

January 13, 2015

Dear brother/brethren:

The second semester of the 2014-2015 graduate-level classes--the **MSOP** **O**ngoing **S**piritual **T**raining program--at the Memphis School of Preaching is upon us. On Thursday, January 22, 2014, the classes will resume focusing on advanced canonical studies, the Gospel account of John, and the "church fathers."

While these classes are offered to alumni of MSOP for a graduate diploma beyond the two-year program, they are open to anyone who may be interested in gaining a more thorough knowledge and understanding of God's Word. As in the past, there is no charge for these classes, one does not have to have been a part of these classes or the two-year program in the past, nor does one have to participate in all three. New this year is the opportunity to take these classes on-line (please see [www.msop.org](http://www.msop.org) for details). These classes, taught by experienced teachers who have become acquainted with these subjects over many years, will run through April 23, 2015.

Enclosed, please find the schedule of classes containing a brief overview of each as well as other supplementary information. We would ask that the schedule be announced in the local congregation and that members in general--but especially preachers, elders, Bible class teachers, etc.--be encouraged to attend. Also, please post the schedule and this letter on your bulletin board.

Thanks you for your consideration in this matter; we hope to see you and other brethren who hunger for the Word of God and, together, to make the M.O.S.T. out of this opportunity to be mutually benefitted by the Word of God!

In Him,

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