

Mini Paper on Creeds
Due January 30

While we are working on “critical thinking” in class, please be working on this mini-paper to set out next round of discussions.

Go to www.creeds.net.

Now that you are there, notice “The Creed of Nicaea” and the “The Nicene Creed.” Scroll down a little more and you will see the Definition of Chalcedon. Scroll down more and see the Athanasian Creed.

Each of these were a response in an effort to combat a heresy or define a doctrine truth. The website will give you enough information to get you started as to what the problem was all about.

Select one of the creeds and briefly discuss the heresy or idea that was being addressed.
How did the church fathers seek to settle the issues?
What is significant about the wording chosen?

Your paper should be more than two pages but less than three pages and [follow the style guidelines](#) and be in essay format. Please document with in-line citations and a works cited page at the end.

Here is the grading rubric:

Format (adheres to style guidelines)	10 pts
Documentation (scripture chapter and verses, sources)	10 pts
Evaluation of the problem	10 pts
Evaluation of the solution	20 pts
Total Points	50 pts.

Style Guidelines

http://www.drbuzz.org/Doctrine/style_requirements.pdf