

Giving a Reason Schedule

Date	Topic
1-Feb	Introduction to apologetics
8-Feb	The existence of God
15-Feb	The problem of exclusionary claims of Christianity (There can't be just one true religion)
22-Feb	The problem of evil and suffering (How can a good God allow this?)
1-Mar	The problem of absolutism and truth (Christianity is a straightjacket)
8-Mar	The problem of perceived injustice in Christianity (The church is responsible for so much injustice)
15-Mar	The problem of hell and eternal judgment (How can a loving God send people to Hell?)
22-Mar	The problem of the Bible as authoritative (You can't take the Bible literally)
29-Mar	Making a distinction between religion and the gospel
5-Apr	Easter (no class)
12-Apr	The problem of science vs Christianity
19-Apr	The problem of identity: Who am I?
26-Apr	The problem of personal freedom, free will, and determinism
3-May	Biblical ethics: introduction
10-May	Biblical ethics: Beginning of life and abortion
17-May	Biblical ethics: Bioethics and end of life
24-May	Biblical ethics: Marriage and sexual morality
31-May	Biblical ethics: Divorce and remarriage
7-Jun	Biblical ethics: Homosexuality and gender dysphoria
14-Jun	Biblical ethics: Civil government, the believer, and the church
21-Jun	Biblical ethics: Capital punishment; war
29-Jun	Biblical ethics: Discrimination, racial and otherwise