

School of Theology: Prescribed Texts for Subjects in Second Semester 2022

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BIBLICAL STUDIES

THL100	Intro to Bib Languages	<p>No prescribed textbook. Accordance software is used.</p> <p>Recommended text Mark L. Strauss, <i>The Biblical Greek Companion for Biblical Software Users</i>. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2016.</p>	Keith McPherson & Jeanette Matthews
THL106/409	Intro New Testament Studies	<p>Study version of the New Testament.</p> <p>Mark Allan Powell, <i>Introducing the New Testament: A Historical, Literary, and Theological Survey</i>, second edition (Baker Academic, 2018).</p> <p>Plus either:</p> <p>Bruce W. Longenecker, <i>The Lost Letters of Pergamum: A Story from the New Testament World</i>, second edition (Baker Academic, 2016)</p> <p>or</p> <p>Warren Carter, <i>Seven Events the Shaped the New Testament World</i> (Baker Academic, 2013).</p>	David Neville
THL209	Wisdom And Worship Traditions	<p>Balentine, Samuel E. <i>Wisdom Literature</i>. Core Biblical Studies. Nashville: Abingdon, 2018.</p> <p>Chalmers, Aaron. <i>Exploring the Religion of Ancient Israel: Prophet, Priest, Sage and People</i>, Downer's Grove: IVP, 2012</p>	Jeanette Mathews

THL301	Hebrews and Epistles	Study version of the New Testament. Karen H. Jobes, <i>Letters to the Church: A Survey of Hebrews and the General Epistles</i> (Zondervan, 2011).	David Neville
THL517	Advanced Biblical Exegesis	No prescribed textbook.	D. Neville

SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY

THL113/461	Being the Church	Pickard, Stephen K., <i>Seeking the Church: An introduction to Ecclesiology</i> . London: SCM Press, 2012. Stone, Bryan P. <i>A Reader in Ecclesiology Ashgate Contemporary Ecclesiology</i> . Farnham: Ashgate, 2012.	J. Service
THL211/THP404	Ecological Theology	No prescribed textbook.	Mario Baghos
THL215/407	Jesus the Christ	Veli-Matti Kärkkäinen. <i>Christology A Global Introduction. Second Edition</i> . Grand Rapids, Michigan: Baker Academic, 2016. *Note: Only purchase the Second Edition. Saint Athanasius. <i>On the Incarnation</i> . Introduction by C S Lewis. GLH Publishing, 2018.	J. Service
THL326/493	Theological Ethics	No prescribed textbook.	Amy Erickson

THL512	Cont Theol in Global Context	No prescribed textbook.	Mario Baghos
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CHURCH HISTORY

THL132/419	The European Reformations	<p>Wallace, Peter G. <i>The Long European Reformation: Religion, Political Conflict, and the Search for Conformity, 1350–1750</i>. 3rd edition (London: Red Book/Macmillan, 2019).</p> <p>Please ensure that you purchase the <i>third</i> edition. An ebook version is also available to purchase online.</p> <p>MacCulloch, Diarmaid. <i>Reformation: Europe's House Divided, 1490–1700</i> (London: Penguin, 2003).</p> <p>It should be noted that some publishers have published this book under a different title, <i>The Reformation: A History</i>. The content of both books is the same, however, so you can purchase either.</p>	M. Gladwin
THL330	Global Christianity Since 1700	Hastings, Adrian (ed.). <i>A World History of Christianity</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: W. B. Eerdmans, 2000.	M. Gladwin
THL315/440	Anglican Foundations	No set textbook.	Brian Douglas
THL533	Philosophy Religious History	<p>Bebbington, David. <i>Patterns in history: a Christian perspective on historical thought</i>. 4th edition. Waco, Texas: Baylor University Press, 2018.</p> <p>Please ensure that you purchase the <i>fourth</i> edition, which has significantly revised and updated the previous editions.</p>	M. Gladwin

