School of Theology: Prescribed Texts for Subjects in Session 2 2024

The School of Theology does not order its texts through the Cooperative Bookshop as they are relatively small numbers. Rather, you need to find your own texts through bookshops or online. Note that many texts are now e-books in the CSU Library and some texts may be available as digital books through Kindle etc.

Bachelor of Theology, Graduate Diploma of Theology, and Master of Arts (Theological Studies) Subjects

	BIBLICAL LANGUAGES				
THL 100	Introduction to Biblical Languages	No prescribed text. We will be teaching the subject using Accordance Bible Software.	Jeanette Mathews & Marie-Louise Craig		
		Highly recommended: Accordance "Learner" or "Discoverer" Collection. This software will be available at a substantial discount rate for enrolled students			
THL 204/443	New Testament Greek 2	Duff, Jeremy. The Elements of New Testament Greek. 3 rd Edition. Cambridge: CUP, 2005.	Marie-Louise Craig		
		Aland, Kurt et al (Eds) <i>Novum Testamentum Graece</i> . 28th Edition . Deutsch Bibelgesellshaft, 2012.			

	BIBLICAL STUDIES				
THL 106/409	Introduction to New Testament	(prescribed)	David Neville		
	Studies	Powell, Mark Allen, Introducing the New Testament: A Historical, Literary, and Theological Survey, 2nd Edition. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2018.			
		NRSV Study Bible			
		(recommended)			
		Longenecker, Bruce W., <i>The Lost Letters of Pergamum: A Story from the Ancient World</i> , 2nd Edition. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2016.			
		Carter, Warren. Seven Events that Shaped the New Testament World. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2013.			
THL 209	Old Testament Wisdom and Worship	Yee, Gale A., Page, Hugh R., & Coomber, Matthew J. M. Wisdom, Worship and Poetry Fortress Commentary on the Bible Study Edition. Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 2016.	Jeanette Mathews		
THL 301	Hebrews and the General Epistles	(prescribed)	David Neville		

		Jobes, Karen H. <i>Letters to the Church: A Survey of Hebrews and the General Epistles.</i> Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2011.	
		(recommended)	
		Craddock, Fred A. et al. <i>The New Interpreter's Bible, Volume XII (Hebrew to Revelation)</i> . Nashville: Abingdon, 1994.	
		SYSTEMATIC & PRACTICAL THEOLOGY	
THL 113/461	Being the Church	Pickard, Stephen K. Seeking the Church: An Introduction to Ecclesiology. London: SCM Press, 2012.	Jacqueline Service
		Stone, Bryan P. A., A Reader in Ecclesiology. Aldershot: Ashgate, 2012. (This book is available as an e-book through the CSU library website)	
THL 120/491	Introduction to Practical Theology	No prescribed text.	Amy Erickson
		(recommended)	
		Thompson, Judith. SCM Studyguide to theological reflection. London: SCM Press, 2008.	
THL211/THP404	Ecological Theology (TBC)	Moltmann, J. God in Creation: An ecological doctrine of creation. London: SCM Press, 1985 (also published by Fortress Press, 1993)	Chris Baghos
THL 215/407	Jesus the Christ	Karkkainen, Veli-Matti, <i>Christology: A Global Introduction</i> , 2 nd Edition. Grand Rapids: Baker Academic, 2016.	Jacqueline Service
		Saint Athanasius the Great Of Alexandria. On the Incarnation: Greek Original and	
		<i>English Translation</i> . Introduction by C.S. Lewis. Louisville: GLH Publishing, 2018.	
		NB. This is the best of the recent print editions. Students should avoid the online versions (including free at "Christian Classics Ethereal Library") and various Kindle	
		editions because they are older and make the assessment task more difficult	
THL228/MIN428	Pastoral Care	(recommended)	Dirk VanDoorene
		Doehring, C. <i>The Practice of pastoral care: A postmodern approach</i> . Louisville: Westminster John Knox, 2015.	(UTC distance)
		Geldard, K. & Geldard, D. <i>Personal Counselling Skills: An integrative approach</i> . Charles C. Thomas, 2007.	
THL238/438	Mission, Evangelism and	Wright, C. <i>The Mission of God's People</i> . Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2010	Trevor Edwards
•	Apologetics	Chan, S. <i>Evangelism in a Sceptical World</i> . Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2018.	
THL 315/440	Anglican Foundations	No prescribed text.	Brian Douglas

THL320	Homiletics	(prescribed)	Ali Robinson
		Merida, Tony. The Christ-Centered Expositor: A Field Guide for Word-Driven Disciple Makers. Nashville: B & H Publishing Group, 2016. (This book is available as an e-book through the CSU library website)	
		(Recommended)	
		Eswine, Zack. <i>Preaching in a Post-Everything World</i> . Grand Rapids: Baker Books, 2008.	
		Keller, Timothy. <i>Preaching: Communicating Faith in and Age of Skepticism</i> . New York: Viking, 2015.	
		Lloyd-Jones, Martyn. Preachers and Preaching. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1971.	
THL326/493	Theological Ethics	You will be assigned a book to review for one of your assessments - please be in touch with your lecturer.	Amy Erickson
THL362/532	Doing Theology on Indigenous Australian Countries	(prescribed)	Geoff Broughton
		Budden, C. Following Jesus in Invaded Space: Doing Theology on Aboriginal Land. Eugene: Pickwick, 2009.	
		Strehlow, T.G.H. Journey to Horseshoe Bend. Sydney: Giramondo, 2015	
		(recommended)	
		Augustine, S. The Land is not Empty: Following Jesus in dismantling the doctrine of discovery. Herald Press, 2021	
		Heffeman, M. Gathering Sticks; Lighting up small fires. Alice Springs: IAD Press, 2018	
		Latz, P. Blind Moses: Aranda man of high degree and Christian evangelist. Alice Springs: IAD Press, 2014	
		Turner, M.K. <i>Iwenhe Tyerrtye: What it means to be an Aboriginal person</i> . Alice Springs: IAD Press, 2017	
		Wallace, K.K. Listen Deeply, let these stories in. Alice Springs: IAD Press, 2013	

