Class Schedule

~~Week 1: Missions? The goal is the glory of God.~~

~~Week 2: Why missions? A Biblical theology~~

~~Week 3: The justice of Hell and the need for conscious faith in Christ.~~

~~Week 4: The role of the local church in missions.~~

~~Week 5: Suffering~~

~~Week 6: History of missions~~

~~Week 7: Unreached people groups and movement thinking in missions~~

~~Week 8: Contextualization and gospel proclamation~~

~~Week 9: Short-term missions: Their nature and usefulness~~

~~Week 10: Doing missions in a restricted-access country~~

Week 11: Taking the gospel around the world from here at home

Week 12: Getting "here" to "there" – steps to moving out in missions

Week 13: Capitol Hill Baptist's Vision for Missions

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Core Seminars – Christian Growth
Missions: Doing missions from here at home
Week 11 – March 20, 2022

Big question: How can we engage in cross-cultural evangelism in DC?

1. **Why Get Involved?**
    a. Scripture
        i. Matthew 28:18-20
        ii. Acts 1:8
        iii. Luke 10:25-37
    b. Our ministry to internationals here serves as an indicator of what our ministry might look like there

2. **What opportunities do we have?**

3. **How do we get started?**
    a. Prioritize regularity/consistency
    b. Leave room in your schedule
    c. Right-size expectations
    d. Be open about your sins

e. Introduce them to your family, church, and friends

f. Demonstrate a willingness and interest to learn more about their beliefs, family, history, etc.

g. Don't be afraid to talk about Jesus

h. Beware of heated debates

i. Pray for Gospel opportunities and for fruit

4. How can our local church help?

a. Get to know members of CHBC from different cultural backgrounds

b. Seek out those who are more comfortable reaching out to internationals

c. Engage members of the opposite gender

d. Limited in time? Get others involved!

e. Involve members in events and in prayer

5. How do we equip ourselves for ministry to internationals?

a. Know the Gospel

b. Build a vision for “all nations”

c. Read international news

d. Learn about your friend’s country, culture, and religion

e. Talk to members and missionaries about your friend’s culture and religion

6. What specific opportunities/needs do we have right now?

a. Church ministries

i. International Student Ministries (Chris Morgan)

ii. Afghan refugee ministry (Michael and Becky Reeb)

iii. Short-Term Missions trips

7. Conclusion