UNDERGRADUATE COURSE DESCRIPTION

Term: Spring 2015
Instructor: Elijah Mueller
Course #: THEO 2200
Section: 102
Course Title: Bible Through the Ages

Description:

The Bible has been a source of creativity and a wealth of symbolism throughout history. We will look at how early Christians entered into creative dialogue with the Scriptures, with some survey of early Rabbinic Jewish reading practices. We will look at texts, art, hymns and music to see how the important images of God and the human work in the arts of those who found inspiration both theological and artistic in the Bible. We hope, by engaging with these interpretations to be able to see the Bible as culturally and personally alive through a deeper understanding of spirituality and the Bible's Jewish and Christian symbolism.

Students will need to participate in class and online discussions, and do oral reports, as well take 2 exams and write a short paper.