

Graduate Courses Book List

COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	INSTRUCTOR	BOOKS
BIB5003	History & Literature of the Early Christians	James Johnson	Duvall, J. Scott., & Hays, J. Daniel. 2012. <i>Grasping God's Word: A Hands-on Approach to Reading, Interpreting, and Applying the Bible (3rd ed.)</i> . Grand Rapids: Zondervan. ISBN 0310492572 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Tenney, Merrill C. 1985. <i>New Testament Survey</i> . Grand Rapids: Wm. B. Eerdmans. ISBN 0802836119 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
BIB5013	History & Literature of Ancient Israel	Jennifer Butts	DeRouchie, Jason S. 2013. <i>What the Old Testament Authors Really Cared About: A Survey of Jesus' Bible</i> . Grand Rapids: Kregel Publications. ISBN 978-0825425912
			Segraves, Daniel L. 2008. <i>Reading Between the Lines: Discovering Christ in the Old Testament</i> . Hazelwood, MO: Word Aflame Press. ISBN 978-1567227277 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
BIB5115	Bible Study Methods & Tools	Paul Elder	<i>The Essential IVP Reference Collection: The complete Electronic Bible Study Resource—CD-ROM</i> . Grand Rapids: InterVarsity Pres, 2008. <i>(Either version is fine, but 3.0 is recommended; available for PC and Mac)</i> . ISBN 978-0830824472 [Other electronic Bible resources, such as Logos and e-Sword, are acceptable.]
			Fee, Gordon and Douglas Stuart. 2003. <i>How to Read the Bible for All Its Worth, 3rd Edition</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan. ISBN-13: 978-0310246046 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Strong, James. 2010. <i>The New Strong's Exhaustive Concordance of the Bible</i> . Nashville, TN: Thomas Nelson. ISBN 978-1418541699. You may utilize a current version of your choice. This is also accessible at www.biblestudytools.com.
BIB5303	Matthew	Paul Baumeister	Charette, Blaine. 2000. <i>Restoring Presence: The Spirit in Matthew's Gospel</i> . London: Sheffield Academic Press. ISBN 978-1841270593
			Kraybill, Donald. B. 2011. <i>The Upside-Down Kingdom</i> . Scottsdale, PA: Herald Press. ISBN 978-0836195132 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
BIB5773	Apocalyptic Literature	Ted Erskine	Barnstone, Willis. 2005. <i>The Other Bible</i> . New York: HarperOne. ISBN-13: 978-0739484340
			Mack, Burton L. 1994. <i>The Lost Gospel: The Book of Q and Christian Origins</i> . San Francisco: HarperOne Publishers. ISBN-13: 978-0060653750 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i> .
			Shanks, Hershel. 1993. <i>Understanding the Dead Sea Scrolls: A Reader from the Biblical Archaeology Review</i> . New York: Vintage. ISBN 978-0679744450. <i>(or ASIN: B007002PO2 for Kindle version 2012 edition)</i>
BIB6333	Johannine Epistles	Jeremy Wilbanks	Kysar, Robert. 2007. <i>John, The Maverick Gospel (3rd Edition)</i> . Louisville, KY: Westminster John Knox Press. ISBN 978-0664230562 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Kysar, Robert. 1986. <i>ACNT 1, 2, 3 John</i> . Minneapolis, MN: Augsburg Publishing ISBN 978-0806688626
			Ridderbos, Herman. 1997. <i>The Gospel of John: A Theological Commentary</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans Publishing Co. ISBN 978-0802804532 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
BIB6463	Ephesians	Jeremy Wilbanks	Snodgrass, Klyne. 1996. <i>The NIV Application Commentary: Ephesians</i> . Grand Rapids: Zondervan. ISBN: 978-0310493402. <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Thielman, Frank. 2010. <i>Ephesians. Baker Exegetical Commentary on the New Testament</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Baker. ISBN: 978-

			0801026836