CHURCH HISTORY				
THL 132/419	The European Reformations	Wallace, Peter G. The Long European Reformation: Religion, Political Conflict, and the Search for Conformity, 1350–1750, 3rd edition . London: Palgrave, 2019. [please ensure that you purchase the third edition]	Michael Gladwin	
		McCulloch, Diarmaid. <i>Reformation: Europe's House Divided, 1490—1700.</i> London: Penguin, 2003 (It should be noted that some publishers have published		

		this book under a different title, <i>The Reformation: A History</i> . Both books are substantially the same, however, so you can purchase either)	
THL 315/440	Anglican Foundations	No set text.	Brian Douglas
THL330/THP400	Global Christianity Since 1700	Hastings, A. (Ed). A World History of Christianity. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1999	Michael Gladwin

Master of Pastoral Counselling Subjects

THL428	Pastoral Counselling: Grief and Loss	Worden, J.W. <i>Grief Counselling and Grief Therapy: A handbook for the mental health practitioner</i> . 5 th edition. New York: Springer Publishing Co., 2018.	Kim Taylor
THL433	Pastoral Counselling: Mental Health and Trauma	 Hungerford, C. (2020). Mental Health Care, 4th edition. Melbourne: Wiley. Note: This is published as an e-book with interactive features. Older versions of this are available as an e-book in the CSU library, but as you will realise they are no longer current. Other recommended texts: 	Sue Olds
		 Sanders, P. and Hill, A.(2014). Counselling for Depression: A Person-Centred and Experiential Approach to Practice, London: Sage. Mason, K. (2014). Preventing Suicide: A Handbook for Pastors, Chaplains and Pastoral Counselors. Downers Grove: IVP Books. 	
THL434	Spiritual Direction	 Sheldrake, Philip. Spirituality: A Brief History. 2nd Edition. Chichester: Wiley-Blackwell, 2013. Barry, William A. & Connolly, William. The Practice of Spiritual Direction. 2nd Edition. New York: Harper Collins, 2009. 	Jane Foulcher
THL435	Applied Pastoral Theology	 (Prescribed) Bellous, J. E. and Sheffield, D. Conversations that change us: Learning the arts of theological reflection. 2nd Edition Tall Pine Press, 2017. Volf, M. & Croasmun, M. For the Life of the World: Doing theology that makes a difference. Ada: Brazos Press, 2019 (Recommended) 	Geoff Broughton

		Banks, R. <i>Transforming daily work into a divine vocation</i> . Eugene: Cascade Books, 2022.	
		Peterson, E.H. Five smooth stones for pastoral work. Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 1980.	
		Williams, R. Being Human: Bodies, minds, persons. London: SPCK, 2018.	
		Woodward, J. & Pattison, S. <i>The Blackwell Reader in Pastoral and Practical Theology.</i> Chichester: Blackwell, 2000.	
THL530	Social Research Methods in Pastoral Studies	Clark, T., Foster, L., Sloan, L. & Bryman, A. <i>Bryman's Social Research Methods</i> . 6th edition . Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2021.	Jenni Greig

Master of Theology Subjects

THL530	Social Research Methods in Pastoral Studies	Clark, T., Foster, L., Sloan, L. & Bryman, A. <i>Bryman's Social Research Methods</i> . 6th edition. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2021.	Jenni Greig
THL533	The Philosophy of Religious History	 Bebbington, David. Patterns in history: a Christian perspective on historical thought. 4th edition. Waco: Baylor University Press, 2018. Please ensure that you purchase the fourth edition. 	Bernard Doherty

Master of Ministry/Graduate Certificate of Professional Supervision (Pastoral) Subjects

MIN403	Christian Chaplaincy in Context	(prescribed)	Mark Layson
		Swift, Christopher; Cobb, Mark.; Todd, A.; Hughson, Thomas; Kaye, Bruce; Percy, Martyn, <i>A handbook of chaplaincy studies: Understanding spiritual care in</i> <i>public places.</i> New York: Routledge, 2016	
		(recommended)	
		Gladwin, Michael, Captains of the soul: A history of Australian Army Chaplains. Newtown: Big Sky Publishing, 2013.	
MIN406	Group and Peer Supervision	(prescribed)	Geoff Broughton
		Carroll, M. & Gilbert, M.C. On being a supervisee: Creating learning partnerships.	
		2 nd edition. Melbourne: PsychOz Publications, 2011.	
		Paterson, M. & Crumlish, L. Group Supervision: Notes for beginners. Institute for	
		Pastoral Supervision and Reflective Practice, 2022.	

		(recommended)	
		Birch, J. Coaching Supervision Groups: Resourcing Practitioners. New York:	
		Routledge, 2022.	
MIN525	Professional Supervision 2	Hawkins, P. & McMahon, A. Supervision in the Helping Professions. 5 th edition. New York: McGraw Hill, 2020.	Nicola Lock
		Leach, J. & Paterson, M. <i>Pastoral Supervision: A Handbook</i> . 2nd edition . London: SCM Press, 2013.	
MIN540	Approaches to Enquiries in Ministry	Clark, T., Foster, L., Sloan, L. & Bryman, A. <i>Bryman's Social Research Methods</i> . 6th edition. Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2021.	Jenni Greig