

Bible and Theology Department

"Shaping Servant-Leaders"

— Course Synopsis —

COURSE NUMBER and TITLE: Communicating the Message 1 CREDIT HOURS: 3 SEMESTER: Fall 2020 COURSE DAY/TIME: Wednesday 11:00-1:45 LOCATION: AGTS TBD	INSTRUCTOR: Michael Jaffe, DMin PHONE: 417-865-2815 ext. 8891 OFFICE: AGTS 220 EMAIL: Jaffem@evangel.edu OFFICE HOURS: Monday 1:00-4:00, Tuesday-Thursday 2:00-4:00, Friday 1:00-3:00 or by appointment
<u>REQUIRED TEXT:</u> Klein, Blomberg, and Hubbard. Introduction to Biblical Interpretation. Dallas: Word, 1993. Robinson, Haddon. <i>Biblical Preaching: The Development and Delivery</i> . Grand Rapids: Baker Book House, 2001.	

Course Requirements

Assignments:

In addition to reading the texts, the student will present three exegetical and homiletical outlines, preach two 13-15 minute expository sermons and one 22-25 minute expository sermon (the last sermon without notes). The student will write a one-page review of sermon within a week of preaching. The student will also collect 20 illustrations to add to their supporting material file system. Finally, the student will attend four Zoom lectures.

Explanations

Outline and sermon dates TBD

Expository Sermon Old Testament Narrative with exegetical/homiletical outline: 25% of grade

The student will prepare and deliver a 13-15 minute expository sermon from an Old Testament narrative passage. The student will turn in a detailed exegetical/homiletical outline (6 page minimum). The exegetical portion of the outline should be a minimum of 4 pages and the homiletical portion a minimum of 2 pages. The student will provide a 1 page **quality** self-evaluation by the same day of class on the week following the preached sermon.

**Expository Sermon (Old Testament Wisdom & Poetry)
with Exegetical/homiletical outline: 25% of grade**

The student will prepare and deliver a 13-15 minute expository sermon from Old Testament Wisdom or Poetry text. The student will turn in a detailed exegetical/homiletical outline (6 page minimum). The exegetical portion of the outline should be a minimum of 4 pages and the homiletical portion a minimum of 2 pages. The student will provide a 1 page **quality** self-evaluation by the same day of class on the week following the preached sermon.

**Expository Sermon (Old Testament Prophetic) with
Exegetical/homiletical outline: 40% of grade**

The student will prepare and deliver a 22-25 minute expository sermon from an Old Testament prophetic text. The student will turn in a detailed exegetical/homiletical outline (6 page minimum). The exegetical portion of the outline should be a minimum of 4 pages and the homiletical portion a minimum of 2 pages. The student will provide a 1 page **quality** self-evaluation by the same day of class on the week following the preached sermon.

Illustrations: 10% of grade Illustrations should be taken from real life experiences or stories from history

Course Requirements:

Details on the requirements and an extended bibliography will be a part of the syllabus, which will be available a week prior to class through course commons.