CHM5173	Leadership Theology of Human Spirituality	Nathaniel Wilson	Nee, Watchman. 2000. <i>The Release of the Spirit</i> . Indianapolis: Sure Foundation Publishers. ISBN 978-0935008838 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Wilson, Nathaniel J. 2003. <i>Ultimate Leadership: The Defining Moment</i> . Sacramento: Reach Worldwide, Inc. ISBN 978-0971773912 InsigniaBooks.com/store
CHM5320	Vision: Knowing Through Seeing	Nathaniel Wilson	Friedman, Edwin H. 2007. <i>A Failure of Nerve: Leadership in the Age of the Quick Fix</i> . New York: Seabury Books. ISBN 978-1596270428 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Wildavsky, Aaron. 2005. <i>Moses as Political Leader</i> . Jerusalem: Shalem Press. ISBN 978-9657052310
CHM5873	Leadership Theology of Mission	Nathaniel Wilson	Kaiser, Jr., Walter. C. 2008. <i>The Promise-Plan of God</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan Publishing. ISBN 978-0310275862 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Stronstad, Roger. 2012. <i>The Charismatic Theology of St. Luke. 2nd Edition</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Academic. ISBN-13: 978-0801048586 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Wilson, Nathaniel. J. 2009. <i>Rightly Dividing the Word</i> . Sacramento, CA: Insignia Publications. ISBN 978-0982391204 InsigniaBooks.com/store
CHM6303	Transforming Conflict & Crisis in Ministry	Daniel Blash	Barthel, Tara Klena, and David V. Edling. 2012. <i>Redeeming Church Conflicts: Turning Crisis into Compassion and Care</i> . Grand Rapids: Baker Books. ISBN: 978-0801014284 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Rosenberg, Marshall B. 2015. <i>Nonviolent Communication: A Language of Life, 3rd Edition</i> . Encinitas, Calif.: Puddle Dancer Press. ISBN-13: 978-1892005281 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Steinke, Peter. 2006. <i>How Your Church Family Works: Understanding Congregations as Emotional Systems</i> . Herndon, Virg.: Alban Institute. ISBN 978-1566993296 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Wilmot, William, and Joyce Hocker. 2013. <i>Interpersonal Conflict. 9th ed</i> . New York: McGraw Hill. ISBN 978-0073385136 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
CHM6373	Leadership Theo of Process & Action	Nathaniel Wilson	Bach, Richard. 2014. <i>Jonathan Livingston Seagull</i> . New York: Scribner. ISBN 978-1476793313 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Bolman, Lee G. & Deal, Terrence E. 1984. <i>Modern Approaches to Understanding and Managing Organizations</i> . San Francisco: Jossey Bass. ISBN 978-0875895925
			Cashman, Kevin. 2008. <i>Leadership from the Inside Out: Becoming a Leader for Life. 2nd ed</i> . San Francisco, CA: Berrett-Koehler Publishers. ISBN 978-1576755990. (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Wheatley, Margaret J. 2006. <i>Leadership and the New Science: Discovering Order in a Chaotic World</i> . San Francisco: Berrett-Koehler Publishers. ISBN 978-1576753446 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
CNS5270	Principles of Soteric Counseling	Beth Baus	Baus, Beth. 2009. <i>Christian counseling: "How to" Guide to Compassionate Christian Care</i> . Riverside, CA: Our Healthy Families. ISBN 978-098252400
			Chapman, Gary. 2010. <i>The Five Love Languages: The Secret to Love That Lasts</i> . Chicago, IL: Northfield Publishing. ISBN13-978-0802473158 (<i>Available in Kindle</i>)
			Hightower, James. 1999. <i>Caring for People from Birth to Death</i> . New York: Haworth Pastoral Press. ISBN13-978-0789005724

			(Available in Kindle)
CNS5271	Counseling Principles for Financial Stewardship	Charity Hall	Alcorn, Randy. 2003. <i>Money, Possessions, and Eternity</i> . (Rev. ed.). Carol Stream, IL: Tyndale House Publishers. ISBN 978-0842353601 (Available in Kindle)
			Ramsey, Dave. 2013. <i>The Total Money Makeover: A Proven Plan for Financial Fitness</i> . Wheaton, IL: Nelson Books. ISBN 978-1595555274 (Available in Kindle)
