

# **2026** *Summer Programs*







# Explore the *Difference Christ Makes to Everything*

Several years ago, Professor J. I. Packer happened to walk by a group of future students getting an introduction to Regent. The presenter flagged him down and asked him to describe what makes Regent special. Dr. Packer thought for a moment. “At Regent,” he said, “we *explore the difference Christ makes to everything*.” This simple statement so perfectly captured the essence of Regent, it’s been shared with incoming students ever since.

*Explore the difference Christ makes to everything.* That’s what we do at Regent. We’d love to see you join us.

**Explore.** Studying theology is about going on an adventure with God, not memorizing facts or completing a checklist. We set out to get to know God better, and we expect to be surprised along the way.

**Difference.** We believe theology makes a real difference. If we’re doing it right, studying theology changes how we think and how we live. As we learn to love and serve God better, we are transformed.

**Christ.** Our ultimate allegiance isn’t to an institution or an abstraction, but to a person. We put Christ at the centre because it is Christ who makes the difference, Christ who makes our journey possible. Jesus is why we’re here.

**Everything.** Theology isn’t just for academics or church leaders—it belongs to all of God’s people. Because Christ makes a difference to everything, theology belongs to everyone. It belongs in every conversation and every corner of human experience. Theology is for all of us and all of life.

We’re here to go on an adventure with God. Your journey won’t look quite like anyone else’s, but you won’t be alone. And when you’re done, you won’t be the same.

If you’re ready for adventure, come explore with us! Explore the difference Christ makes to everything.



## Tuition & Payment

### Tuition:

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**\$545** per onsite credit hour  
**\$565** per online credit hour  
**\$400** per onsite audit hour  
**\$420** per online audit hour

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### Early Bird Discount:

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**Spring Session** (May 11–June 12)  
**Deadline:** May 8 at 4:30 pm

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**Summer Session** (June 29–July 31)  
**Deadline:** June 26 at 4:30 pm

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## Summer Programs at A Glance

- **35+ courses** on Scripture, faith & culture
- 1–2 week intensive courses
- Study **onsite** or **online**
- Study for **credit** or **audit**
- Brilliant, caring faculty from all over the world
- Connect with a vibrant, diverse community
- **Free** events & activities

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*The summer course I took reminded me that asking questions and wrestling with complex issues is not a threat to faith but an expression of it. I was able not only to deepen my knowledge of Scripture, but also to connect with others who are passionate about learning and living out God’s word.”*

**Keara Graham**

### Learn More

To learn more about our Summer Programs and this year’s course offerings, visit [rgnt.net/summer](https://rgnt.net/summer).

### Ready to Register?

Find our step-by-step guide to registration at [rgnt.net/summer-registration](https://rgnt.net/summer-registration).

### We’re Here to Help

Have questions? Contact us at 1-604-224-3245 (toll-free: 1-800-663-8664) or [reception@regent-college.edu](mailto:reception@regent-college.edu).

# Arts

The arts have always held a special place at Regent. Since 1990, the Dal Schindell Gallery has been a place where artists are invited to make meaningful connections between art, theology, and the human condition. For more information, including upcoming events and exhibitions, visit [schindellgallery.ca](http://schindellgallery.ca).

## Devotional Poetry of the 17th Century: Donne, Herbert & Bradstreet

Adrea Johnson

May 18–22 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • ARTS 530

Encounter the presence of God anew in classic works of seventeenth-century devotional poetry. As we explore select poems by John Donne, George Herbert, and Anne Bradstreet, we'll examine themes of spiritual conflict, divine love, and Puritan piety, along with fresh perspectives on prayer and devotion. This course does not require specialist knowledge of English literature—just bring an open mind and a willingness to engage with these beautiful poems.

## Imagination & Spiritual Formation

Lanta Davis

June 29–July 3 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • ARTS/SPIR 517

The imagination is central to our understanding of ourselves and the world around us. In this course, we'll look at how Christians have historically trained their imaginations, and we'll consider how stories, symbols, art, and architecture can form our beliefs, practices, and character. Along the way we'll meet unicorns, dragons, multi-coloured panthers, and many-headed beasts—and discover how all of them can teach us something about our faith.

Within our MATS program, the Christianity and the Arts concentration allows students with arts experience to submit an Integrative Project in the Arts and Theology towards their degree requirements. Visit [rgnt.net/arts](http://rgnt.net/arts) to find out more.

## The Mysterious Manner of Flannery O'Connor

Karen Swallow Prior

June 8–12 • 1:30–4:30 pm • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • ARTS 541

If you find the work of Flannery O'Connor odd and bewildering, you're not wrong! But there's a method to her madness. In this course, we'll look at O'Connor's *Mystery and Manners* essay collection, then dive into some of her best short stories. As we learn about O'Connor's life and faith as expressed in her writing, we'll look to gain fresh perspectives on our own lives and faith.

# Bible

## A Biblical Theology of Race & Ethnicity

Dennis R. Edwards

July 13–17 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • BIBL/WRLD 585

What does the Bible have to say about race and ethnicity? In this course, we'll examine various biblical texts and themes that speak to differences and commonalities among human beings. As we explore how the Scriptures can and should inform our concepts of race and ethnicity, we will consider how biblical theology provides resources for confronting racism, xenophobia, and ethnocentrism in our own contexts.





# Bible

## **The Book of Deuteronomy: Moses Amends the Constitution**

Brent A. Strawn

**July 20–24 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online**  
**1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • BIBL 512**

Positioned at the climax of the Pentateuch, the book of Deuteronomy is perhaps the most important book of the Torah. In this course, we'll explore Deuteronomy as a profound piece of rhetoric that urges its audiences to follow the Lord wholeheartedly. We'll also look at how Deuteronomy both repeats and occasionally revises what came before it, showing that even the "constitution of ancient Israel" can be amended.

