

Formation Toward Christian Ministry (FTCM)

Christology

Session 1 – Make Up

Name: _____

Location Registered: _____

Date of Original Class: _____

I have personally read all of the required reading, viewed the make-up video, and completed the following worksheets.

Signature _____

Date _____

Christology – Lesson 1 – Worksheet 1

If someone who didn't know you asked someone who did, "Who is this person?" how would they respond? Would the response be different if the person answering were your parents? Your siblings? Your spouse? Your children? Your grandchildren? Your boss? Your colleagues? Your subordinates? Your teachers? Your neighbors? What is different about how each of them would answer? Why is that?

Write about a paragraph.

Christology – Lesson 1 – Worksheet 2

With reference to *An Introduction to Christology* pp. 12-28 (Chapter 1)

- (a) How does the author of the text define Christology?
- (b) What role does one's personal faith experience play in this understanding of Christology?
- (c) What role does the community play in this understanding of Christology?
- (d) Why does the author insist that Christology is a process?

Christology – Lesson 1 – Worksheet 3

With reference to *An Introduction to Christology* pp. 31-36
(Chapter 2 – Section entitled “Christ of the Gospel of Mark”)

- (a) What are the dominant images of Christ in the Gospel of Mark?
- (b) What role does the behavior of the disciples play in highlighting these images?
- (c) What implications do these images of Jesus have for those who would be his disciples?

Christology – Lesson 1 – Worksheet 4

With reference to *An Introduction to Christology* pp. 36-40
(Chapter 2 – Section entitled “Christ of the Gospel of Matthew”)

- (a) What are the dominant images of Christ in the Gospel of Matthew?
- (b) What is the relationship of the new law to the old in the Gospel of Matthew? Of the new lawgiver to the old?
- (c) What implications do these images of Jesus have for those who would be his disciples?

Christology – Lesson 1 – Worksheet 5

With reference to *An Introduction to Christology* pp. 40-44
(Chapter 2 – Section entitled “Christ of the Gospel of Luke”)

- (a) What are the dominant images of Christ in the Gospel of Luke?
- (b) What do these images of Jesus teach about the nature of God's mercy?
- (c) What implications do these images of Jesus have for those who would be his disciples?

Christology – Lesson 1 – Worksheet 6

With reference to *An Introduction to Christology* pp. 44-50
(Chapter 2 – Section entitled “Christ of the Gospel of John”)

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Christology – Lesson 1 – Worksheet 7

What is Christology?

Christology – Lesson 1 – Worksheet 8

Write about a paragraph answer to at least one of the following questions:

1. What is your understanding of God? How, in your experience have you detected the presence of God? What, in your experience, might lead you understand God as transcendent?
2. How have you experienced yourself as being transformed by Jesus for fuller life in the world and in the community?