			Womack, Andrew. 2012. <i>Financial Stewardship</i> . Tulsa, Ok: Harrison House, Inc. ISBN-13: 978-1606834008 (Available in Kindle)
CNS5272	Counseling Principles for Grief and Loss	Karissa King	Hayford Bauer, Rebecca. 2014. <i>Life After Grief: Choosing the Path to Healing</i> . Ventura, CA: Regal. ISBN 0830767835 (Available in Kindle)
			James, John.W. & Friedman, Russell. 2002. <i>When Children Grieve: For Adults to Help Children Deal with Death, Divorce, Pet Loss, Moving, and Other Losses</i> . New York: HarperCollins Publishers. ISBN 0060084294 (Available in Kindle)
			Oates, Wayne E. 1997. <i>Grief, Transition, and Loss: A Pastor's Practical Guide (Creative Pastoral Care and Counseling)</i> . Minneapolis, MN: Augsburg Fortress. ISBN 0800628640 (Available in Kindle)
			Rainer, Jackson. 2013. <i>Life After Loss: Contemporary Grief Counseling and Therapy</i> . Eau Claire, WI: PESI Publishing and Media. ISBN 1936128462 (Available in Kindle)
CNS5273	Principles of Couples Counseling	Karissa King	Eggerichs, Emerson. 2004. <i>Love and Respect</i> . Nashville, TN: Thomas Nelson Publishing. ISBN 13: 978-1591451877 (Available in Kindle)
			Thomas, Gary. 2015. <i>Sacred Marriage</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan. ISBN-13: 978-0310337379 (Available in Kindle)
CNS5274	Sexual Purity in the 21st Century	Jason Carr	Arterburn, Stephen and Ethridge, Shannon. 2009. <i>Every Woman's Battle: Discovering God's plan for Sexual and Emotional Fulfillment</i> . Colorado Springs, CO: WaterBrook Press. ISBN 978-0307457981 [for female students only] (Available in Kindle)
			Arterburn, Stephen, Stoeker, Fred, and Yorkey, Mike. 2000. <i>Every Man's Battle: Winning the War on Sexual Temptation One Victory at a Time</i> . Colorado Springs, CO: WaterBrook Press. ISBN978-0307457974 [for male students only] (Available in Kindle)
			Driscoll, Mark. 2009. "Porn Again Christian". Mars Hill Church. [available as a free online eBook]
			Gilkerson, Luke. 2013. "Your Brain on Porn". Owosso, MI: Covenant Eyes. [available online-link in course]
			Gilkerson, Luke., et all. 2012. "Porn Free Church". Owosso, MI: Covenant Eyes. [available online-link in course]
			Gilkerson, Luke., et all. 2012. "Parenting the Internet Generation". Owosso, MI: Covenant Eyes. [available online-link in course]
			Laaser, Mark. 2004. <i>Healing the Wounds of Sexual Addiction</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan. ISBN 310256577 (Available in Kindle)
CNS5803	Pastoral Care: Ethics & Boundaries	Beth Baus	MacArthur, John.1997. <i>The Power of Integrity: Building a Life Without Compromise</i> . Wheaton, Ill.: Crossway. ISBN-10: 0891079424 (Available in Kindle)
			Milco, Michael. 1997. <i>Ethical Dilemmas in Church Leadership: Case Studies in Biblical Decision Making</i> . Grand Rapids: Kregel. ISBN 0825431972 (Available in Kindle)

			Rivers, Francine. 2012. <i>The Atonement Child</i> . Carol Stream, Ill.: Tyndale House. ISBN-10: 1414370644 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Swetland, Kenneth. 2005. <i>Facing Messy Stuff in the Church: Case Studies for Pastors and Congregations</i> . Grand Rapids: Kregel. ISBN 978-0825436963
CNS5813	Pastoral Care: Listening & Assessing	Karissa King	Justes, Emma J. 2006. <i>Hearing Beyond the Words: How to Become a Listening Pastor</i> . Nashville: Abingdon. ISBN 978-0687494996 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Nichols, Michael. 2009. <i>The Lost Art of Listening</i> . 2nd ed. New York: Guilford Press. ISBN 978-1592859862 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Peterson, James. 2007. <i>Why Don't We Listen Better? Communicating and Connecting in Relationships</i> . Portland: Peterson Publications. ISBN 978 0979155901 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Savage, James. 1996. <i>Listening and Caring Skills in Ministry: A Guide for Groups and Leaders</i> . Nashville: Abingdon. ISBN 978-0687017164 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
