



Fall 2022 Course Catalog

BIBLE 101 - Biblical Study and Interpretation

This course is an introduction to the best practice methods for biblical study and interpretation. This includes a focus on the historical, cultural, literary, and geographical context of a given passage. The student will learn to apply sound exegetical methods in relation to topics such as textual criticism, genre issues, and contextualization. Introduction to Bible study tools and Bible software will also be covered. The course will be structured with weekly readings, discussion boards, and quizzes. Students will also select a hermeneutically challenging passage and perform written assignments throughout the semester that will build towards a final exegetical paper.

Fall 2022 Course Details:

Days and Times:	Mondays from 4pm-7pm
Location:	Hope Community Church in Ypsilanti, Michigan. Room 105.
Meeting Dates:	08/29/2022 – 12/12/2022. Lab Day Holiday: 09/05/22
Course Tuition:	\$119

Required Reading Materials:

- Basic Bible Interpretation, Roy B. Zuck, ISBN: 978-0781438773
- How to Read the Bible for All Its Worth, Gordon D. Fee, ISBN: 978-0310517825

Course Instructors:

- Professor: Rick Deitering
- Teaching Staff: Daniel Manwiller
 - o Instructor Profile: Rick Deitering earned his master's in theological studies from Michigan Theological Seminary and Moody Theological Seminary. Rick has served in many Christian ministry capacities including as a lay pastor and as host of a Christian radio talk show. Rick has also co-taught many classes with Dr. Gene Mayhew who has been a mentor and close associate to Rick.
 - o Instructor Profile: Daniel Manwiller earned his bachelor's in electrical engineering and his master's in electrical and computer engineering from the University of Michigan. During his time at the University of Michigan, he served as an undergraduate instructional assistant and later as a graduate student instructor for an engineering design course. He currently works in an engineering role and

serves in various ministry roles at Hope Community Church. Additionally, he is pursuing a master's in biblical studies from Moody Theological Seminary.

Theology 101 - Christian Theology I

This course covers 3 main topics in relation to Christian Theology: The Doctrine of the Word of God, The Doctrine of God, and The Doctrines of Christ and the Holy Spirit. Class time will consist of lectures on these various topics. Evaluation will be based on completion of the assigned reading material, chapter review questions, a mid-term examination, a final examination, and a final project (6-8 page paper on aspects of a personal statement of faith).

Fall 2022 Course Details:

Days and Times: Mondays from 7pm-10pm
Location: Hope Community Church in Ypsilanti, Michigan. Room 105.
Meeting Dates: 08/29/2022 – 12/12/2022.
Lab Day Holiday: 09/05/22
Course Tuition: \$119

Required Reading Materials:

- Bible (ESV, NIV, HCSB, CSB, NAS, NET, NKJV, or KJV)
- Systematic Theology, 2nd Edition (2020), Wayne Grudem, ISBN: 978-0-310-51797-9
- Systematic Theology Workbook (2020), Wayne Grudem, Brianna Smith, Erik

Thoennes, ISBN: 978-0-310-11407-9

Course Instructors:

- Professor: Jon Navarre
- Teaching Staff: Daniel Manwiller
 - o Instructor Profile: Jon Navarre is a husband, father, friend, business professional, speaker, and shepherd. Jon likes to take walks, read, cook, and study God's Word. Jon received his B.S. in Geology and Geophysics from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, and his Master of Divinity from Moody Theological Seminary-Michigan. Jon lives, works, and serves in the Metro Detroit area.
 - o Instructor Profile: Daniel Manwiller earned his bachelor's in electrical engineering and his master's in electrical and computer engineering from the University of Michigan. During his time at the University of Michigan, he served as an undergraduate instructional assistant and later as a graduate student instructor for an engineering design course. He currently works in an engineering role and serves in various ministry roles at Hope Community Church. Additionally, he is pursuing a master's in biblical studies from Moody Theological Seminary.

BIBLE 110 - Old Testament I: Historical Literature

This course surveys the narrative literature of the Old Testament, stretching from Genesis to Esther. Students will not only engage with the historical plot of the Old Testament, but dive into the theological themes that weave throughout these books. The class will also emphasize motifs of Christ that find their seeds in the Old Testament, coming to fruition in the New. Students will learn how applicable the Old Testament is to their current ministry setting and find avenues of application for their life. Student learning will be evaluated based on weekly quizzes, a midterm and final exam, and a final exegetical paper.

