**AMHERST THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY**

**SYLLABUS FOR: NT 110 MATTHEW MARK LUKE JOHN**

**MEET YOUR MENTOR:**

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### **TEXTS, MATERIALS, AND SUPPLIES:**

**- *The Bible*  Bible versions that are deemed acceptable include the following:**

American Standard Version

Holman Christian Standard Version

King James Version

New King James Version

New International Version

New American Standard Bible

Revised Standard Version

New Living Translation

**GRADING SCALE:**

90-100 A

80-89 B

70-79 C

60-69 D

59-Below F

**GRADING:** Your final grade is determined by dividing the number of questions by 100 then adding up your total points. If there are 10 questions, then each question is worth 10 points. Example: If you were to get 10 points on 8 questions, 8 on one and 9 on another, Your final grade would be 80+8+9=97.

## **ASSIGNMENTS:**

### In this course, you are given 10-12 questions designed to make you reflect, think, and comment on the assigned book(s) of scripture. You may use any and all ***VALID*** Christian resources as determined by your mentor, vice-chancellor, and chancellor. After you answer all the questions, submit your answers for discussion with your mentor. You may be required to resubmit or revise one or more of your answers. The idea is to engage in a back and forth discussion that is beneficial to both parties. The mentors ultimate decision regarding grades is final in all cases.

### **COURSE SCHEDULE**

While there are no set dates, we do expect that you will be disciplined and work on a regular and consistent basis. Please submit your completed assignments to your instructors as indicated.

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|  | **QUESTIONS** |
| 1 | Question 1 : In the New Testament, there are two genealogies of Jesus,  located in Mathew and Luke.  A: Why the two genealogies and which is which?  B : Are there people mentioned in both genealogies? |
| 2 | Question 2:  Read Matthew 24; 34-41; Luke 21:34-36; Mark 13:32-37.  A:  What are the differences and similarities of today?  B:  After the listing of question 2, sub A:  In the overall timeline of the Scriptures,  where do you feel we are at?  C: Using the scriptures support your observations.Two paragraphs of 3 sentences  (minimal) or more if you needed to support your opinion, at your discretion. |
| 3 | Question 3: What are parables? ( One paragraph of 3 sentences or more if needed. )  A: List 3 parables you like and explain them and why?  B:  Are they spiritual or non-spiritual ? Explain your answer.  C: Using your definition of a parable, is Luke 16:19-31 a parable ? Why or Why Not ! |
| 4 | Question 4:  Read Matthew 8:18-22; Matthew 10:34-39  A; What principle is Jesus demonstrating here ? Explain & why?  ( One paragraph of 3 sentences or more if needed. ) |
| 5 | Question 5: There is a biblical principle of “first mentioned”. The first idea is used to build upon further the latter idea or thought.  A: Read John 1: 1-13.  Who is St. John is speaking about?  B: Read Genesis 1: 1-5 only. John 1:1-5.  C: Explain what is going on here ! ( One paragraph of 3 sentences or more if needed.) |
| 6 | Question 6:  Read Genesis 1:14-19 Comparing this with Question 5. B: Is the Light in the Gospel of John the same light in Genesis 1:14-19?  Yes or No? Explain |
| 7 | Question 7: Read John 17: 20-26  The Lord’s Prayer  A: List the items that Christ prays for, for his Believers.  B:  What stands out to you as you read this?  C: List anything that you have not known before. |
| 8 | Question 8 :  Read Luke 11: 1-4  A: Thinking for yourself. Using what you learned in Question 7.  This is called the “Lord’s Prayer”.  Yes or No or Both ?  Support your opinion with Scriptures. |
| 9 | Question 9: Read Genesis 3:14-15.  A: What is the meaning of “I AM” in your own words ?  B:  Read John 8:48,58  What was the response and who was responding ?  C:  Is this response true?  Why or why not ! Explain your answer from both parties.  D: Pick three from the following Scripture and explain your answer using the  view point from both parties ?   1. Supply the context and characters, using Scripture you picked.   John 6:48 John 8:12 John 8:23 John 8:58 John 9:5  John 9:5 John 9:9 John 9:9 John 10:7 John 10:7  John 10:9 John 10:35 John 10:14 John 10:35 John 14:6  John 14:11 John 15:5 |
| 10 | Question 10:  Read Luke 17:1-4;  Mathew 18:15, 21-22  Background Note: Rabbis taught that since God forgave Israel's enemies 3 times., using Scripture ( Amos 1:3,6,9,11,13). It was presumptuous and  unnecessary to forgive anyone more than 3 times.  A: Comparing the Background Note to what Jesus said. How many times, if a person comes to you, should you forgive that person ? ( 7 X 70 = 490 times only is not the correct answer )  B:  Try comparing your answer with Mathew 18:12-14. |
| 11 | Question 11:  Read Mathew 4:1-11; Mark 1:12-13; Luke 4:1-13  A:  Match the Left side Scriptures with the correct Right Side Scriptures.  Mathew 4:4 Deuteronomy 6:13-14; 8:2  Mathew 4:6 Deuteronomy 8:3  Mathew 4:7 Daniel 10:13  Mathew 4:7 Psalms 91:11-12  Mathew 4:9 Exodus 17:2-7  Mathew 4:10 Deuteronomy 6:16  B: State what you have learned. What is the main object lesson shown ? |
| 12 | Summarize what you have learned,  ( Two paragraphs of 3 sentences  ) |