CNS6403	Family Crisis & Conflict	Daniel Blash	Covey, Stephen R. 2012. <i>The 3rd Alternative: Solving Life's Most Difficult Problems</i> . New York: Free Press. ISBN-13: 978-1451626278 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Lieberman, David J. 2003. <i>Make Peace with Anyone</i> . New York: St. Martin's Griffin. ISBN-13: 978-0312310011 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Sande, Ken. 2004. <i>The Peacemaker: A Biblical Guide to Resolving Personal Conflict</i> . (3rd ed.) Grand Rapids, MI: Baker. ISBN: 978-0801064852 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Susek, Ron. 1999. <i>Firestorm: Preventing and Overcoming Church Conflicts</i> . Grand Rapids: Baker. ISBN: 0801090911 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
CNS6413	Couples Counseling	Jason Carr	Adams, Jay E. 1986. <i>The Christian Counselor's Manual: The Practice of Nouthetic Counseling</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan. ISBN 978-0310511502 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Ensey, Jerry R. <i>Before You Say "I Do."</i> Willis, TX: Advance Ministries. ISBN: 0757708854. <i>(Please visit this website to order: www.advanceministries.org)</i>
			Harley, Jr., Willard F. 2011. <i>His Needs, Her Needs: Building an Affair-Proof Marriage, Fifteenth Anniversary Edition</i> . Ada, MI: Revell. ISBN-13: 978-0800719388
			Thomas, Gary. 2015. <i>Sacred Marriage</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan. ISBN-13: 978-0310337379 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
ICS5073	Preparing short-Term Missions	Stephen Allard	Elmer, Duane. 2006. <i>Cross-Cultural servanthood: Serving the world in Christ-like humility</i> . Downers Grove, IL: Intervarsity Press. 189 pp. ISBN: 978-0830833788 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Livermore, David. 2006. <i>Serving with eyes wide open: Doing short-term missions with cultural intelligence</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Baker. 165 pp. ISBN: 978-0801015199 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Priest, Robert J. 2008. <i>Effective engagement in short-term missions: Doing it right!</i> Pasadena, CA: William Carey Library. 446 pp. ISBN: 978-0878080052 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Kirk, J. Andrew. 2000. <i>What is mission?: Theological explorations</i> . Minneapolis, MN: Fortress Press. 273 pp. ISBN: 9780800632335 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
ICS5203	World Religions	Stephen Allard	Earhart, H. Byron. 1992. <i>Religious Traditions of the World</i> . San Francisco: HarperCollins Publishers. ISBN 978-0060621155
			Halverson, Dean. C. 1996. <i>The Compact Guide to World Religions</i> . Minneapolis: Bethany House Publishers. ISBN 978-1556617041

			Hiebert, Paul G., R Daniel Shaw, and Tite Tienou. 1999. <i>Understanding Folk Religion: A Christian Response to Popular Beliefs and Practices</i> . Grand Rapids: Baker Books. ISBN 978-0801022197 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Smith, Huston. 2009. <i>The World's Religions</i> . New York: HarperOne. ISBN 978-0061660184 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
ICS5573	Developing a Culture of Missions	Kelly Nix	Allen, Roland. 2011. <i>Missionary Methods: St. Paul's or Ours</i> . Mansfield Centre, CT: Martino. ISBN 978-1-61427-037-9 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Nix, Kelly. 2015. <i>Intercultural Communication in Business</i> . San Antonio, TX. CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform. ISBN 9781506145334 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Pollock, David and Van Reken, Ruth. 2009. <i>Third Culture Kids: Growing Up Among Worlds</i> . Boston, MA: Nicholas Brealey America. ISBN 978-1-85788525-5 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Yohannan, K. P. 2004. <i>Revolution in World Missions: One Man's Journey to Change a Generation</i> . Carrollton, TX: GFA Books. ISBN 978-1-59589-061-0
