

## WARTBURG THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY - FALL 2023 SCHEDULE (Initial Version – 25 April 2023)

(NOTE: This Schedule is Subject to Change – Corrections/Additions & Specific Notes in Bold; All schedule times in Central Time Zone;  
Most elective courses are residential/synchronous Zoom only, unless noted; contact instructor first before presuming asynchronous registration.)

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT HRS	DAYS	TIMES		ROOM	INSTRUCTOR(S)
				BEG	END		
[* indicates limited or controlled enrollment at the request of the instructor or school for the purpose of balancing enrollment]		[ & indicates Credit / NoCredit Grade Option Preferred]		[If the course meets on limited days, it is noted on the line AFTER the course listing.]			
<b>BI 103W/E</b>	<b>New Testament Greek Language</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>Please register according to interaction method as instructed here:</b>			
BI 103E	AS Greek Lang – Asynchronous Only			Online	Asynch	Asynch	Online Troftgruben
BI 103W	SY Greek Lang – Synchronous Only			TR	9:00	10:20	113 & Zoom M. Persaud/Giere
<b>Note: Students in the SY section will be divided into at least two groups by the Instructors – a residential section and one (or two) synchronous Zoom section</b>							
BI 192W	L1 Engaging the NT Epistles	3	MW	9:00	10:20	207 & B8	Troftgruben/M.Persaud
BI 202W	L1 Readings in New Testament Greek	1 &	W	3:00	3:50	208	M. Persaud
<b>BI 202W- open to all w/prior Greek language skills (for example, already successfully completed BI 103). Residential/Synchronous Zoom only.</b>							
BI 220W	L1 Hebrew Language 1	2	MW	8:00am	8:50am	M101	M. Persaud
<b>Note: BI 220W is for students new to the Hebrew language; Resid./Zoom</b>							
BI 222W	L1 Hebrew Bible 1	3	MR	1:15	2:35	208 & B8	Giere/Chukka
BI 248W	L1 Biblical Law, Ethics, and Justice	1	R	2:50	3:40	M101	Kang
BI 306W	L1 Advanced Hebrew Language I	1	W	2:00	2:50	208	M. Persaud
<b>Note: BI 306W for those having completed BI 220/225 or previous language study; Contact instructor if you are unsure about your level of previous language study. Residential/synchronous Zoom course only.</b>							
*BI 326W	L1 OT & Rule of Faith (as Adv Bible–HB)	3	MW	9:00	10:20	208	Giere
<b>NOTE: Half of the final-year students will be allowed into this course</b>							
*BI 333W	L1 Ezra & Nehemiah (as Adv Bible–HB)	3	MW	9:00	10:20	318	Chukka
<b>NOTE: Half of the final-year students will be allowed into this course</b>							
HT 105W	L1 The Global Church in Motion 1	3	MR	1:15	2:35	113	Lohrmann/Stache
HT 212W	L1 Lutheran Confessions	3	TR	9:00	10:20	207	Lohrmann/Gilmore
<b>NOTE: Approx. 1/3 of HT 212W will focus toward preaching the Confessions</b>							
HT 260W	L1 Amer. Genocide I: Native Amer Indian	1	R	2:50	3:40	207	Nessan
<b>HT 260W - open to all cohort years; normally residential/Synch. Zoom, but Asynchronous option available if 3 or more students commit to asynchronous</b>							

