

# UNDERSTANDING YOUR BIBLE

## An Overview of Bible Doctrine

**Bible Doctrine:** A doctrine is what the \_\_\_\_\_ Bible teaches us about a \_\_\_\_\_ topic.

### How We Study Doctrine:

- \_\_\_\_\_ all the relevant passages that relate to the given topic.
- \_\_\_\_\_ to understand what that passage says about that topic.
- \_\_\_\_\_ the teachings of those passages.
- \_\_\_\_\_ those summaries into a coherent whole.

### Why We Study Bible Doctrine:

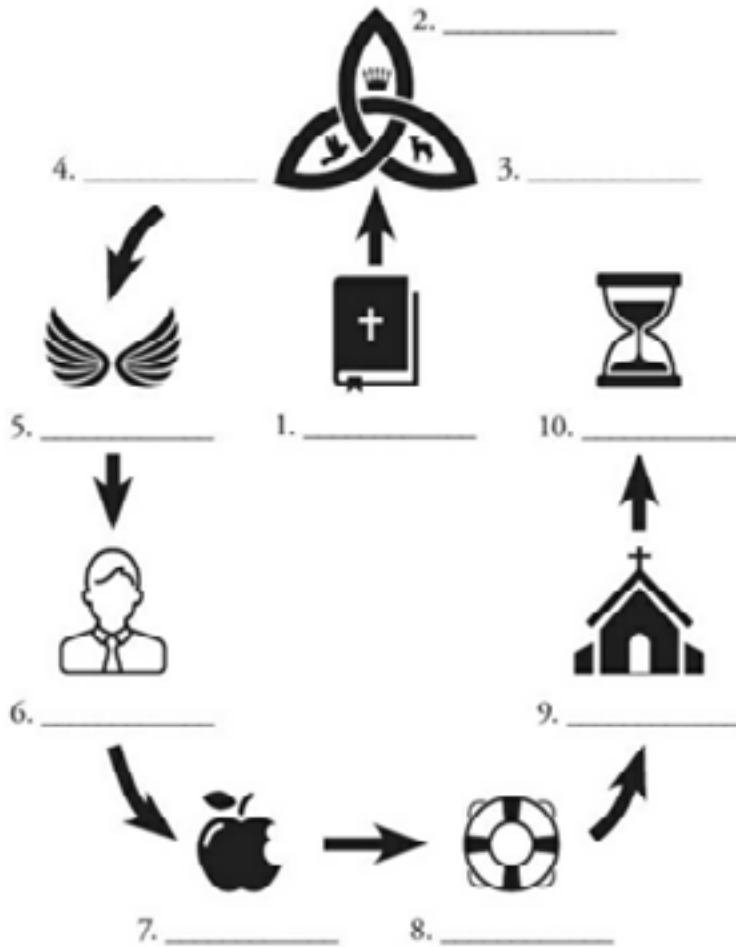
- To help us \_\_\_\_\_ what the whole Bible says.
- To help us overcome our \_\_\_\_\_.
- To help us put the \_\_\_\_\_ together.
- To help us \_\_\_\_\_.

### 10 Great Doctrines of the Bible:

1. \_\_\_\_\_: The origin and nature of the Scriptures.
2. \_\_\_\_\_: The first person of the Trinity.
3. \_\_\_\_\_: The second person of the Trinity.
4. \_\_\_\_\_: The third person of the Trinity.
5. \_\_\_\_\_: The reality of the spirit world.
6. \_\_\_\_\_: The origin, nature and destiny of humanity.
7. \_\_\_\_\_: The nature of man's offense against God.
8. \_\_\_\_\_: The afterlife, heaven and hell, and whether or not it is safe to die.
9. \_\_\_\_\_: The body of organized believers.
10. \_\_\_\_\_: Future events, the end of the world and eternity.



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### A Classic Passage

Luke 24: Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ to His Followers

- The disciples on the road to Emmaus were \_\_\_\_\_ about Jesus.
- The resurrected Jesus taught them what \_\_\_\_\_ said concerning himself.
- Jesus appeared to a larger gathering of his followers, \_\_\_\_\_.
- Jesus calls his followers to be his \_\_\_\_\_ and he promises them the power to be \_\_\_\_\_.

### A Step to Grow

- This week identify a bible topic about which you want to learn more. Fill in the blank:  
I want to study what the Bible says about ... \_\_\_\_\_. Start to gather Bible passages that speak to this topic.

### Looking Ahead

- Next week we study the first of the 10 Greatest Doctrines of the Bible: What the Bible says \_\_\_\_\_.