

BI 306 W ADVANCED HEBREW BIBLE LANGUAGE

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Elective

Open to all students who have had Hebrew Language

1 credit hours; credit/no-credit or letter grade

Course Description:

Designed for students who wish to further their Hebrew competency, this elective course involves reading and translating texts from the Hebrew Bible and discussing pertinent grammatical, syntactical, and interpretive issues.

Course Objectives:

In this course, we engage several of the 12 Pastoral-Diaconal Practices that are critical to the mission and vision of Wartburg Theological Seminary. We engage in the *Practice of Biblical and Theological Wisdom*. We practice *Complex Analysis* and *Curiosity*. We develop the *Practice of Personal Faith and Integrity*. And with texts of so long ago and from the Hebrew world, we engage the *Practice with Cross-Cultural and Global Dimensions* and *Immersion in the Context*. Finally, in the study of the Hebrew Bible, we practice *Being Rooted in the Gospel* and *Missio Dei*.

Procedure:

We will translate and discuss chosen lectionary texts.

Evaluation:

Students will be evaluated on the basis of attendance, translations prepared for class, and participation in class discussions.

Bibliography:

Required:

Biblia Hebraica Stuttgartensia