

**Biblical Theology**  
**Grace Bible Presbyterian Church Fall Bible Course**  
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## **I. Course Description**

This course constitutes an introduction to the practice of biblical theology. It is divided into 3 main sections: (1) An introduction to the idea of biblical theology, (2) the practice of biblical theology, (3) an examination of the importance of biblical theology for the daily life of the Christian.

## **II. Requirements**

Please make every effort to be present for each class. As a Bible study class, it is expected that each of you will need to miss now and then. However, your participation in this class doesn't only impact your benefit but the benefit of the class for others as well.

## **III. Text(s):** The class will use two main texts

Goldsworthy, Graeme. *According to Plan: The Unfolding Revelation of God in the Bible*. Downers Grove, IL: InterVarsity Press, 1991.

Duguid, Iain. *Is Jesus in the Old Testament: Basics of Faith Series*. Phillipsburg, NJ: Presbyterian and Reformed, 2013.

## **IV. Recommended texts:**

*A Biblical-Theological Introduction to the Old Testament: The Gospel Promised*. Wheaton, Illinois: Crossway, 2016.

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## **V. Helpful tools:**

Series on Biblical Theology by D.A. Carson: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rO2ZodTbNdU&index=1&list=PLPwoFK1MBpm5QKYtVOa6EOdcMyRVvZ1gB>

Simeon Trust Lecture on Biblical Theology by G.K. Beale: [http://simeon.org/course/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=153&Itemid=293](http://simeon.org/course/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=153&Itemid=293)

## **VI. Class Schedule**

### **Introduction**

October 4 - Foundations

October 11 - Necessity of Proper Biblical Interpretation, Read Goldsworthy, Chapter 1 and *Jesus in the Old Testament* by Iain Duguid

Theology Lab - Interpretive Examples

### **Biblical Theology in Practice**

October 18 - A Biblical-Theological Interpretation of Genesis, Read Goldsworthy, Chapters 8-11

October 25 - No Class (Reformation Celebration)

November 1 - A Biblical-Theological Interpretation of Genesis continued, Read Goldsworthy, Chapter 12

Theology Lab - An Exercise in Missing the Point

November 8 - Salvation Foreshadowed - Salvation in Exodus, Read Goldsworthy, Chapters 13-17

November 15 - No More Shadows - Transitioning to the New Covenant, Read Goldsworthy, Chapters 18-21

November 22 - Life in the New Creation, Read Goldsworthy, Chapters 22-25  
*Note: Class will meet from 6-7pm due to "Thanksgiving Eve" service.*

November 29 - Practicing Biblical Theology, Part 1, Read Goldsworthy, Chapters 2-4

December 6 - Practicing Biblical Theology, Part 2, Read Goldsworthy, Chapters 5-7

### **Biblical Theology Now and Forever**

December 13- Living in the Story and Looking to Eternity, Read Goldsworthy, Chapters 24-25

Theology Lab - Fiction and Facts about Eternity