PRACTICAL THEOLOGY

THL120/491	Practical Theology	<i>Required Text:</i>	A. Erickson
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		<p>Henri Nouwen, <i>In the Name of Jesus: Reflections on Christian Leadership</i>, Crossroads: New York, 2015.</p> <p><i>Recommended Text:</i></p> <p>Thompson, Judith. <i>SCM Studyguide to Theological Reflection</i> (2nd edn). London: SCM Press, 2019</p>	
THL228, MIN428	Pastoral Care	<p>No prescribed textbooks.</p> <p>Two <i>recommended</i> textbooks (both available in hardcopy and as an eBook):</p> <p>Geldard, K. & Geldard, D. (2008). <i>Personal counselling skills: An integrative approach</i>.</p> <p>Springfield: Charles C Thomas. Doehring, C. (2015). <i>The practice of pastoral care: A postmodern approach</i>. rev & expanded ed. Louisville: Westminster John Knox.</p>	Dirk van Doreene
THL320/469	Homiletics	<p>Paul Scott Wilson: <i>The Practice of Preaching, Revised Edition</i>. Abingdon Press: Nashville, 2007.</p>	Andrew Cameron
THL238/438	Mission, Evangelism & Apologetics	<p>There will be two textbooks –</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The primary textbook will be Christopher Wright, <i>The Mission of God's People</i>, Zondervan, 2010. It is available in eBook form. 2. A secondary textbook is Stan Nussbaum, <i>A Reader's Guide to Transforming Mission</i>, Orbis Books, 2005. This will be required for some parts of the course. <p>N.B. Students however should be encouraged to have access to the classic book by David Bosch, <i>Transforming Mission</i>, Orbis Books, 1991 (republished in 2010) rather than just relying on the Readers' Guide. However, one of the usual assessment tasks is a Book Review so students will need a recent</p>	Trevor Edwards

		Australian book as well – Sam Chan, <i>Evangelism in a Skeptical World</i> , Zondervan, 2018. It is available as an eBook.	
THL242	New Relig Mvt & Alt Spiritualities	Dawson, L.L. (2006). <i>Comprehending cults: The sociology of new religious movements</i> (2 nd ed.*). New York, OUA.	Bernard Doherty

MINISTRY

THL525	Professional Supervision 2	<p>“Supervision in the Helping Professions”, (5th Edition), Hawkins, Peter and McMahon, Aisling; Open University Press, McGraw-Hill Education, London, 2020</p> <p>“Pastoral Supervision, A Handbook”, (2nd edition), Jane and Paterson, Michael; SCM Press, London, 2015</p>	Peter Williams
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COUNSELLING

THL434	Spiritual Direction	<p>Barry, W. A., & Connolly, W. J. (2009). <i>The practice of spiritual direction</i> (2nd Revised ed.). New York, NY: HarperCollins. Kindle version available.</p> <p>Sheldrake, P. (2013). <i>Spirituality: a brief history</i> (2nd ed.). Chichester, West Sussex: Wiley- Blackwell. (Available as an e-book via Primo)</p> <p>Also recommended:</p> <p>Pickering, S. (2008). <i>Spiritual direction: a practical introduction</i>. Norwich: Canterbury Press. (Available as an e-book via Primo)</p>	Jane Foulcher
THL435	Applied Pastoral Theology	Purves, A. (2001). <i>Pastoral theology in the classical tradition</i> . Louisville: Westminster John Knox. (available in hardcopy and as an eBook)	Dirk Van Doorene

		<p>Woodward, J. & Pattison, S. (2000). <i>The Blackwell reader in pastoral and practical theology</i>. Carlton, VIC: Blackwell Publishing. (only available as a hardcopy)</p> <p>Recommended text:</p> <p>Doehring, C. (2015). <i>The practice of pastoral care: A postmodern approach</i>. rev & expanded ed. Louisville: Westminster John Knox.</p>	
THL520	Advanced Pastoral Counselling	<p>Balswick, J., King, P. E., & Reimer, K. (2016). 2nd Edn. <i>The reciprocating self: Human development in theological perspective</i>. Downers Grove Illinois: InterVarsity Press.</p> <p>Maynard, E, A., and & Snodgrass, L. (2015). <i>Understanding pastoral counseling</i>. New York: Springer.</p>	Sharon Van Doorene
THL523	Pastoral Counselling Prof Prac	<p>Creaner, M. (2013). <i>Getting the Best Out of Supervision in Counselling and Psychotherapy: A Guide for the Supervisee</i>. London: SAGE Publications, Limited.</p>	Nicky Lock