## **The Gospel of Mark**

Rikk Watts

**May 18–22 • 8:30 am–4:30 pm • Onsite & Online**  
**2–3 Credits (2 Audit) • BIBL 652**

The Gospel of Mark is known for being short and simple. But it has hidden depths. In this course, careful exegetical study will lead us to a deeper understanding of Mark's Gospel and greater appreciation for its significance in today's world. As we explore recent scholarship on this remarkable book, we'll encounter a high Christology that dates back to the earliest accounts of the gospel story.

## **Jesus in the Gospel Landscape**

Cyndi Parker

**July 6–10 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online**  
**1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • BIBL 556**

This course invites you to encounter Jesus in a new way, informed by the historical, geographical, and cultural contexts that shaped his life. What was it like to grow up in Nazareth or do ministry in Capernaum? What roles did education, synagogues, and Roman domination play in Jewish life? Through questions like these, we'll explore Jesus's life, death, and resurrection, gaining a new appreciation for God's interaction with humanity.

## **Material Culture of Early Christianity**

Bruce W. Longenecker

**July 27–31 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online**  
**1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • BIBL 511**

In this course, we'll look at how Christians in the pre-Constantinian Roman Empire expressed their faith through innovative artistry and left their mark on the archaeological record. After examining some common aspects of early Christian symbolism, we'll take a closer look at specific archaeological artifacts that illustrate how early Christians in Italy, Syria, and Asia Minor expressed their theological convictions through artistic innovations that resonated deeply with their local contexts.

## **New Testament Foundations**

Mariam Kamell Kovalishyn

**May 25–June 5 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online**  
**3 Credits (2 Audit) • BIBL 502**

Discover a passport to the New Testament. Together, we'll explore the message and historical-cultural context of each book and consider what each one contributes to the theology of the New Testament as a whole. With an emphasis on cultivating skills for engaged reading, further study, and practical application, this course offers a model for how to read the New Testament theologically, integratively, missionally, and—above all—wisely.

## **Old Testament Foundations**

Matthew Lynch

**May 11–22 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online**  
**3 Credits (2 Audit) • BIBL 501**

This course offers an orientation to Old Testament literature, theology, and interpretation. Focusing on the historical context, literary shape, and key teachings of each book, we'll consider how to read these diverse texts as part of Christian canon. You'll come away with a new appreciation for the Old Testament as a "living and active" word that speaks powerfully to your Christian life.

# Bible

## Pauline Theology

Douglas Moo

May 25–June 5 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
2–3 Credits (2 Audit) • BIBL 560

The thirteen letters of the Apostle Paul have always played a key role in struggles over what it means to be a Christian. Yet the question of how to read Paul rightly is as contested today as it ever has been. This course will give you an overview of current issues in the interpretation of Paul, a survey of the theology of Paul's letters, and a provisional synthesis of Paul's main lines of teaching.

## Philippians

Michael J. Gorman

July 13–17 • 1:30–4:30 pm • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • BIBL 567

In this course, we'll look at the text, contexts, and theological contributions of Paul's short but immensely influential letter to the early Christian community in Philippi. Through interactive lectures, discussion, and group work, we'll consider what Philippians teaches us about Christology, spirituality, community, unity, and mission. Together, we'll re-discover the significance of this letter for everyone who wants to live the gospel in our conflicted world.

## The Psalms: Pathways for Spiritual Formation

Lissa Wray Beal

May 25–29 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • BIBL 522

What happens when we pray the Psalms? In this course, we'll look at how the Book of Psalms contributes to the spiritual formation of Christians who prayerfully engage with it. In addition to learning from Christian writers through the centuries, we'll consider insights from modern research into how texts affect their readers. Together, we'll expand our understanding of how the Spirit works through the word in our lives.

# En Route

## Into Africa: Exploring Theology & Ministry in Nairobi, Kenya

Diane Stinton

May 23–June 5 • Onsite Only  
3 Credits (3 Audit, Space Permitting) • THEO/WRLD 547

With the dramatic shift of Christianity's demographic centre from the West to the Majority World, Africa has become a nucleus of global Christianity. In this course, we'll explore aspects of African Christianity both intellectually and experientially through exposure to theology and ministry in Nairobi, Kenya. This course is co-taught by Dr. Martin Munyao, an African theologian, and will include local graduate theological students in Nairobi. (Students taking this course for credit will receive priority enrollment.)

## Learning in the Downtown Eastside

Quentin Genuis

June 15–19 • Onsite Only  
3 Credits (No Audit) • APPL 571

Engage in an immersive week of learning in Vancouver's Downtown Eastside. Discover this community's resilience, creativity, and sense of belonging while gaining an understanding of the challenges it faces. As you engage with local residents, leaders, practitioners, churches, and other organizations, you will apply a process of assessment and reflection to come away with insights for a ministry of presence and solidarity.

## Technology, Wilderness & Creation

Craig M. Gay & Julie Lane Gay

July 9–19 • Onsite Only  
3 Credits (No Audit) • INDS 525

Embark on an eight-day voyage through the Gulf Islands in replicas of eighteenth-century boats. Along the way, we'll study the impact of technologies—both traditional and modern—on the Christian life. Join us to row the waves, observe the local wildlife, sleep beneath the stars, and contemplate where our technologies are in sync and at odds with creation. This course is offered in partnership with A Rocha Canada. No previous boating experience required.