HT 264W	L1	Rdings in Theol: Luth.-RC Dialogue	1 &	M	3:55	4:45	T301	W. Persaud
<b>HT 264W - open to all cohort years; Resid./Zoom</b>								
HT 267W	L1	Lutheran Ethics	3	T	1:15	3:05	207	Nessan
				R	11:40	12:30	207	Nessan
<b>Note: HT 267 meets both Tuesday and Thursday, with different times each day</b>								
HT 297W	L1	Doctrine of the Trinity	1	R	3:55	4:45	T301	W. Persaud
<b>HT 297W- for 2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; final-year students; Resid./Zoom. Schedule could change depending on availability of interested students</b>								
*HT 356W	L1	Teaching Luther's Small Catechism	1	M	11:40	12:30	207	Lohrmann
<b>HT 356W is an advanced course; can be adapted to meet the MDiv Youth &amp; Family Ministry requirement for those students who are soon graduating. Enrollment limited to 15 students; residential/synchronous Zoom only.</b>								
*HT 396W	L1	Contemporary Crisis-Gospel (Adv.Th.)	3	TR	9:00	10:20	T301	W. Persaud
<b>HT 396W – For half of the final-year MDiv students</b>								
*HT 397W	L1	Christocentric Theology (Adv. Theol)	3	TR	9:00	10:20	208	Yip
<b>HT 397W – For half of the final-year MDiv students</b>								
IN 123W	L1	Diaconal Ministry: Foundation	1 &	T	11:40	12:30	208&Zoom	Yip
<b>IN 123W is Residential/Synchronous Zoom course only.</b>								
IN 127W	L1	MA Colloquium	1 &	T	11:40	12:30	206&Zoom	Taylor
<b>IN 127W is required by all first-semester MA students.</b>								
IN 141W	L1	Jesus Christ and Plural Worlds	2 &	T	1:15	3:05	113	Giere/W. Persaud/Yip
IN 161W	L1	Spiritual Practices 1	0.5 &	W	11:40	12:30	AUD (plenary)	Various Faculty
IN 171W	L1	Fieldwork 1 – Serving the Community	1 &	T	11:40	12:30	113 (plenary)	Nalean-Carlson
*IN 203E	L1	Islam: Intro. Theology & History	1 &	Asynch	Asynch	Asynch	Asynch	Gurbuz Kucuksari
<b>IN 203E open to all cohort years; Online only; A minimum of 5 students needed.</b>								
IN 215W	L1	Community Organizing Training	2 &	T	3:20	5:10	113	Schnell/Marciales
IN 243W	L1	21 <sup>st</sup> Century Leadership	2 &	T	1:15	3:05	B8	Stache/Frambach
IN 261W	L1	Spiritual Practices 3	0.5 &	W	11:40	12:30	AUD (plenary)	Various Faculty
IN 300W	L1	Research Seminar	1 &	M	11:40	12:30	206	Raber
<b>IN 300W is for MDiv students completing a thesis.</b>								
IN 344W	L1	MDiv Integrative Capstone Seminar	3 &	MR	1:15	2:35	207	Gilmore/Staff
IN 361W	L1	Spiritual Practices 5	0.5 &	W	11:40	12:30	AUD (plenary)	Various Faculty
MN 106W	L1	Foundations of Lutheran Worship	3 &	MW	9:00	10:20	113	Schnell

MN 131W	CL	The Preaching Body (as Introduction to Preaching)	1 &	T	3:20	5:10	M101	Gilmore
			NOTE: MN 131W-CL is prioritized toward 1 <sup>st</sup> -Year CL Students, but not limited to that group. Prerequisite: that you have <u>not</u> already completed MN 230W Preaching. <b>Residential and Zoom-Synch. Only.</b>					
MN 131W	DM	Preaching on Boundaries of Church (as Introduction to Preaching)	2 &	F	8:30am	10:20am	M101	Gilmore
			NOTE: MN 131W-DM is prioritized toward MADM Students, but not limited to that group. Prerequisite: that you have <u>not</u> already completed MN 230W Preaching. <b>Residential and Zoom-Synch. Only.</b>					
MN 195W	L1	Rural Plunge Weekend	1 &	<b>FSaSu, Tentatively Nov. 3-5; Off-campus.</b>			Yackel-Juleen	
MN 205W	L1	Topics: Trauma-Informed Worship	1 &	M	2:50	3:40	M101	Schnell/Ohman-Rodriguez
MN 212W	L1	Chanting: "Speaking on Tones"	1 &	R	8:00am	8:50am	Chapel(?)	Pitt
MN 294W	L1	Leadership in Multi-Pt Rural Parishes	1 &	F	11:40	12:30	207	Yackel-Juleen
			<b>For now, MN 294W is a Residential/Synchronous Zoom course only.</b>					
MN 383W	L1	When Faith Hurts: Child Abuse	1 &	R-Sa Intensive		Intensive	208	Vieth/Nessan/Others
			<b>MN 383W is a 3-day intensive taught from Thursday evening, Nov 9, to Approximately 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 11 Residential/Synchronous Zoom course only.</b>					

Additional notes next page.

**REGISTRATION NOTES:**

The Prolog Intensive Week takes place from September 4-8, 2023, and has its own schedule.

MN 195W Rural Plunge – **Tentatively scheduled for November 3-5**, which is a Friday afternoon through Sunday course that travels off-campus. Either MN 195W or MN 294W can fulfill the MDiv Rural Ministry requirement.

Most elective courses are presumed to normally taught as residential face-to-face and Synchronous Zoom courses only. Ask the instructor first about asynchronous participation before registering if not specifically stated (in the schedule or in the course description documents).

**WTS Registration Notes:**

For specifics on any particular course, see the MyWTS Web Portal for course descriptions and the virtual bookstore for books.

WTS courses marked with an asterisk (\*) have enrollment controls placed on them for the specific purpose of balancing registration between sections or between similar courses. These courses are usually for a targeted group of students to meet programmatic requirements, with outside registration possible only by permission of the instructor. The WTS Registrar reserves the right to shift a student to a different section of the same course or to a course that meets the same program requirement in order to meet this request for a balanced enrollment, and will make all efforts to work with the student to resolve conflicts as a result of this requirement.

Many WTS courses have the preferred option of only the Credit/NoCredit (i.e., pass/fail) grade option, and are so indicated by the ampersand (&) symbol. Other courses may have a preferred grading plan (with an alternative option by permission of instructor). See the course descriptions for more information.

Prolog/Intensive Week courses take place on September 4-8, 2023, with orientation for new students and opening worship on Monday and intensive sessions of most required courses from Tuesday through Friday.