- 1) Give the fine-tuning argument. Explain the observer selection effect, and the multiverse objection.
- 2) What is the difference between the global argument from evil and the local argument from evil? Give an example of each, and a response to each.
- 3) Compare and contrast van Inwagen's version of the argument from hiddenness and Anderson's version of the same argument. Which is better, and why?
- 4) What is Rea's solution to the argument from hiddenness? Does he intend the solution as a theodicy or a defense, and why?
- 5) The main question Crisp is trying to answer is: what is the source of justification for the belief that the Bible is divinely inspired? What is his answer? Give and defend one objection to it, and discuss how Crisp might respond.
- 6) Kleinschmidt considers two arguments that atheists can't pray the Intentionality Argument and the Might Argument. Pick the one you think is best, and (i) give the argument, (ii), give Kleinschmidt's response, and (iii), give and defend one objection to Kleinschmidt's response.
- 7) What is the puzzle Rettler is trying to solve in "Control over Faith"? What is her solution? Give and defend one objection to it.
- 8) What is Buckareff and Plug's argument that God will provide opportunities for people in hell to escape? Give and defend one objection to the argument.
- 9) What is the puzzle of petitionary prayer? What two solutions do the Howard-Snyders give? Give and defend an objection to one of them, and discuss how the Howard-Snyders might respond.
- 10) What is the puzzle of petitionary prayer? What is Parker and Rettler's solution to it? Give and defend one objection to it, and discuss how Parker and Rettler might respond.