Old Testament Survey (Required course for the Certificate in Mission Practice & Local Preachers Licensing)

Synopsis: A survey of the Old Testament books in their literary, historical and theological contexts. This course will highlight the message of each book, the broad strokes of Old Testament history, key motifs and themes, the importance of the Old Testament for understanding the New, and its relevance to Christian living and ministry.

Dates: 3, 10, 17, 24 Jan & 7, 14, 21 Feb 2022 (7 Monday evenings, no class on 31 Jan)

Time: 7.30 to 9.30 pm

Format: via Zoom

Dr Yee Chin Hong teaches Old Testament at Trinity Theological College. Before joining TTC in 2020, he was on the staff of Cru Singapore (1994-2019), serving in various capacities, including student ministry, short-term missions, and teaching. He and his family worship at Bethel Presbyterian Church.

Certificate in Mission Practice (CMP)

The CMP programme, offered in partnership with the Anglican Diocese and Singapore Centre for Global Missions, seeks to equip short-term missionaries and lay Christian leaders with knowledge of mission for effective ministry. There are 8 modules to complete. More information can be obtained from the EQUIP Office (equip@ttc.edu.sg) or the TTC website.

The Parables of Jesus

Synopsis: This course will help participants better appreciate the meaning and impact of Jesus' parables when they were first told and to apply them for present-day Christian living. The background and framework within which we are to understand Jesus' parables will be emphasised, especially the connection with the theme of the Kingdom of God and the fulfilment of the Old Testament. Parables as a powerful vehicle for dismantling long-held assumptions in the new light of God's revelation will also be featured. It is hoped that participants may gain a better understanding of their faith and be illuminating and transforming parables to their own generation.

Dates: 4, 11, 18, 25 Jan & 8, 15, 22 Feb 2022 (7 Tuesday evenings, no class on 1 Feb)

Time: 7.30 to 9.30 pm

Format: via Zoom

Dr Tan Kim Huat is the Chen Su Lan Professor of New Testament at Trinity Theological College. His enduring interest is in understanding the emergence of Christianity within a Jewish matrix. Kim Huat has a strong interest in strengthening theological education in the region and was been involved in the first-ever regional consortium of colleges, ATESEA (Association for Theological Education in South East Asia). He is currently the Chairman of ATESEA's Board of Trustees.

Certificate in Christian Ministry (CCM) Licentiate in Christian Ministry (LCM)

The CCM and LCM programmes are specially designed for Christians who wish to equip themselves for more effective ministry in the Church. They provide excellent opportunities for Christians to reflect biblically and theologically on various aspects of Christian ministry. More information can from the EQUIP Office



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Course Registration

Please register online via TTC Website <u>www.ttc.edu.sg</u>

Fee for each course: S\$100

Fees waived for TTC Alumni (registration required)

Payment Mode

- PayNow: UEN No. T01CC1488C (under comments please indicate "EQUIP _<registered name>")
- Funds transfer via Internet Banking: DBS (Current Acct: 033-017261-3)
- Cheque payable to 'Trinity Theological College' and mail to the following address :

Trinity Theological College 490 Upper Bukit Timah Road Singapore 678093 Attn: EQUIP Office

Fees paid are not refundable

Missio Dei: Historical Perspectives & Holistic Perspectives (Required course for the Certificate in Mission Practice)

Synopsis: This course surveys the expansion and development Christianity as Missio Dei (the mission of God), from both historical and holistic perspectives. The salvation and renewal of all creation, the proclamation and practice of His word, and the growth and witness of the church are essentially understood as God's mission. The first part of the course outlines the significant events/movements in the transmission of the Christian faith. The latter half of the course sketches the significant themes of holistic mission, all of which are understood as God's mission in bringing the whole Gospel to the whole world.

Dates: 5, 12, 19, 26 Jan & 9, 16, 23 Feb 2022 (7 Wednesday evenings, no class on 2 Feb)

Time: 7.30 to 9.30 pm

Format: via Zoom

Rev Dr Andrew Peh, PhD (Asbury Theological Seminary), lectures in the area of mission and mission history at Trinity Theological College. His interests are in the history of Christianity in Asia and mission trends in the 21st century. He also serves in the Chinese Annual Conference of the Methodist Church in Singapore as a diaconal minister appointed to Charis Methodist Church.

Christian Doctrine

(Required course for the Certificate in Mission Practice & Local Preachers Licensing)

Synopsis: Christian doctrine is an articulation of our beliefs that shape and characterise us as the people of God. It is our collection of shared beliefs that enable us to say "This is us!" The lectures will cover the following doctrines: i) Revelation and Scripture; ii) Creation and Covenant; iii) the Trinity; iv) the Person and Work of Christ; v) Salvation; vi) the Last Things and Christian Hope; and vii) the Church. The coverage of these doctrines will be grounded in Holy Scripture, guided by Church tradition(s), and geared towards engaging contemporary issues and challenges. Students will gain a broad overview of the Christian faith and appreciate the importance of Christian doctrines for understanding our identity and spurring our practical living.

Dates: 6, 13, 20, 27 Jan & 3, 10, 17 Feb 2022 (7 Thursday evenings)

Time: 7.30 to 9.30 pm

Format: via Zoom

Rev Dr Edmund Fong is an ordained minister of the Presbyterian Church in Singapore and associate minister at Adam Road Presbyterian Church. He did his doctoral studies at the University of Otago (2014–2016) covering the theology of the Swiss-German theological giant, Karl Barth. Edmund teaches systematic theology at Trinity Theological College and lectures on the doctrine of the person and work of Christ and salvation, denominational studies in Presbyterianism, and the theology of John Calvin. His research interests range from Barth to Calvin, Reformed Theology, Theological Anthropology, and Hermeneutics. Edmund is married to Mei Ying and they have 3 children—Phoebe, Chloe, and Jonathan.