Nebraska Wesleyan University

RELIG 021 Introduction to the New Testament

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Course Description

A survey of the contents of the Christian New Testament. These texts will be studied within the context of the unfolding history of the earliest Christian community as it sought to relate to the Hellenistic-Jewish culture, which gave it birth. Emphasis will be placed upon the literary, historical, and theological issues presented by these ancient texts. The methods, tools, and technical language of scholarly research appropriate to the texts of the Bible will be introduced.

(Normally offered each spring semester.)

Course Hours

3 hours

Departments

1. Philosophy and Religion