1-3	4
Galatians 5 : 22	4

Question 1: What does it mean to repent?

Answer:

Question 2: How does your conscience affect your Christian walk?

Answer:

STUDY 2

STUDY 2

Question 3: What are dead works?

Answer:

Question 4: What effect should true repentance have on your life?

Answer:

STUDY 3 – FAITH TOWARD GOD

Absolute Confidence

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 3

Hebrews 6 : 1 & 2	
Hebrews 6 : 1	1, 2
Hebrews 11 : 1 & 6	1, 2
Ephesians 2 : 8	1
Galatians 2 : 16, 20	1,6
2 Corinthians 5 : 7	5
Romans 1 : 17	1, 2
Romans 3 : 22 & 30	1
Ephesians 3 : 12	5
Galatians 3 : 2, 8, 22	1, 3

Ephesians 4 : 13	2, 3
Philippians 3 : 9	1
Romans 10 : 8-10, 17	1,2,3
Matthew 7 : 24	5
James 2 : 17	3, 5
Proverbs 3 : 5	2
Romans 12 : 3, 6	3
Romans 4 : 3, 5, 16-22	1
1 Corinthians 2 : 5	2

Question 1: What is faith and where is it from?

Answer:

Question 2: How should we exercise faith?

Answer:

STUDY 3

STUDY 3

Question 3: How does our faith grow?

Answer:

Question 4: What is faith not?

Answer:

Question 5: Why is there no other way to please God?

Answer:

Question 6: How do you know that you have faith?

Answer:

STUDY 4 – DOCTRINE OF BAPTISMS - IMMERSION INTO CHRIST

1ST *Baptism: Baptism into the Body of Christ*

Baptism; from Greek word “Baptiso” to dip or immerse –

3 essentials required - 1.Candidate - 2.Baptiser - 3.Element for baptism

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 4 - Part I

Hebrews 6 : 1 & 2		Ephesians 2 : 8	1
Romans 6 : 3-14	1,3	Titus 3 : 3-5	2
1 Corinthians 12 : 13	2	1 Corinthians 2 : 18	2
Galatians 3 : 27, 28	3, 4	2 Corinthians 5 : 17	3
Ephesians 4 : 4,5	4	Galatians 4 : 6, 29,30	4
Colossians 2 : 11-13	1	Romans 7 : 4	3, 4
Colossians 3 : 1-3	1	1 Corinthians 6 : 17	4

Question 1: What does being baptized into the Body of Christ mean?

Answer:

Question 2: Who is the candidate, the baptizer and what is the element?

Answer:

STUDY 4 – Part I

Question 3: What is the reason for this baptism?

Answer:

Question 4: What does this baptism - bring about (fruit) result?

Answer:

2ND Baptism: Baptism into water

Baptism; from Greek word “Baptiso” to dip or immerse –

3 essentials required - 1.Candidate - 2.Baptiser - 3.Element for baptism

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 4 – Part II

Hebrews 6 : 1 & 2		Romans 4 : 11	
Matthew 3 : 13-17	2, 4	John 14 : 15	1, 4
Mark 16 : 16	1	Mark 8 : 34	1, 4
Acts 8 : 12	3, 4	Acts 8 : 35-39	1
Matthew 28 : 18-20	2, 4	1 Peter 3 : 18-21	1,2,4
Acts 2 : 41	1, 4		3

Question 1: What does water baptism symbolise/declare/is it necessary?

Answer:

Question 2: Who is the candidate, the baptizer and what is the element and method, and by what authority?

Answer:

STUDY 4 – Part II

Question 3: Does water baptism save, and cleanse sin?

Answer:

Question 4: What does this baptism - bring about (fruit) result?