# History

## The Bible in Christian History

Jennifer Powell McNutt

July 27–31 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • HIST 509

For two thousand years, the Bible has been on the move, aided by new translations and new technologies alike. In this course, we'll look at key moments and movements in the history of the Bible, including the formalization of Christian Scripture, the role of medieval monasteries and universities, the contributions of Renaissance humanism, the transformative impact of printing, and the pairing of translation and global missions across church traditions.

## Medieval Women & Religion

Beth Allison Barr

June 1–5 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • HIST 527

Take a historical and theological journey through medieval European Christianity from the perspective of women. Together, we'll examine the wide-ranging leadership and theological teaching of women such as Hild of Whitby, Hildegard of Bingen, Julian of Norwich, and Margery Kempe. As we explore the lived faith of abbesses and preachers, mystics and pilgrims, we'll develop a fresh perspective on medieval Christianity as a time when the church did not forget the wisdom of women.

## Rise of Apologetics in the Early Church

D. H. Williams

July 20–24 • 1:30–4:30 pm • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • HIST 580

This course offers an introduction to early Christian apologetic literature—texts defending the Christian faith against its Greco-Roman critics. As we explore key writers and works in this genre, we'll see that apologetic literature was not aimed exclusively at hostile outsiders. It also served as intellectual fortification for Christians, strengthening the church communities that produced it.

# Languages

## Introduction to New Testament Greek I & II

Davinson Bohorquez

June 29–August 11 • 8:30 am–1 pm • Onsite Only  
6 Credits (4 Audit) • LANG 550 & 551

Discover the difference it makes to engage with the biblical text in its original language. In this course, you'll learn vocabulary, grammar, and syntax that will prepare you to read and analyze significant portions of the Greek New Testament by the end of the summer. The intensive course format demands a high level of commitment, but many students find the immersion experience richly rewarding.

## Introduction to Old Testament Hebrew I & II

Drew Lewis

May 11–June 26 • 8:30 am–1 pm • Onsite Only  
6 Credits (4 Audit) • LANG 510 & 511

Prepare yourself for a lifetime of reading the Old Testament in its original language by learning the basic vocabulary, morphology (word forms), and syntax of biblical Hebrew. The intensive course format is demanding but deeply formative. Through reading, writing, listening, speaking, and acting, we'll connect to the language in ways designed to encourage long-term retention and fluency.

## Revive Your Greek & Feed Your Soul

Carolyn Hindmarsh

June 8–12 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • LANG 595

This course invites you to get to know biblical Greek not just with your head, but with your heart. Drawing on monastic traditions of *lectio divina*, Ignatian practices of praying with Scripture, and contemporary insights from Dallas Willard and Eugene Peterson, we'll combine a review of basic Greek grammar and syntax with prayerful meditation, memorization, and personal reflection. Our goal is to develop habits for a lifetime of reading biblical Greek while nourishing our souls.

# Marketplace

## Faith, Work & Economics

Kara Martin & Paul Oslington

June 29–July 3 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online

1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • MARK 561

In this course, we will build a coherent theology of economic and work life. Recognizing that economics has replaced theology as the master language of Western culture, we will consider the complex historical, theological, and scientific issues involved in their relationship. As we look at key economic issues such as tariffs, inflation, inequality, AI, and workism, we'll practice thinking theologically about economic questions and connecting them to discipleship.

## Handling Conflict

Peter Shaw

June 8–12 • 1:30–4:30 pm • Onsite & Online

1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • MARK 524

Every leader and aspiring leader needs to handle conflict effectively. But how? In this course, we'll draw on case studies from Scripture and from the experiences of various Christian leaders to explore a range of possibilities. You'll come away with a better understanding of conflict (including its potential up-sides), greater insight into your own reactions, and various strategies for approaching and handling conflict in the future.

# Ministry

## Cultural Intelligence for a Changing Church

Soong-Chan Rah

July 6–10 • 1:30–4:30 pm • Onsite & Online

1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • APPL/WRLD 566

North American society—and the demographics of the North American church—are changing fast. Churches and ministries need cultural intelligence to meet the needs of those they are called to serve. Yet North American evangelicalism throws up many barriers to the development of multiethnic churches. In this course we'll use insights from socio-cultural exegesis and theological reflection to begin the practice of developing culturally intelligent communities.

## Intercultural Ministry

Paul Kyu-Jin Choi

May 11–August 14 • Online Only (Asynchronous)

3 Credits (3 Audit) • APPL 558

This course examines the theological and missional dimensions of ministry across cultures. We'll engage biblical foundations of cultural diversity and reconciliation; explore dynamics of culture, power, and identity; and consider models for intercultural leadership, hospitality, conflict transformation, peacebuilding, and community formation. Throughout, we'll focus on developing cultural intelligence, humility, discerning leadership, and spiritual formation for the global and multicultural context of today's ministry.

## Bible & Culture in Berlin

Join members of the Regent community in Germany this summer, July 19–25. Presented in partnership with Graduate Impact + IFES and the European Evangelical Alliance, Bible & Culture offers a unique opportunity to learn in community. Spend a week in a relaxed setting just outside Berlin, enjoy excursions into the city, and deepen your faith as you reflect on the relationships between faith, work, and ministry. Study for personal enrichment or

academic credit in one of four exciting courses—including offerings from Research Professors Jeff Greenman and Iwan Russell-Jones. Learn more and register at [bibleandculture.org](http://bibleandculture.org).





## Mission & Peace 한국어 (taught in Korean)

SeongHan Kim

May 11–15 • 8:30 am–4:30 pm • Onsite & Online  
2–3 Credits (2 Audit) • APPL 558

Mission is about more than converting individuals or expanding spiritual territory: it is holistic engagement that seeks the realization of God’s ultimate peace. By looking at the biblical and theological foundations of mission and examining the interpretations and approaches of different Christian traditions, this course aims to help students develop a theology of mission rooted in peace and reconciliation.

