## Christian Growth, 2017 **Syllabus**

Date	Quiz	Topic	Memory Verses	Assignment – read & journal	Handouts
Week 1		Introduction: Spiritual Growth	Phil. 1:6* Jn.15:1-12** Eph. 1:13,14*	Lovelace, Renewal as a Way of Life, "The God-Centered Life"	1
Week 2		Sin	Eph. 2:1-3** Gal. 5:17*	<ul> <li>Stott, <i>The Contemporary Christian</i>, "The Human Paradox"</li> <li>Discovering Idols Worksheet (from "The Glory of the Gospel")</li> </ul>	2
Week 3	<u>X</u>	New Identity	2 Cor. 5:17* Eph. 1:3-14** Rom. 6:6,11,13**	McCallum, Walking In Victory, Chapters 4-6	1
Week 4		Holy Spirit	1 Cor. 12:13* Rom. 8:15,16* 1 Thes. 5:19-22**	Chuck Smith, Charisma vs. Charismania, Chapters 3,12,13	1
Week 5		Faith	Rom. 8:4-14** Gal. 5:16-25** Jas. 1:22-25**	• White, <i>The Fight</i> , "Faith"	1
Week 6	<u>X</u>	God's Law	Gal. 3:24,25* Rom. 7:7-25**	<ul> <li>McCallum, Walking In Victory, Chapters 7-9</li> <li>DeLashmutt, "Legalism Diagnostic Questions"</li> </ul>	2
Week 7		Community as a Means of Grace	Acts 2:42* Eph. 4:11-16**	<ul> <li>McCallum, Members of One Another, Chapters 1 &amp; 2</li> <li>Sherry Turkle, "The Flight from Conversation"</li> </ul>	2
Week 8		God's Word as a Means of Grace	I Pet. 2:2* Heb. 5:11-14**	Fernando, The Supremacy of Christ –  "The Joy of Truth"	1
Week 9	<u>X</u>	Prayer as a Means of Grace	Col. 4:2* 1 Jn. 5:14,15* Rom. 8:26*	<ul> <li>Hallesby, Prayer – Chapter 11</li> <li>Andrew Murray (excerpt)</li> </ul>	2
Week 10		God's Discipline as a Means of Grace	Heb. 12:11* 2 Cor. 4:7-12** Jas. 1:2-4*	Study for the exam	0
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<sup>\* =</sup> know the reference (book and chapter), the nearly exact verse quote, and its use.

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