ICS6373	Global Missions & Revival	Paul Bauemeister	Dempster, Murray, Klaus, Byron, and Peterson, Douglas. 1991. <i>Called and Empowered: Global Mission in Pentecostal Perspective</i> . Peabody, MA: Hendrickson Publishers, Inc. ASIN: B009G1PFRC <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Hodges, Melvin and Bueno, John. 2009. <i>The Indigenous Church: Including the Indigenous Church and the Missionary</i> . Springfield, IL: Gospel Publishing House. ISBN-13: 978-0882438108 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Flora, Cornelia Butler. 1976. <i>Pentecostalism in Colombia: Baptism by Fire and Spirit</i> . New Jersey: Associated University Presses, Inc. ISBN-13: 978-0838615782
MIN5733	Current Issues in Pentecostal Ministry	Dean Anderson	Borra, Kuwatt. 2010. <i>Apostolic and Post-Apostolic Water Baptism. (Vol. 1)</i> . Xlibris, Corp. ISBN 978-1450075541
			Rivers, Francine. Any edition. <i>And the Shofar Blew</i> . Wheaton, IL: Tyndale House Publishers, Inc. ISBN 978-0842365833 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Ryken, Leland. 2002. <i>The Word of God in English</i> . Wheaton, IL: Crossway Books. ISBN 978-1581344646 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
MIN5780	Residency: Challenges to Nurturing Growth	Nathaniel Wilson	Bakke, Raymond. 1997. <i>A Theology as Big as the City</i> . Downers Grove, IL: IVP Academic. ISBN 978-0830818907 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			DePree, Max. 2004. <i>Leadership is an Art</i> . New York: Currency. ISBN 978-0385512466 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Greenleaf, Robert. 2002. <i>Servant Leadership: A Journey Into the Nature of Legitimate Power and Greatness</i> . Mahwah, NJ: Paulist Press. ISBN 978-0809105540 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Rutz, James. 2011. <i>Megashift</i> . World Net Daily. ISBN 978-1936488827
SPT5203	Balancing Ministry and Personal Life	Beth Baus	Hart, Archibald, D. 1995. <i>Adrenaline and Stress</i> . Wheaton, Ill: Tyndale House Publishers. ISBN 978-0849936906 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Horner, David. 2008. <i>A Practical Guide for Life and Ministry: Overcoming 7 Challenges Pastors Face</i> . Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Books. ISBN 978-0801091957 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
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			DeYoung, Kevin. 2013. <i>Crazy Busy: A (Mercifully) Short Book about a (Really) Big Problem</i> . Crossway Books, ISBN-10: 1433533383 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
SPT6403	Handling Personal Temptations	Jason Carr	Owen, John. 2006. <i>Overcoming Sin and Temptation</i> . Wheaton, IL: Crossway. ISBN 978-1581346497. <i>(Available in Kindle)</i>
			Rose, Shirley. 2006. <i>The Eve Factor: Resisting and Overcoming Temptation</i> . Colorado Springs, CO: NavPress. ISBN 1576838188
			Ryken, Philip Graham. 2011. <i>King Solomon: The Temptations of Money, Sex and Power</i> . Wheaton, IL: Crossway. ISBN-13: 978-1433521546 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i> .
THE5213	Church History	Jeremy Painter	Bernard, David. K. 1995. <i>A History of Christian Doctrine. (Vol. 2). The Reformation to the Holiness Movement A.D. 1500-1900</i> . Hazelwood, MO: Word Aflame ISBN-13: 978-1567221879
			Gonzalez, Justo L. 2010. <i>The Story of Christianity, Vol. 2: The Reformation to the Present Day</i> . New York: HarperCollins ISBN 978-0061855894 <i>(Available in Kindle)</i> .
			Pelikan, Jaroslav. 2003. <i>Bach Among the Theologians</i> . Eugene, OR: Wipf & Stock ISBN 978-1597522779