이 과목은 특히 평화의 함의에 중점을 두며 하나님의 선교에 대한 포괄적이고 통합적인 이해를 발전시킵니다. 선교는 단순히 개인을 개종시키거나 영적인 영역을 확장하는 것이 아니라, 하나님의 궁극적인 평화 실현을 추구하며 세상에 충체적으로 참여하는 것입니다.

이러한 이해를 뒷받침하기 위해 이 과정은 선교의 성경적·신학적 기초 연구로 시작합니다. 이어 다양한 기독교 전통이 선교를 통해 평화를 추구해 온 방식을 탐구하며, 서로 다른 신학적·실천적 접근법을 조명합니다. 마지막으로 교회와 세상의 관계에 대한 역사적 해석들을 비판적으로 검토함으로써, 학생들이 평화와 화해에 뿌리내린 자신만의 선교 신학을 구축할 수 있도록 합니다.

## Pastoral Ethics

Roger Revell

May 11–August 14 • Online Only (Asynchronous)  
3 Credits (3 Audit) • APPL 630

In this course, we’ll explore a Christian vision of the moral life, with a special focus on pastoral leadership. After looking at theological and ethical foundations, we will consider questions such as: What makes a good pastor? How should pastoral authority be used (and not misused)? How is a pastor different from a therapist? We’ll conclude by looking at a variety of ethical case studies.

## Bring-a-Friend Benefit

Register for a class with 1–2 friends who are new to Regent, and you’ll each receive 1/3 off. Find out more at [rgnt.net/bring-a-friend-benefit](https://rgnt.net/bring-a-friend-benefit).

## Preaching the Unpreachable: Opening Up the “Difficult” Texts of Scripture

Isabelle Hamley

July 27–31 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • APPL/BIBL 523

In preaching and teaching, we tend to gravitate to texts we know well and find easy to understand—texts we’re comfortable with. But what do we do with the rest of the Bible, especially its “difficult” texts? Through an exploration of passages from Judges, Leviticus, Psalms, and Job, we’ll look at how to understand such texts and use them well in life and ministry. Together, we’ll see how powerfully the whole of Scripture can speak to the church today.

## Trauma & Spiritual Formation: Principles & Practices for Leadership

David C. Wang

June 29–July 3 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online  
1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • APPL/SPIR 577

The impact of trauma is both pervasive and long-lasting, impacting mind, body, and spirit. This course offers an introduction to the theory and practice of trauma care, with a particular focus on Christian communities. In addition to engaging the psychological literature and various theological texts and topics, students will receive guided support as they consider the potential impact of trauma on their own faith and vocation.



# Studying at Regent

Welcome to a vibrant graduate school where theological depth meets spiritual formation.

## Getting Started

Summer is a great time to give Regent a try. Whether you're interested in an academic program or want to study casually for personal enrichment, you can get started with a class or two right away. You don't need a background in theology or any other subject—if you're eager to learn, there's a place for you here.

Most Regent courses can be taken for credit or audit. Studying for credit gives you the full student experience. Auditing lets you enjoy the course, readings, and community without completing assignments or receiving grades.

You can take up to 12 credit hours (and as many audit hours as you like!) before you need to apply for a program.

## Graduate Programs

Interested in going deeper with theological studies? Choose a graduate program that fits your journey as you grow into the person God calls you to be.

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### *Graduate Diploma in Christian Studies*

Our shortest and most flexible graduate program gives you a foundation for a lifetime of growth in your faith.

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### *Master of Arts in Christian Studies*

Explore ideas and perspectives from different theological fields and consider how they relate to your context and calling.

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### *Master of Arts in Theological Studies*

Pick an area of concentration and explore the difference Christ makes to the subjects that interest you most.

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### *Master of Divinity*

Prepare for ministry in an environment that reflects the diverse and complex world you're called to serve.

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### *Master of Arts in Leadership, Theology & Society*

Unpack theological questions and develop practical leadership skills in a low-residency, cohort-based program.

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### *Master of Theology*

Develop your research, writing, and analytical skills as you prepare for the next stage of your academic journey.

## Connect with Admissions

If you'd like to learn more about studying at Regent, our Admissions team would love to hear from you! Visit [regnt.net/admissions](https://regnt.net/admissions) or email [admissions@regent-college.edu](mailto:admissions@regent-college.edu) to get in touch.

# Events & Community Life

## Worship with Us

An emphasis on gathered worship and spiritual formation has deep roots in Regent's history. Our community seeks to participate in the life of the Spirit throughout our time at Regent—in the classroom, in the library, in the chapel, and in the atrium. While we recognize that we are called to abide in Christ and worship God in everything we do, we also set aside times and places to be attentive to the Spirit's abiding presence and offer our worship to the Triune God together. Join us for Chapel each Tuesday of Summer Programs!

## Public Lectures

You're invited to our summer-long series of free Evening Public Lectures (EPLs) and Wednesday Lunchtime Conversations (WLCs). We have an outstanding lineup of speakers joining us to discuss a fascinating range of topics. While our WLCs are offered only onsite, you can experience an EPL in person or online at [rgnt.net/live](https://rgnt.net/live).

Join us Friday, May 29, for a special talk: "Word and Image: Celebrating Five Years of *The Saint John's Bible* at Regent College," featuring Tim Ternes, the Curator of *The Saint John's Bible* at Saint John's University in Collegeville, Minnesota.

