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	Prof. Evans			
	A Theology of Christian Counseling: More Than Redemption	Adams	Zondervan	9780310511014
	Instruments in the Redeemer's Hands: People in Need of Change Helping People in Need of Change	Tripp	P & R	9780875526072

CH500	THEOLOGICAL ENGLISH			
	Prof. Lu			
	Theological English	Hibbs, Pierce Taylor, with Megan Riley	(Phillipsburg, NJ: P&R, c. 2018)	9781629956022
	The Shorter Catechism	Westminster Divines	Edinburgh; Banner of Truth, c 1998	9780851512655

Recommended:

	Elements of Style, New Edition	Strunk, William Jr., and E. B. White	Pearson, 4th edition c 1999	9780205309023
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CH610	PATRISTIC & MEDIEVAL CHURCH HISTORY			
	Dr. Whitla			
	The First Thousand Years: A Global History of Christianity	Wilken	Yale Univ. Press	9780300198386
	2000 Years of Christ's Power Part Two: The Middle Ages	Needham	Christian Focus	9781781917794
	Pastoral Theology in the Classical Tradition	Purves	Westminster John Knox	9780664222413

MS620	HISTORY OF MISSIONS			
	Dr. Whitla			
	A Concise History of the Christian World Mission	Kane	Baker	9780801053955
	Churches, Revolutions and Empires	Shaw	Christian Focus	9781845507749

Recommended:

_____	A History of Christian Missions	Neill	Penguin	9780140137637
_____	From Jerusalem to Irian Jaya: A Biographical History of Missions	Tucker	Zondervan	9780310239376
_____	The Missionary Movement in Christian History: Studies in the Transmission of Faith	Walls	Orbis	9781570750595

NT501 Elementary Greek 1 Dr. Stivason

_____	Basics of Biblical Greek Grammar: Fourth edition	Mounce	Zondervan	310537436
_____	Basics of Biblical Greek Workbook: Fourth edition	Mounce	Zondervan	310537479

NT610 NEW TESTAMENT EXEGESIS I Dr. Stivason

_____	New Testament Exegesis: A Handbook for Students and Pastors (3rd edition)	Fee	Westminster John Knox Press	664223168
_____	Textual Criticism of the Bible	Wegner	IVP Academic	97808308227312
_____	Know How We Got our Bible	Reeves, Hill	Zondervan	310537207
_____	Exegetical Gems from Biblical Greek	Merkle	Baker	9780801098772
_____	The Greek New Testament (5th revised Edition)		German Bible Society	1619701391
_____	Reading New Testament Greek	Scott, Dean, Sparks, Lazar	Baker	9780801047657

NT630 ACTS AND PAULINE EPISTLES Dr. Stivason

_____	The Acts of the Apostles: The Greek Text with Introduction and Commentary	Bruce	Eerdmans	9780802809667
_____	Perspectives on Pentecost	Gaffin, Richard	P & R	875522696
_____	Paul: An Outline of His Theology	Ridderbos, H	Eerdmans	9780802844699

OT510 PENTATEUCH Dr. Williams

_____	Handbook on the Pentateuch (2nd Edition)	Hamilton	Baker	9780801027161
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OT601 ELEMENTARY HEBREW I Dr. Williams

_____	Basics of Biblical Hebrew Grammar (3rd Edition)	Pratico	Zondervan	9780310533498
_____	Basics of Biblical Hebrew Workbook (3rd Edition)	Pratico	Zondervan	9780310533559

OT630 WISDOM LITERATURE Dr. Williams

_____	The Christ of Wisdom: A Redemptive Historical Exploration of the Wisdom Books of the Old Testament	Robertson	P & R	9781629952918
_____	The Shadow of Christ in the Book of Job	Williams	Wipf & Stock	9781532608339