Fall 2022 Course Details:

Days and Times: Thursdays from 4pm-7pm
Location: Hope Community Church in Ypsilanti, Michigan. Room 105.
Meeting Dates: 09/01/2022 – 12/15/2022.
Thanksgiving Holiday: 11/24/22
Course Tuition: \$119

Required Reading Materials:

- The Essence of the Old Testament: A Survey, Ed Hinson and Gary Yates, ISBN: 978-1433677076
- Rose Book of Bible Charts, Maps, and Time Lines, ISBN: 978-1596360228

Course Instructors:

Professor: Paul Manwiller
Teaching Staff: Daniel Manwiller

- o *Instructor Profile:* Paul Manwiller grew up in Anchorage, Alaska. He went to the University of Michigan and later Wayne State University to earn his bachelor's in education. He went on to earn his Master of Divinity from Trinity Evangelical Divinity School in Deerfield Illinois. He has been a pastor for over 30 years first in a bush village in Alaska and then in church planting efforts in the Detroit area. Since 1993, he has served as the founding pastor of Hope Community Church in Ypsilanti Michigan.
- o *Instructor Profile:* Daniel Manwiller earned his bachelor's in electrical engineering and his master's in electrical and computer engineering from the University of Michigan. During his time at the University of Michigan, he served as an undergraduate instructional assistant and later as a graduate student instructor for an engineering design course. He currently works in an engineering role and serves in various ministry roles at Hope Community Church. Additionally, he is pursuing a master's in biblical studies from Moody Theological Seminary.

GREEK 101 - Introduction to Biblical Greek

This course is part one of the study of elementary Biblical (Koine) Greek. Our purpose is to enable the student to gain a thorough knowledge of the first half of Bill Mounce's grammar and to be able to begin using the Greek New Testament and related tools. In this course, the student will learn how to read the Greek New Testament out loud, will learn the most common 200 words in the Greek NT, will be able to recognize word forms based on their suffixes and prefixes, and will be able to use Greek dictionaries, commentaries, and software tools. In addition, some common pitfalls will be pointed out so that the student will avoid common errors in handling the Greek text.

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Meeting Dates: 09/01/2022 – 12/15/2022.
 Thanksgiving Holiday: 11/24/22
Course Tuition: \$119

Required Reading Materials:

- Bible or Bible app. You may use the translation of your choice.
- Basics of Biblical Greek, Fourth Ed., William D. Mounce, Zondervan.
- Basics of Biblical Greek Workbook, Fourth Ed., William D. Mounce, Zondervan
- A Greek New Testament, either an Android or iOS app, or a print edition. Examples:
 - Greek New Testament Reader SBLGNT, Android app, free.
 - A Reader's Greek New Testament, Third ed.
- OPTIONAL: The "Learn Biblical Greek Pack 2.0" at christianbook.com contains the two required textbooks plus other helpful resources like a box of vocabulary cards and vocabulary audio.

Course Instructors:

- Professor: Dr. Matt Postiff
- Teaching Staff: Daniel Manwiller
 - o Instructor Profile: Matt Postiff was raised in Chelsea, Michigan, and attended the University of Michigan where he received a B.S.E., M.S.E, and Ph.D. in computer science and engineering. Sensing God's call to ministry, he took up studies at Detroit Baptist Theological Seminary where he received the Master of Divinity and Master of Theology degrees. He was able to teach introductory Hebrew there as well. He has pastored Fellowship Bible Church in Ann Arbor since 2006. He is married to Naomi, and they share three sons.
 - o Instructor Profile: Daniel Manwiller earned his bachelor's in electrical engineering and his master's in electrical and computer engineering from the University of Michigan. During his time at the University of Michigan, he served as an undergraduate instructional assistant and later as a graduate student instructor

for an engineering design course. He currently works in an engineering role and serves in various ministry roles at Hope Community Church. Additionally, he is pursuing a master's in biblical studies from Moody Theological Seminary.