## Regent Bookstore

Browse the Regent Bookstore to discover a curated collection of new and used books, cards, gifts, children's titles, and much more. The Mighty Oak at The Well Café serves delicious specialty coffees, baked goods, and other treats in our freshly renovated space. As a non-profit bookstore, we're proudly staffed by a caring, well-read team ready to guide you to your next inspiring read. We look forward to welcoming you to Canada's theological bookstore!

## The Regent Vine

Welcome to The Vine, a new publication of Regent College. We're delighted to share ideas and perspectives from a wide range of people within and beyond Regent's circles. In articles and interviews, podcasts and videos, you'll hear authentic voices speaking from experience and expertise about ideas that matter to our community and yours. Join us for conversations that inform, challenge, and inspire.

Read, learn more, and subscribe to our newsletter at [regentvine.com](https://regentvine.com).





# Society & Culture

## Christian Faith & Mental Health Care

Warren Kinghorn

July 6–10 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online

1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • APPL/INDS 562

Good mental health care is critically important, but modern medical models often target symptoms without addressing our relationships, stories, or deepest longings. Adopting a theological vision of human beings as wayfarers on a journey to God, this course explores how Christians can draw on the best insights of both theology and psychiatry to accompany people living with depression, bipolar disorder, anxiety, post-traumatic stress, dementia, and other mental health challenges.

## Theology for Life

Prabo Mihindukulasuriya

May 11–August 14 • Online Only (Asynchronous)

3 Credits (3 Audit) • INDS 500

The study of theology has the potential to transform all aspects of our lives. This course offers an introduction to Regent's theological vision of life in Christ, in whom "all things hold together." Centred in communion with our triune God, an orientation toward 'theology for life' shapes how we study, think, and engage with the world. (Note: This course includes lectures from a variety of Regent faculty, and is required for MACS, MATS, and MDiv students.)

# Spirituality

## Contemplative Listening: The Foundation of Spiritual Friendship & Direction

Susan S. Phillips

July 20–31 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online

2–3 Credits (2 Audit) • SPIR 554

Listening is foundational to the Christian life. By listening, we are shaped as Christ's disciples. This course focuses on the discipline and gift of listening to God and to our neighbours—even in a culture of loud and relentless distraction. Together, we'll explore contemplative spiritual disciplines and practical listening skills that can help us listen more attentively to God, to the hearts of others, and even to our own souls.

## Experiencing the Presence: Walking with God All Day Long

Tom Schwanda

July 13–17 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online

1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • SPIR 516

How can we cultivate an attentiveness to God amid the busyness of everyday life? In this course, we'll reflect on historical texts and engage in spiritual exercises as we survey the principles and practices of walking with God throughout the day. Drawing on insights from Brother Lawrence, Frank Laubach, Matthew Henry, C. S. Lewis, and Kisung Yoo, we'll practice responding to the God who wants us to experience him.

## Spiritual Practice

Gordon T. Smith

May 11–15 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online

1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • APPL/SPIR 586

In this course, we'll look at spiritual practice as the intentional pursuit of the Spirit's gift of holiness. Beginning with a Christian vision of human flourishing, we'll examine how both individual Christians and the church are animated and sustained by union with Christ and the fullness of the Spirit. From here, we'll explore personal and communal spiritual disciplines, as well as the interplay between them.



# Theology

## Anglican History & Theology

Jim Salladin

July 13–24 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online

2–3 Credits (2 Audit) • HIST/THEO 650

Explore the fascinating but often neglected history of Anglicanism from its earliest days to the present moment. Together, we'll examine core convictions, contentions, and concerns that have contributed to Anglican theology, and consider thought from a variety of Anglican traditions. You'll leave prepared to serve within and beyond the Anglican context with greater historical awareness and sensitivity.

## The Good Life & Christ: A Theological Reframing of the Gospel

Elizabeth Sung

June 8–12 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online

1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • THEO 532

In this course, we will examine some competing definitions of terms such as “the gospel,” “salvation,” and “the good” and compare them with what Scripture actually teaches about living the good life before God. Beyond the reductive models offered by the “theological left” and the “theological right,” we'll work toward a biblical understanding of the good life that puts Jesus at the centre.

## Narrative Theology & Storytelling

Mabiala Kenzo

July 6–10 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online

1–2 Credits (1 Audit) • THEO 536

In this course, you'll be invited to develop a fresh understanding and deeper appreciation of story and storytelling in the practice of theology. We will examine the rise and recent history of narrative theology as well the strengths and weaknesses of this approach. We'll also look at how the insights of narrative theology and storytelling are being applied to identity formation, community building, counselling, and other Christian practices.

## Palestinian Theology in Context

Yohanna Katanacho

June 1–5 • 8:30–11:30 am • Onsite & Online

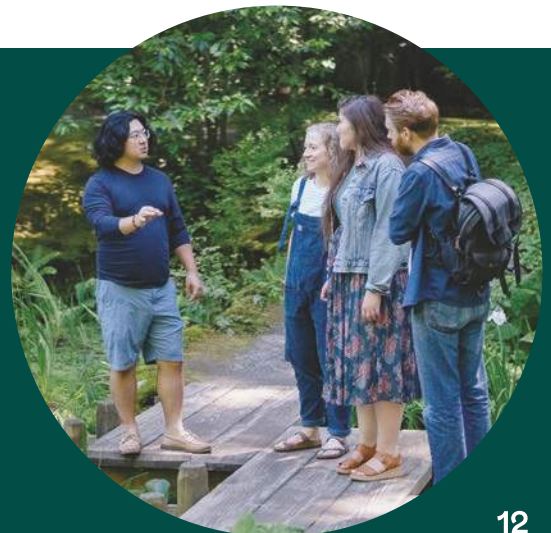
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Taught by a Palestinian Evangelical Christian, this course is for all who seek to understand Scripture from a Christ-centred point of view. After unpacking some of the big questions of theology in the Palestinian context, this course offers theological reflections on major theopolitical concerns, including theology of the land, the Zionist project, war and peace, and the relationship between the Old and New Testaments.