Answer:

3rd Baptism: Baptism of the Holy Spirit

Baptism; from Greek word “Baptiso” to dip or immerse –

3 essentials required - 1.Candidate - 2.Baptiser - 3.Element for baptism

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 4 – Part III

Hebrews 6 : 1 & 2		Acts 19 : 1,2,6	2,5
Matthew 28 : 18	1	Acts 10 : 44, 46	2
Mark 16 : 17	3	John 7 : 37-39	3,5
John 14 : 12, 16-17, 26	1,3,4,5	Luke 11 : 11-13	5
Acts 1 : 2,4,5,8	1,2,3	Galatians 3 : 2,5,14	4,5
Luke 24 : 49	1	Jude 1 : 20	5
1 Corinthians 14 : 18	5	Acts 15 : 8,9	5
John 16 : 7,8,13-14	1,4	1 Corinthians 12 : 1-11	1,5
Acts 2 : 1,4,14,16,33,38,39	5	Matthew 3 : 11	2
Joel 2 : 28	1	Acts 8 : 14,15,17	2
Acts 5 :32	5	John 15 : 26	4

Question 1: What is the purpose of baptism of the Holy Spirit?

Answer:

Question 2: Who is the candidate, the baptizer and what is the element? Does this baptism come with salvation?

Answer:

STUDY 4 – Part III

Question 3: What effect does this baptism have on a believer's life?

Answer:

Question 4: What is the Holy Spirit's work on a believers life? and on the world?

Answer:

Question 5: How do you receive this baptism? and the result thereof?

Answer:

4th Baptism: Baptism into the sufferings of Christ

Baptism; from Greek word “Baptiso” to dip or immerse –

3 essentials required - 1.Candidate - 2.Baptiser - 3.Element for baptism

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 4 – Part IV

Hebrews 6 : 1 & 2		1 Peter 3 : 14,17	2, 3
Hebrews 12 : 2-4	1	2 Timothy 2 : 12	1, 2
Hebrews 5 : 2, 7, 8,11,12	1	Revelations 12 : 11	2
John 15 : 18-20	1	1 Peter 2 : 19-21	2, 3
1 Peter 4 : 1,2,12-14,16,19	1	Romans 8 : 18	1
Luke 12 : 50	1	Philippians 3 : 10	1, 3
Matthew 20 : 22, 23	1	2 Corinthians 1 : 5,6	1, 3
Mark 10 : 38,39	1	1 Peter 5 : 10	3
2 Thessalonians 1 : 4, 5	1	2 Corinthians 4 : 8-18	3
Hebrews 2 : 14,18	1	James 1 : 2	3
2 Timothy 3 : 12	1,2	1 Peter 1 : 6	3

Question 1: What is the purpose of this baptism and significance of the identity with Jesus in this?

Answer:

Question 2: Who is the candidate, the baptizer and what is the element? And what is the world?

Answer:

STUDY 4 – Part IV

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Question 3: Why is this baptism so necessary in a believer's life?

Answer:

Question 4: What result or fruit does this baptism bring about?

Answer:

STUDY 5 – THE LAYING ON OF HANDS

Freely you have received, freely give

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 5

Hebrews 6 : 1 & 2		Acts 19 : 6	4
Matthew 10 : 8	1, 2	Colossians 1 : 18	2
Acts 8 : 17	4	2 Timothy 1 : 6	4
Acts 6 : 6	4	Mark 16 : 18	3
1 Timothy 4 : 14	4	Acts 13 : 3	4
Matthew 19 : 13-15	3	Ephesians 5 : 30	2

Question 1: What is the reason / motive for this physical application?

Answer:

Question 2: What does this application represent?

Answer:

STUDY 5

STUDY 5

Question 3: Give two examples of where there is a physical blessing imparted?

Answer:

Question 4: Give three examples, where there is a spiritual blessing imparted?

Answer:

STUDY 6 – RESURRECTION OF THE DEAD

Our Hope

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 6

Hebrews 6 : 1&2		1 Thessalonians 4 : 13-17	3
Daniel 12 : 2	3, 4	Revelations 20 : 5,6,11-14	1, 4
John 11 : 25, 26	1	Colossians 3 : 4	4
1 Cor 15 : 4-8,13,14,16-23, 42-52	1,2,3,4	Philippians 3 : 11,20,21	3, 4
Matthew 8 : 11	1,3	1 John 3 : 2	3, 4
Matthew 28 : 6,7,9	1	2 Corinthians 5 : 1,2,9,10	3,4
1 Peter 1 : 3,4,21	1,2	Hebrews 2 : 14, 15, 17, 18	1,2,3
Ephesians 1 : 18 - 20	1	John 14 : 1 -6	2
John 5 : 24-29	4	Romans 8 : 11	3
Luke 24 : 15,36,39,41-43,46	2	Hebrews 9 : 27, 28	4
Romans 1 : 4	2	1 Corinthians 3 : 13-15	4

STUDY 6

Question 1: Why is Christ's resurrection so important to us?

