

BIBLE

BIBLE 1101-4399. SPECIAL STUDIES.

Special courses not a part of the regular schedule but offered on an irregular basis.

Prerequisite: Dean's consent.

One to six semester hours

BIBLE 1303. INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT.

An introductory survey of the Old Testament with special attention to the institutions, religious and national life of the Hebrews. Fall, Spring, Summer.

Prerequisite: None.

Three semester hours

BIBLE 1304. INTRODUCTION TO THE NEW TESTAMENT.

An introductory survey of the New Testament, including its background, the Gospels, the Acts and Epistles and the Apocalypse. Fall, Spring, Summer.

Prerequisite: None.

Three semester hours

BIBLE 3311. LIFE AND TEACHINGS OF JESUS.

A careful study of the life and teachings of Jesus based on the gospels. Special attention will be given to the philosophical, historical, and literary background to the first century A.D. Fall, odd years.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304 and either BIB 3391 or consent of instructor.

Three semester hours

BIBLE 3321. LIFE AND LETTERS OF PAUL.

A careful study of the life and letters of Apostle Paul including the philosophical, historical and theological background to first century Christianity. Spring, odd years.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304 and either BIB 3391 or consent of instructor.

Three semester hours

BIBLE 3391. BIBLICAL INTERPRETATION.

A study of the principles of Biblical interpretation and the application of these principles to selected portions of the Bible. Fall.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304.

Three semester hours

BIBLE 4311. OLD TESTAMENT POETRY.

A study of the poetical portions of the Old Testament with emphasis on Job, the Psalms, and Proverbs. Attention will be given to the literary aspects, the message and the interpretation of these books. Spring, odd years.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304 and either BIB 3391 or consent of instructor.

Three semester hours

BIBLE 4321. INTERBIBLICAL PERIOD.

A study of the background and texts of the Apocryphal/Deuterocanonical books of the Interbiblical period. Attention will be given to their relationship to the canonical texts. Fall, odd years.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304, and either BIB 3391 or consent of instructor.

Three semester hours

BIBLE 4331. HEBREW PROPHETS.

An intensive study of the Old Testament Prophetic Books: Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel and the twelve minor prophets. Attention is given to the historical and literary contexts, the message, and the interpretation of these books. Fall, even years.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304, and either BIB 3391 or consent of instructor.

Three semester hours

BIBLE 4341. GENERAL EPISTLES.

A careful study of the epistles of James, Peter, Jude, and the Epistle to the Hebrews. Special attention will be given to the historical background of each epistle. Spring, even years.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304 and either BIB 3391 or consent of instructor.

Three semester hours

BIBLE 4351. JOHN AND HIS WRITINGS.

An intensive study of the background, content, purpose, and theology of the Fourth Gospel and the Johannine epistles. Emphasis will be given to the historical context of these writings. Fall, even years.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304 and either BIB 3391 or consent of instructor. Three semester hours

BIBLE 4361. REVELATION.

An intensive study of the content and doctrinal teachings of the book of Revelation. Special attention will be given to its historical background and relationship to Jewish apocalyptic literature. Spring, odd years.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304 and either BIB 3391 or consent of instructor. Three semester hours

BIBLE 4381. THE PENTATEUCH.

An intensive study of the first five books of the Bible. Attention is given to the historical and literary contexts, the message, and the interpretation of these books. Spring, even years.

Prerequisite: BIB 1303, 1304 and either BIB 3391 or consent of instructor. Three semester hours