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# Faculty Bios



## Beth Allison Barr



Beth Allison Barr is James Vardaman Professor of History at Baylor University; she is also known for her speaking and writing

as a public intellectual. Her most recent books are *Becoming the Pastor's Wife* (Brazos, 2025) and *The Making of Biblical Womanhood* (Brazos, 2021).

## Lanta Davis



Lanta Davis is Professor of Humanities and Literature for the John Wesley Honors College at Indiana Wesleyan

University. She recently published *Becoming by Beholding: The Power of the Imagination in Spiritual Formation* (Baker, 2024) and has written for a wide range of periodicals.

## Quentin Genuis



Dr. Quentin Genuis is an Emergency Physician at St. Paul's Hospital in Vancouver and the Physician Ethicist for

Providence Health Care. He teaches in academic, clinical, professional, and lay settings on issues related to bioethics, compassion, addiction, and theological anthropology.

## Davinson Bohorquez



Davinson Bohorquez (MATS, ThM, Regent College) is an ordained elder in the Church of the Nazarene. He enjoys teaching Koine

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## Dennis R. Edwards



Rev. Dr. Dennis R. Edwards is the current Dean and Vice President of Church Relations and former Associate Professor

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## Michael J. Gorman



Michael J. Gorman is Raymond E. Brown Professor of Biblical Studies and Theology at St. Mary's Seminary & University. He is the

author of numerous books, including several commentaries as well as works on Pauline theology and spirituality, Johannine literature, and biblical exegesis.

## Paul Kyu-Jin Choi



Dr. Paul Kyu-Jin Choi serves as the Lead Pastor of Village Church in Portland, Oregon—an intercultural

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## Craig M. Gay



Craig M. Gay is Professor of Interdisciplinary Studies at Regent College, where he lectures on

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## Isabelle Hamley



Isabelle Hamley is a minister, speaker, and writer currently serving as Principal of Ridley Hall, an Anglican seminary

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## Carolyn Hindmarsh



Carolyn Hindmarsh (DMin, Fuller) is a Sessional Lecturer at Regent College. An experienced speaker, retreat director, and spiritual director, she is the co-author of a book on prayer, *At the Feet of Jesus: A Guide to Encountering Christ in the Gospels* (InterVarsity, 2025).

## Mabiala Kenzo



Dr. Mabiala Kenzo is the Director of the Center of African and Afrodescendant Postcolonial Theologies and Practices at the École de Théologie Évangélique du Québec/Université de Laval. He has served widely as both a theology professor and a national and regional leader in the Alliance Church.

## Mariam Kamell Kovalishyn



Mariam Kamell Kovalishyn is Associate Professor of New Testament at Regent College. Her research interests include intertestamental Jewish and classical Greco-Roman literature and the Pauline and General Epistles. She is the editor of *The New Testament Around the World: Exploring Key Texts from Different Contexts* (Baker, 2025).

## Adrea Johnson



Dr. Adrea Johnson is an instructor of English Literature at the University of the Fraser Valley. She is the co-editor (with Holly Faith Nelson) of *Negotiating Faith and Feminism in Late Medieval and Early Modern Women's Lives and Works* (Amsterdam University Press, 2024).

## SeongHan Kim



SeongHan Kim (PhD, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School) serves as the Mennonite Central Committee Representative for Northeast Asia. His doctoral dissertation explored the rise of Korean Christian Nationalism, and his ongoing research focuses on reconciliation as the mission of God.

## Julie Lane Gay



Julie Lane Gay is a writer, editor, and trained horticulturist. She is a catechist at St. John's Vancouver Anglican Church. Her book *The Riches of Your Grace: Living in the Book of Common Prayer* (IVP Formatio) was published in 2024.

## Yohanna Katanacho



Rev. Dr. Yohanna Katanacho is the Academic Dean of Nazareth Evangelical College. An Old Testament scholar who has made significant contributions to Palestinian contextual theology, he teaches students around the world and writes extensively in both English and Arabic.

## Warren Kinghorn



Dr. Warren Kinghorn is Professor of Psychiatry at Duke University School of Medicine and co-director of the Theology, Medicine, and Culture Initiative at Duke Divinity School, where he teaches pastoral and moral theology. His most recent book is *Wayfaring: A Christian Approach to Mental Health Care* (Eerdmans, 2024).

## Drew Lewis



Drew Lewis currently teaches in the areas of biblical languages and Old Testament at Regent College. His most recent book is *Approaching Job* (Cascade, 2017). His current research interests include the book of Job and the function and meaning of trees in the Old Testament.

## Bruce W. Longenecker



Bruce W. Longenecker is Professor of Early Christianity at Baylor University. Recent publications include *The Theology of the*

*Letter to the Galatians* (Cambridge, 2025), *The Materiality of Early Christ Devotion* (Baylor, 2025), and *In Stone and Story: Early Christianity in the Roman World* (Baker Academic, 2022).

## Prabo Mihindukulasuriya



Prabo Mihindukulasuriya is Assistant Professor of the History of Christianity at Regent College. Prior to joining

Regent's faculty, he held a variety of faculty and staff roles at Colombo Theological Seminary in Sri Lanka. His extensive publication history includes *Unmasking the Empire* (Social Scientists Association, 2023).