OT710 HEBREW READING Lab Dr. Williams

_____	Biblia Hebraica Stuttgartensia (BHS)	<i>(Included in Bibleworks)</i>		9783438052223
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PT510	SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT			
	Dr. Whitla			
	Pastoral Theology Volume 1. The Man of God: His Calling and Godly Life	Albert N. Martin	Trinity Pulpit Press, 2018	9781943608119
	Counsel to Gospel Ministers	John Brown of Haddington	Reformation Heritage, 2017	9781601785305
	Spiritual Culture in the Theological Seminary, Our Seminary Curriculum, The Religious Life of Theological Students, The Purpose of the Seminary, (Articles provided by prof at Moodle)	B.B. Warfield		
	Words to Winners of Souls (various editions)	Horatius Bonar	P&R 1995	9780875521640
	Zeal Without Burnout	Christopher Ash		9781784980214
	The Minister's Self-Watch (provided by prof at Moodle)	C.H. Spurgeon		
	The Reformed Pastor	Richard Baxter	Banner of Truth, 2012	9781848712119
	Jonathan Edwards' Resolutions	Jonathan Edwards	P&R, 2001	9780875521893
PT710	CARE & ADMINISTRATION OF THE LOCAL CHURCH			
	Dr. York			
	Concerning the True Care of Souls	Bucer	Banner of Truth	9780851519845
	Some Pastors and Teachers	Ferguson	Banner of Truth	9781848717893
	The Shepherd Leader	Witmer	P&R	9781596381315
	Pastoral Theology (This book can be viewed online for free)	Murphy	Primedia E-launch LLC	9780615882369
Hitting the Marks	York	Crown & Covenant	9781943017218	
SH710	Preaching from OT Narrative Passages			
	Dr. York			
	Him We Proclaim: Preaching Christ from All the Scriptures	Johnson	P & R Publishing	9781596380547
Preaching Christ in All of Scripture	Clowney	Crossway	9781581344523	
How Sermons Work	Murray	Evangelical Press	9780852347485	
ST501	INTRODUCTION TO REFORMED THEOLOGY			
	Prof. Robinson			
	Covenants Made Simple: Understanding God's Unfolding Promises to His People	Rhodes	P & R	9781596389755
	Truth in All Its Glory: Commending the Reformed Faith	Edgar	P & R	9780875527949
	Calvin: Institutes of the Christian Religion (2 Vol.)	McNeill	Knox	9780664220280
	Westminster Confession of Faith and Catechisms	any edition		
Canons of Dort	any edition			
ST510	DOCTRINE OF REVELATION			
	Dr. Gamble			
	Whole Counsel of God	Gamble	Pres & Ref	9780875521916
	Whole Counsel of God Vol. 2	Gamble	Pres & Ref	9781596381810
	Calvin: Institutes of the Christian Religion (2 Vol.)	McNeill	West. John Knox	9780664220280
Westminster Confession: A Commentary	Hodge	Banner of Truth	9780851518282	

ST610	DOCTRINE OF GOD			
	Dr. Gamble			
_____	Whole Counsel of God, Vol. 1	Gamble	Pres & Ref	9780875521916
_____	Whole Counsel of God, Vol. 2	Gamble	Pres & Ref	9781596381810
_____	Calvin: Institutes of the Christian Religion (2 Vol.)	McNeill	Knox	9780664220280
_____	Westminster Confession: A Commentary	Hodge	Banner	9780851518282
_____	The Doctrine of God	Bavinck	Banner	9780851512556
_____	The Westminster Larger Catechism	Vos	P&R	9780875525143

ST710	DOCTRINE OF HUMAN NATURE			
	Dr. Gamble			
_____	Whole Counsel of God, Vol. 1	Gamble	Pres & Ref	9780875521916
_____	Whole Counsel of God, Vol. 2	Gamble	Pres & Ref	9781596381810
_____	Calvin: Institutes of the Christian Religion (2 Vol.)	McNeill	West. John Knox	9780664220280
_____	Westminster Confession: A Commentary	Hodge	Banner	9780851518282