

Course of Study.

The regular course of study requires three years for its completion.

It is arranged with reference to the attainments of college graduates.

It is earnestly desired that all students whose circumstances will allow them to obtain a college education, shall do so before entering the Seminary.

I—JUNIOR YEAR.

EXEGETICAL THEOLOGY.

Hebrew Grammar; four chapters of Genesis and Messianic selections from the Pentateuch. Lectures on Bible History.

NEW TESTAMENT EXEGESIS.

Greek Harmony; Galatians; Septuagint. During the first term of the JUNIOR YEAR, in connection with the study of the Greek, attention is given to the harmony of the Gospel narratives; and during the second term such selections from the Acts are read as bear upon the study of Paul's Epistles.

HISTORICAL THEOLOGY.

History of the planting and training of the Christian Church; Post Apostolic History to the middle of the fifth century.

SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY.

Theology and its sources. Theism. Inspiration of the Scriptures. Theistics: Personality of God; Attributes; Creative Work; Providence; the Trinity.

PRACTICAL THEOLOGY.

Instruction in Rhetorical Principles; Pulpit Delivery; History of Preaching.

II—MIDDLE YEAR.

EXEGETICAL THEOLOGY.

Selections from the Psalms and Job, Lectures on the CANON OF THE N. T., and SACRED CRITICISM.

NEW TESTAMENT EXEGESIS.

Romans and Ephesians, throughout the Middle year. In addition to the Exegesis, New Testament Literature is studied, including a discussion of New Testament Philology and Text Criticism.

HISTORICAL THEOLOGY.

The Mediæval Period to the Protestant Reformation.

SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY.

Anthropology: Primitive State and Fall of Man; Depravity of the Race; Doctrine of Sin. Christology. Soteriology: Atonement in Christ.

PRACTICAL THEOLOGY.

HOMILETICS: Drill in choice of subjects and texts; sermons by the students; frequent exercises in extemporaneous speaking.

LITURGICS: The Conduct of Public Worship; reading of Scriptures and Hymns.

CATECHETICS: Including the Sunday School Enterprise.

III—SENIOR YEAR.

EXEGETICAL THEOLOGY.

Ecclesiastes, selections from the Prophetical Books; Chaldee Grammar. Lectures on INTERPRETATION.

NEW TESTAMENT EXEGESIS.

Hebrews and Corinthians. The method is for the most part the same as in the Junior and Middle years. The best books for study and reference on the New Testament are indicated during the course.

HISTORICAL THEOLOGY.

The Reformation and the Counter-Reformation; Rise and Growth of the Modern Protestant Churches; The History of Christian Doctrine.

SCHEDULE OF STUDIES.

DAY	PROFESSOR.	SENIOR CLASS.	MIDDLE CLASS.	JUNIOR CLASS.
TUESDAY.	BUTTZ..... STRONG..... MILEY..... CROOKS..... UPHAM.....	Greek, - - - 11-12 Hebrew, - - - 9-10 Soteriology, - - - 3-4 Church History, - - - 10-11 Practical Theology, - - - 12-1	Greek, - - - 12-1 Hebrew, - - - 10-11 Anthropology, - - - 11-12 Church History, - - - 9-10 Practical Theology, - - - 2-3	Hebrew, - - - 2-3 Greek, - - - 11-12 Theology, - - - 9-10 Church History, - - - 3-4 Practical Theology, - - - 10-11
WEDNESDAY.	BUTTZ..... STRONG..... MILEY..... CROOKS..... UPHAM.....	Greek, - - - 11-12 Hebrew, - - - 9-10 Soteriology, - - - 3-4 Church History, - - - 10-11 Practical Theology, - - - 12-1	Greek, - - - 12-1 Hebrew, - - - 10-11 Anthropology, - - - 11-12 Practical Theology, - - - 2-3	Hebrew, - - - 10-11 Greek, - - - 11-12 Theology, - - - 9-10 Church History, - - - 3-4
THURSDAY.	BUTTZ..... STRONG..... MILEY..... CROOKS..... UPHAM.....	Greek, - - - 11-12 Hebrew, - - - 9-10 Soteriology, - - - 3-4 Church History, - - - 10-11 Practical Theology, - - - 12-1	Greek, - - - 12-1 Hebrew, - - - 10-11 Church History, - - - 9-10 Practical Theology, - - - 2-3	Hebrew, - - - 10-11 Greek, - - - 11-12 Theology, - - - 9-10 Church History, - - - 3-4
FRIDAY.	BUTTZ..... STRONG..... MILEY..... CROOKS..... UPHAM.....	- - - - - Heb. 9-10, Interpretation, 10-11 - - - - - - - - - - Practical Theology, - - - 11-12 *Elocution.	- - - - - Canon and Criticism, 10-11 Anthropology, - - - 11-12 Church History, - - - 9-10 - - - - -	- - - - - Bible History, - - - 11-12 Theology, - - - 9-10 Practical Theology, - - - 10-11

*Special exercises in Elocution are given every Monday throughout the year, under Prof. J. P. SILVERNAIL.

SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY.

Soteriology: The Salvation in Christ; Doctrinal Issues; Vital Facts of the Salvation. Eschatology.

PRACTICAL THEOLOGY.

Lectures on CHURCH POLITY; Theories of Church Government; Apostolic Succession; the Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Lectures on PASTORAL DUTIES; qualities demanded in Pastors; Pastoral Visiting; the Pastor's Relation to Revivals of Religion. CHURCH ENTERPRISES: Missions; Church Extension.