## Susan S. Phillips



Susan S. Phillips is a spiritual director, professor of sociology and Christian spirituality, and Executive Director

Emerita at New College Berkeley. She is the author of *The Cultivated Life: From Ceaseless Striving to Receiving Joy* (IVP, 2015), among other books.

## Matthew Lynch



Matthew Lynch, Bruce K. Waltke Associate Professor of Old Testament at Regent College, holds an MATS and ThM

from Regent and a PhD from Emory University. He is the author of several books, including *Flood and Fury: Old Testament Violence and the Shalom of God* (IVP Academic, 2023).

## Douglas Moo



Douglas Moo is Emeritus Professor of Biblical Studies at Wheaton College and a member of the NIV Committee

on Bible Translation. Among other books in New Testament and biblical theology, he has written commentaries on Romans, Galatians, Colossians-Philemon, Hebrews, James, and 1-2 Peter and Jude.

## Karen Swallow Prior



Karen Swallow Prior is a writer and speaker whose work has appeared in publications ranging from *Christianity*

*Today* to *The New York Times*. Her most recent book is *You Are Called: Finding Your Vocation in the True, Good, and Beautiful* (Brazos, 2025).

## Kara Martin



Kara Martin is a teacher, writer, and mentor with a wide-ranging professional background. In addition to teaching

at Mary Andrews College and Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, she serves as Co-Chair of the Theology of Work Project and mentors students in Regent's MALTS program.

## Paul Oslington



Paul Oslington is Professor of Economics and Theology at Alphacrucis University College,

Sydney, where he previously served as inaugural Dean of the Faculty of Business and PhD Program Director. He is a prolific writer and speaker on Christianity and economics and holds doctorates in both fields.

## Soong-Chan Rah



Soong-Chan Rah is the Robert Boyd Munger Professor of Evangelism and Church Renewal at Fuller Theological

Seminary. A well-known writer and speaker on topics such as the witness of the church, cross-cultural ministry, and social justice, he has authored or co-authored numerous award-winning books.

## Jennifer Powell McNutt



Rev. Dr. Jennifer Powell McNutt is Franklin S. Dyrness Professor of Biblical and Theological Studies and Professor

of Theology and History of Christianity at Wheaton College's Litfin Divinity School. An award-winning author and professor, she is currently researching the history of the Bible.

## Cyndi Parker



Cyndi Parker (PhD, University of Gloucestershire) teaches about the land of the Bible in churches and

universities around the world. She is the creator of Narrative of Place, host of the *Context Matters* podcast, and Director of Education and Conversation at Resurrection Philadelphia Church.

## Roger Revell



Rev. Dr. Roger Revell is the Rector of the Parish of Christ the King in Pawleys Island, South Carolina. He lectures at Regent

College and the Deacon's College of the Anglican Diocese of South Carolina, where he serves as an Examining Chaplain for those seeking ordination.

## Jim Salladin



Jim Salladin (PhD, University of St Andrews) is the rector of Emmanuel Anglican Church in New York City. He

has also served Anglican churches in Vancouver and London. He is the author of *Jonathan Edwards and Deification: Reconciling Theosis and the Reformed Tradition* (IVP, 2022).

## Diane Stinton



Diane Stinton is Dean of Students and Associate Professor of Mission Studies and World Christianity at Regent College. She

is the author of *Jesus of Africa: Voices of Contemporary Christology* and the editor of *African Theology on the Way: Current Conversations*.

## Rikk Watts



Rikk Watts is Research Professor of New Testament at Regent College. His research focuses on Jesus, the Gospels, and the

relationship between the Old and New Testaments. He is a sought-after preacher and teacher in both local and international churches.

## Tom Schwanda



Tom Schwanda is Associate Professor of Christian Formation & Ministry Emeritus at Wheaton College.

A trained spiritual

director and widely published author, he recently co-authored *Whitefield on the Christian Life: New Birth to Enjoy God* with Ian Maddock (Crossway, 2025).

## Brent A. Strawn



Brent A. Strawn is D. Moody Smith Distinguished Professor of Old Testament and Professor of Law at

Duke University. His most recent book, co-authored with Walter Brueggemann, is *Unwavering Faithfulness: Pivotal Moments in the Book of Isaiah* (Westminster John Knox, 2025).

## D. H. Williams



D. H. Williams is Distinguished Senior Fellow at the Institute for Studies in Religion at Baylor University, where he previously

served as Professor of Patristics and Historical Theology. In addition to writing widely, he frequently teaches at major universities in China.

## Peter Shaw



Peter Shaw, Founding Partner of the international coaching firm Praesta Partners, served as a Director General

in the UK government before moving into leadership development. In addition to teaching widely, he has written numerous influential books on leadership.

## Elizabeth Sung



Elizabeth Sung (PhD, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School) is a systematic theologian and spiritual director who serves as a

Teaching Fellow at Regent College. Her academic specialties include theological anthropology (personhood and identity; race, ethnicity, and culture) and soteriology (sanctification, spiritual formation, and character development).

## Lissa Wray Beal



Rev. Dr. Lissa Wray Beal is Professor of Old Testament at Wycliffe College, Toronto School of Theology. Her teaching and

writing on Kings, Joshua, Jeremiah, and the Psalms speak to the Old Testament's enduring witness to God's work in a broken and suffering world.

## Gordon T. Smith



Gordon T. Smith is the Executive Director for Christian Higher Education Canada and a Teaching Fellow at Regent College.

He previously served as President of Ambrose University. His most recent publication is *In the Meantime: Living in Light of the Ascension* (Cascade, 2025).