Answer:

Question 2: What did Christ's resurrection accomplish/fulfill?

Answer:

STUDY 6

Question 3: How will our resurrection come and affect us?

Answer:

Question 4: Where and what does our resurrection take us to?

Answer:

STUDY 7 – ETERNAL JUDGEMENT

Our Accountability

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 7

Hebrews 6 : 1&2		Romans 2 : 5, 16	1
Psalms 9 : 7 & 96 : 13	1	1 Peter 4 : 17	2
Matthew 12 : 36	1	1 Corinthians 4 : 5	2
Jude 1 : 6,7	1, 3	1 Corinthians 6 : 3	3
2 Corinthians 5 : 9, 10,21	2	Daniel 12 : 1	3
Revelations 22 : 12	4	Matthew 24 : 15,21	3
Ecclesiastes 3 : 17	1	1 Peter 2 : 24	1
John 5 : 22-24, 27	1, 2	Romans 3 : 23	1
1 Corinthians 11 : 31,32	2	2 Peter 2 : 4	3
Romans 14 : 10	2	Matthew 25 : 31,32	3
Revelations 11 : 18 & 19 : 15	3	1 Peter 3 : 18	1
Hebrews 9 : 26, 27	1, 2	1 Corinthians 5 : 3-5	2
Acts 17 : 31	1	Romans 6 : 14	4
Hebrews 12 : 7	2	Revelations 2:26,27 & 12:5 & 19:15	3
1 Corinthians 3 : 11-15	2	Hebrews 7 : 19	4
Revelations 20 : 11-13	3	1 Corinthians 15 : 56	4
Hebrews 12 : 7, 23, 11	1,2		

STUDY 7

Question 1: Why judgement, and who is the judge?

Answer:

STUDY 7

Question 2: Gods judgement and us, His blood washed sons / saints?

Answer:

Question 3: Who else will God Judge?

Answer:

Question 4: Why should we be held accountable and what are the consequences of our disobedience?

Answer:

STUDY 8 – GOING ON UNTO PERFECTION

If God Permit

SCRIPTURES REFERENCED IN STUDY 8

Hebrews 6 : 1-3		Ephesians 1 : 6 & 6 : 6,7	1
John 1 : 12	1	Philippians 3 : 12	2
2 Corinthians 5 :21	1	Hebrews 2 : 11	3
Hebrews 2 : 10	3	Philippians 1:6, 2:12,13	2, 4
Ephesians 4 : 13, 20-32	2, 4	Philippians 3 :15	1
James 1 : 2-12	3, 4	1 Peter 1 : 6,7	3
Romans 8 : 17	1	Romans 6 : 19,22	4
Hebrews 10 : 14	1	2 Corinthians 7 : 1	3, 4
Colossians 3 : 5-25	2	Matthew 5 : 48	4
Hebrews 11:40, 12:23, 13:21	3, 4	John 17 : 23	4
Romans 8 : 17-19, 12:2	3, 4	1 Thessalonians 3 : 13, 4 : 7	4
1 Peter 2 : 9	1	Romans 12 : 3 - 16	5
2 Peter 3 : 18	2	1 Corinthians 14 : 26	5
Ephesians 5 : 8	2	Ephesians 4 : 16	5
1 Peter 5 : 10	3, 4		
Hebrews 12 : 5-17	3,4		

STUDY 8

Question 1: What is our position/or standing now as a Christian?

Answer:

STUDY 8

Question 2: What is our present situation (or state) as a Christian?

Answer:

Question 3: What is our/or the sanctification, perfecting process now as a Christian?

Answer:

Question 4: Why does God want us perfect?

Answer:

Question 5: What is the practical outworking of perfection?

Answer:

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