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FIRST OFFICIAL VOLUME WILL BE AVAILABLE MONDAY MARCH 1ST



UPCOMING PACE COURSES:

APRIL 6 - MAY 11 (Register by March 30)

- B4214 Johannine Literature
- P4545 Conflict Resolution
- G3216 History of Christianity II

APRIL 8 - APRIL 10 (Register by April 1)

- P4335 Strategic Leadership (Intensive)

MAY 18 - JUNE 22 (Register by May 11)

- B3286 Introduction to Paul
- B3326 Theology of Church and Ministry
- B3327 Theology of Care
- G3217 History of Christianity II
- P3535 Counselling Theory
- P4555 Family & Marriage Counselling

JULY 27 - AUG 31 (Register by July 20)

- B3115 Old Testament Literature
- G4525 Christian Ethics



GoodNews@ABC

Welcome to the inaugural edition of GoodNews@ABC which, after this point, will be released on the first Monday of the month. We have called our monthly digital newsletter GoodNews@ABC. This echoes the enduring name of our quarterly newsletter, the Evangel, which comes from the Greek word for good news. The Evangel, too, will be making a comeback in a digital format in late March or early April. GoodNews@ABC will our way of sharing with you what is happening at ABC each month.



ReReading Scripture

ReReading Scripture is a free Zoom-based class ABC offers on Saturdays, 10 to 1130 AM (MT). ReReading Scripture was created by our president, Dr. Stan Helton, when he was in pastoral ministry to fill the gap often felt in congregational life that Sunday School and Bible Classes once filled. ReReading Scripture is an interactive learning platform that engages literary, historical, and theological background as a means to a more holistic reading of the Bible. In short, this is the Bible study for those who want more! Usually ReReading focuses on a close reading of the Bible. So we have covered large topics like the Old Testament as a single book but we have also focused on smaller books, such as Jonah or Ephesians. We do occasionally take on special

topics important for Bible study, like a look at history of what happened between the Old and New Testament. Everything we do in ReReading is to help us become better readers of Scripture. ReReading Scripture will begin a four-week series February 20 on the Sermon on Mount. The Sermon on the Mount stands as a pivotal teaching from Jesus and Dr. Stan will contend this story offers the “politic” of Jesus, that is, the way Jesus expects his

disciples to interact with God, each other, and those outside the Christian community. Jesus offers us an alternative politic to the one being offered by either the right or the left (regardless of which country you live in). Please come and learn with us.



You can register for ReReading Scripture by clicking [here](#) and filling out the registration form (just your name and email address). When you have done this, you will automatically receive the Zoom invitation to the email address you supply. Looking forward to seeing you there!

Office Hours and Contacting Alberta Bible College



Covid-19 has adjusted how and what we do these days. Therefore, we have made some office hour adjustments, partly because we have various staff members working from home. At this point, we are working on an appointment basis. If you need to visit with someone who works at ABC, we recommend that you set up a Zoom meeting with them.

If there is a need for a face-to-face visit, please make an appointment with that person and we will have a space reserved for that meeting and have protocols in place to clean the area after the meeting. Having said that, if you need to reach the college by phone, our office hours are now 9 AM to 4 PM (MT). You can contact us through our website (abccampus.ca) or through email.