## David C. Wang



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# Timetable

## Spring Session *May 11–June 12*

Online 📶 Onsite 📍

📶 📍	May 11–15	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Gordon T. Smith</b>	APPL 586 / SPIR 586	Spiritual Practice
📶 📍	May 11–15	8:30 am–4:30 pm	<b>SeongHan Kim</b>	APPL 558	Mission & Peace 한국어 (taught in Korean)
📶 📍	May 11–22	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Matthew Lynch</b>	BIBL 501	Old Testament Foundations
📶 📍	May 18–22	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Adrea Johnson</b>	ARTS 530	Devotional Poetry of the 17th Century: Donne, Herbert & Bradstreet
📶 📍	May 18–22	8:30 am–4:30 pm	<b>Rikk Watts</b>	BIBL 652	The Gospel of Mark
📶 📍	May 25–29	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Lissa Wray Beal</b>	BIBL 522	The Psalms: Pathways for Spiritual Formation
📶 📍	May 25–June 5	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Mariam Kamell Kovalishyn</b>	BIBL 502	New Testament Foundations
📶 📍	May 25–June 5	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Douglas Moo</b>	BIBL 560	Pauline Theology
📶 📍	June 1–5	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Beth Allison Barr</b>	HIST 527	Medieval Women & Religion
📶 📍	June 1–5	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Yohanna Katanacho</b>	THEO 565 / WRLD 565	Palestinian Theology in Context
📶 📍	June 8–12	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Elizabeth Sung</b>	THEO 532	The Good Life & Christ: A Theological Reframing of the Gospel
📶 📍	June 8–12	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Carolyn Hindmarsh</b>	LANG 595	Revive Your Greek & Feed Your Soul
📶 📍	June 8–12	1:30–4:30 pm	<b>Peter Shaw</b>	MARK 524	Handling Conflict
📶 📍	June 8–12	1:30–4:30 pm	<b>Karen Swallow Prior</b>	ARTS 541	The Mysterious Manner of Flannery O'Connor

## En Route *Travel Courses*

📍	May 23–June 5	<b>Diane Stinton</b>	THEO 547 / WRLD 547	Into Africa: Exploring Theology & Ministry in Nairobi, Kenya
📍	June 15–19	<b>Quentin Genuis</b>	APPL 571	Learning in the Downtown Eastside
📍	July 9–19	<b>Craig M. Gay &amp; Julie Lane Gay</b>	INDS 525	Technology, Wilderness & Creation

## Online Only *Asynchronous*

📶	May 11–August 14	<b>Paul Kyu-Jin Choi</b>	APPL 558	Intercultural Ministry
📶	May 11–August 14	<b>Roger Revell</b>	APPL 630	Pastoral Ethics
📶	May 11–August 14	<b>Prabo Mihindukulasuriya</b>	INDS 500	Theology for Life



## Summer Session *June 29–July 31*

Online 📶 Onsite 📍

📶 📍	June 29–July 3	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Kara Martin &amp; Paul Oslington</b>	MARK 561	Faith, Work & Economics
📶 📍	June 29–July 3	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Lanta Davis</b>	ARTS 517 / SPIR 517	Imagination & Spiritual Formation
📶 📍	June 29–July 3	8:30–11:30 am	<b>David C. Wang</b>	APPL 577 / SPIR 577	Trauma & Spiritual Formation: Principles & Practices for Leadership
📶 📍	July 6–10	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Warren Kinghorn</b>	APPL 562 / INDS 562	Christian Faith & Mental Health Care
📶 📍	July 6–10	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Cyndi Parker</b>	BIBL 556	Jesus in the Gospel Landscape
📶 📍	July 6–10	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Mabiala Kenzo</b>	THEO 536	Narrative Theology & Storytelling
📶 📍	July 6–10	1:30–4:30 pm	<b>Soong-Chan Rah</b>	APPL 566 / WRLD 566	Cultural Intelligence for a Changing Church
📶 📍	July 13–17	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Dennis R. Edwards</b>	BIBL 585 / WRDLS 585	A Biblical Theology of Race & Ethnicity
📶 📍	July 13–17	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Tom Schwanda</b>	SPIR 516	Experiencing the Presence: Walking with God All Day Long
📶 📍	July 13–17	1:30–4:30 pm	<b>Michael J. Gorman</b>	BIBL 567	Philippians
📶 📍	July 13–24	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Jim Salladin</b>	HIST 650 / THEO 650	Anglican History & Theology
📶 📍	July 20–24	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Brent A. Strawn</b>	BIBL 512	The Book of Deuteronomy: Moses Amends the Constitution
📶 📍	July 20–24	1:30–4:30 pm	<b>D. H. Williams</b>	HIST 580	Rise of Apologetics in the Early Church
📶 📍	July 20–31	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Susan S. Phillips</b>	SPIR 554	Contemplative Listening: The Foundation of Spiritual Friendship & Direction
📶 📍	July 27–31	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Jennifer Powell McNutt</b>	HIST 509	The Bible in Christian History
📶 📍	July 27–31	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Bruce W. Longenecker</b>	BIBL 511	Material Culture of Early Christianity
📶 📍	July 27–31	8:30–11:30 am	<b>Isabelle Hamley</b>	APPL 523 / BIBL 523	Preaching the Unpreachable: Opening Up the “Difficult” Texts of Scripture

## Intensive Languages

📍	May 11–June 26	8:30 am–1 pm	<b>Drew Lewis</b>	LANG 510 & LANG 511	Introduction to Old Testament Hebrew I & II
📍	June 29–August 11	8:30 am–1 pm	<b>Davinson Bohorquez</b>	LANG 550 & LANG 551	Introduction to New Testament Greek I & II



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