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SPD 593 Credo I

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Required Texts	Fischer, W. <i>Alternatives</i> . Unity Village, Unity Books, 1980 Laughlin, P.A. <i>Remedial Christianity</i> . Santa Rosa, CA Polebridge Press, 2000
Other Required Reading	Handouts
Recommended Reading	Marion, J. <i>The death of the mythic god</i> , Charlottesville, VA Hampton Roads

Course Description

This course will engage the students in a process of examining their formative factors, their belief about the nature of God and the nature of humankind and the relationship between the two

Learning Objectives







Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:

1. Articulate their current understanding of God, humankind and the relationship between God and humankind, in both verbal and written format, to both a Unity-based and non-Unity audience.
2. Explain the differences between traditional Christianity and Unity “normative” teachings

The above learning objectives partially fulfill the following program outcomes for the Master of Divinity and the Certificate in Unity Ministry.:

MD-1 and C1 Spiritual and Personal Development: Demonstrate a pattern of holistic growth in personal and spiritual consciousness.

Final Grade Determination:

92 -100 A		73--76% C
90--92% A-		70--72% C-
87--89% B+		67--69% D+
83--86% B		63--66% D
80--82% B-		60--62% D-
77--79% C+		<60% F

1. **Assignments** – On paper which will be read and discussed by a Credo Committee

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