WINTER TERM 2019

REGISTRATION: November 5-9, 2018
CLASS BEGINS: January 8, 2019
FINALS: Feb 6-8, 2019

AP623 UNDERSTANDING COMMERCE, CULTURE, & CONGREGATIONS (1 Credit)
Jan. 8-11, Tues.-Fri. 1:30-4:30 PM, Room 4
This course provides an introduction to “cultural hermeneutics” and methods of interpreting the patterns of everyday life in which congregants dwell. The instruction aims to equip future pastors with various principles and approaches for maintaining a rich, ongoing and multi-dimensional perspective concerning the cultural context in which their congregations are situated. In addition to examining the role of commerce and consumer behavior in shaping culture, particular attention will be focused on how the structure of designed spaces (via the practice of architecture), the drama of daily living (using models of theatre), and the substance of experiences (as expressions of value) shape the patterns of everyday existence.
(This course can be used to fulfill the 1-credit Missions elective requirement for PT511)
Mr. Gilmore.

HT648 COVENANT OF WORKS (1 Credit)
Jan. 22-25, Tues.-Fri. 1:30-4:30 PM, Room 4
A historical survey of the origins, development, and reception of the covenant works from the Inter-testamental period to the 20th century in the Reformed tradition.
Dr. Fesko

NT402 GREEK III (1 Credit)
Jan. 15-31, Tues. & Thurs. 8:00-10:00 AM, Room 5
This course presumes the work of Greek II and includes further introduction to Greek syntax and vocabulary and introduces Greek exegetical skills through reading of selected passages in the Greek New Testament. Prereq., NT401 or placement by examination.
Dr. Baugh

NT521 THE DIVINITY OF JESUS CHRIST IN THE NEW TESTAMENT (1 Credit)
Jan. 15-18, Tues.-Fri. 1:30-4:30 PM, Room 1
Over the last thirty years, a significant number of NT scholars have independently argued for an early and explosive emergence of belief in the divinity of Jesus amongst the earliest Christians. The work of this group of scholars, sometimes referred to as the Early High Christology Club (EHCC), stands in contrast to other positions which have either seen evidence for the divinity of Christ in the NT as slim, or as the product of late development through extraneous pagan influence. This course will consist of four main parts seeking: 1) to evaluate the proposals of some of the leading EHCC scholars (e.g. Bauckham, Hurtado, Tilling et al) about how Jesus’ divinity is communicated by NT authors, 2) to propose a refined model that draws on their work, 3) to survey some of the different ways the NT writers witness to the divinity of Christ and 4) to explore how the Son’s depiction as divine in the NT relates to other key areas of NT theology, in particular, soteriology. Coreq. NT402
Mr. Brennan

OT401 HEBREW II, Sec. 1 (1 Credit)
Jan. 16-Feb. 1, Wed. & Fri. 8:00-10:00 AM, Room 5
Continuation of grammar and vocabulary study. Prereq., OT400 or placement by examination.
Dr. Telfer
OT401 HEBREW II, Sec. 2 (1 Credit)
Jan. 16-Feb. 1, Wed. & Fri. 11:00 AM-1:00 PM, Room 5
Continuation of grammar and vocabulary study. Prereq., OT400 or placement by examination.
Dr. Telfer

PT505 INTRODUCTION TO PASTORAL COUNSELING (2 Credits)
Jan. 8-11, Tues.-Fri. 8:00 AM-3:00 PM, Chapel
An introduction to the pastor’s unique role as a counselor of God’s Word. This course covers a brief history of pastoral counseling, the necessity of equipping the laity of the local church for effective change, the dynamics of biblical change, issues concerning the relationship between body and soul, counseling methodology, and the application of biblical and theological truth to people’s common problems in living, such as guilt, fear/worry, anger, depression, and habitual sin.
Dr. Poirier

PT511 MINISTRY OF WITNESS IN THE WORLD (3 Credits)
Jan. 8-25, Tues.-Fri. 9:00 AM-12:00 PM, Room 1
An introduction to the theology and practice of the communication of the Gospel to unconverted persons, both within our own cultural contexts and among diverse people groups throughout the world. The first three weeks will focus on general evangelism. The fourth unit of this course will be fulfilled by taking either AP623 or PT626.
Mr. Pettengill

PT626 MISSIONS TO MEXICANS ON THE MOVE (1 Credit)
Jan. 29-31, Tues.-Thurs. 1:30-4:30 PM, Room 4
Presenting the living Savior to our neighbors to the south. Topics covered will include a history of Tijuana, cultural and religious distinctives of the border city in particular, Mexico in general, and strategies for effective evangelism.
(This course can be used to fulfill the 1-credit Missions elective requirement for PT511)
Mr. Crum