

Candlelight Christian

Core Curriculum - C4 Project

2025 Spring Semester

WHY CORE CURRICULUM?

We believe Candlelight offers the most comprehensive, in depth and doctrinally sound Bible teaching to be found anywhere. This series is our way of complimenting that teaching by exposing our family to the Bible's core foundational wisdom in a short period of time. These are studies and concepts that we (of the "older" Candlelight generations) wish we had learned when we were young - or at least when we were young Christians. This knowledge would have greatly advanced our grasp of Biblical concepts, the "big picture" of the Bible and inoculated us against the lies of the enemy and our world which are so prevalent.

In addition, C4 focuses on apologetics for those foundational principles. With the continual battle against the Christian Worldview, we not only need to know the Bible (and thus Truth) - but how to defend them. That demands that we know the attacks on them and how to combat those decisively and with love.

We have studies that teach each subject in the most comprehensive way, while remaining fairly short. This curriculum condenses years of study to give you a solid foundation. Study format will generally be DVD lessons with ample time for discussion and questions.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

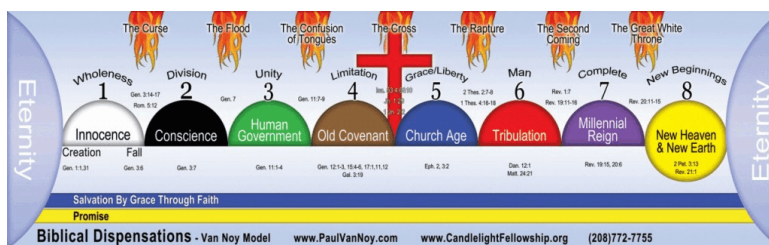
Who can benefit from C4? We think everyone will find the studies stimulating - whether a new believer or a mature one. We especially want to encourage our youth to participate. We believe C4 will greatly increase their in-depth knowledge of the foundational principles of our faith - and offer convincing proofs that they will never forget and which will protect them from the attacks of the enemy, world and culture. We have found these studies to greatly heighten our discernment.



The next "Semester" of C4 will begin February 3rd Mondays, 6-7:30 pm, Sanctuary

February 3 **DISPENSATIONS**

Paul Van Noy explains dispensational theology. You'll understand your Bible in a whole new way that brings clarity to a literal interpretation of the Scriptures.



ANSWERS IN GENESIS FOUNDATIONS - KEN HAM

February 10 **Relevance of Genesis**

Why is Genesis so important? Ken Ham uses news stories of recent events combined with Scripture to address today's most pressing issues. Includes scores of photos and illustrations, plus a mini-interview that reveals his passion for helping Christians to truly understand the distressing impact of disregarding the authority of Scripture.

February 17 **Always Ready**

Are you ready to defend the truth of the Bible? 1 Peter 3:15 says that we must always be ready to defend the truth of the Bible. But does the idea of being "ready" make your heart beat fast with fear? In this segment, Ken Ham shares proven ideas and the basics of apologetics to affirm the truth of the Bible in the modern age. This presentation will embolden you to share your faith with others!

February 24 **Revealing the Unknown God**

Do we need to change our approach to evangelism? American culture has changed substantially, but our approach to evangelism has

not. The key is to "de-Greekize" our families and our churches, beginning with ourselves! To truly reach today's culture we have to help them understand that God's Word is true as we spread the seed of the gospel.

March 3

In Six Days

Can we really know the truth about the "days" of Genesis 1? What difference does it make today whether the "days" of Genesis 1 were real 24-hour days or millions of years? Here, Ken Ham clears up today's common misunderstandings in the debate about the "six days" of Creation. Also discover why some pastors and educators avoid this topic and say we really can't know the truth.

March 10

One Blood One Race

Can we understand what happened at the Tower of Babel? Understanding what happened at the Tower of Babel is key to understanding the origin of nations, "races," prejudice, and much more! Ken discusses Charles Darwin's destructive teaching regarding skin color, facial features, etc. On the lighter side, this video uses Ken's comical perspective on poodles to teach on natural selection and speciation. **Everyone needs to see this one!! The definitive answer to racism.**



March 17

Death the Enemy

Is death our friend? Some ministers tell their congregations that death is our friend. But God designed a perfect world: no death, no pain. Adam's sin brought death and suffering. Our world is now in need of restoration, and Ken shares the story of the agonizing death of his brother, a pastor and loving father, to illustrate that death is our enemy, and one day it will be vanquished!

March 24	OLD TESTAMENT OVERVIEW (ED HINDSON)
March 31	OLD TESTAMENT OVERVIEW (ED HINDSON)
April 7	OLD TESTAMENT OVERVIEW (ED HINDSON)
April 14	OLD TESTAMENT OVERVIEW (ED HINDSON)
April 21	No Class - Day after Resurrection Sunday
April 28	OLD TESTAMENT OVERVIEW (ED HINDSON)

REGISTRATION

You do not need to register for this class. We're very sorry that child care is not available for this class. We ask that you register at <https://candlelight.org/forms/c4-registration> or you may sign up in person the first time you attend. We ask for an email and cell phone # so that we may email you supplemental information on the class (outlines, etc.) and inform you by email/text if we need to cancel due to weather or other unforeseen circumstances. You only need to sign in once, unless you do not receive the weekly emails. In that case, check to make sure we have the correct email/phone #.

