

**Practical Theology Department
Bible and Theology Department**

"Shaping Servant-Leaders"

— *Course Synopsis* —

<p>COURSE NUMBER and TITLE: HOM/BNT 624: Exposition in the Epistles: Hebrews; BGR 627: Studies in General Letters: Hebrews CREDIT HOURS: 3 SEMESTER: Fall 2020 COURSE DAY/TIME: Friday 11:00am- 1:45pm LOCATION: AGTS 227</p>	<p>INSTRUCTOR: Robert Eby, PhD PHONE: 417-865-2815 ext. 8894, or 224-577-9204 OFFICE: AGTS 216 EMAIL: EbyR@evangel.edu OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday-Thursday 10:00-11:30 or by appointment</p>
<p>REQUIRED TEXT:</p> <p>Bateman IV, Herbert W., ed. <i>Four Views on the Warning Passages in Hebrews</i>. Grand Rapids, MI: Kregel Academic & Professional, 2007. ISBN: 978-0825421327.</p> <p>Lane, William L. <i>Hebrews 1-8, Volume 47A</i>. Edited by David Allen Hubbard and Glenn W. Barker. Reissue edition. Zondervan Academic, 2017. ISBN: 978-0310521792.</p> <p>Lane, William L. <i>Hebrews 9-13, Volume 47B</i>. Edited by David Allen Hubbard and Glenn W. Barker. Grand Rapids, Mich.: Zondervan Academic, 2015. ISBN: 978-0310522027.</p> <p>Schenck, Kenneth. <i>Understanding the Book of Hebrews: The Story Behind the Sermon</i>. Louisville, Ky: Westminster John Knox Press, 2003. ISBN: 978-0664224288.</p> <p>Recommended:</p> <p>Cockerill, Gareth Lee. <i>The Epistle to the Hebrews</i>. Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2012. ISBN: 978-0802824929.</p>	

Course Requirements:

1. **Attendance, reading preparation, and participation.** (If students would like to get a head start they should begin by reading Lane: Introduction (xlvii—clv) and read through the entirety of the Book of Hebrews, preferably in one setting (in either the ESV, NASB, or NIV).
2. Three smaller assignments will be required during the course: **book outline, passage diagram, and passage memorization**
3. A **final examination** will be given.
4. A **research paper**, a minimum of 15 pages long (not including bibliography), in the appropriate style, format, and grammar.
5. A **reading record** will be required at the end of the semester.

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.