



Methodist Theological School in Ohio

MTSO Spring Semester 2026 Schedule of Classes

Semester Dates January 26-May 15

Spring Break: March 16-20

Holy Week Break: March 30-April 2

Finals Week: May 11-15

Commencement: May 23

Course Code	Course Title	Days	Times	Instructor(s)
CE/PT642	Justice and the Practices of Ministry <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.</i>	Wed	10:30am-noon	Dr. Toni Bond
CE663	Social Justice and the Law <i>Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.</i>	Thur	6-7:30pm	Dr. Brandi Slaughter
CE733	Religion, Ethics, and Reproductive Justice <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: CE501 or CE562. 3 credits.</i>	Mon	6-7:30pm	Dr. Toni Bond
CH510	Global Christian History <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.</i>	Wed	10:30am-noon	Dr. Beth Stroud
CH530	American Prophets (Inside Out) <i>Modality: In-person at Marion Correctional Institution. Prerequisite: Instructor Permission. 3 credits.</i>	Mon	1-3:30pm	Dr. Beth Stroud
CT600	Constructive Theology <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.</i>	Tue	10:30am-noon	Dr. Christopher Carter
CT560	Interreligious Theologies <i>Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.</i>	Tue	8:30-10am	Dr. Susan Ritchie
CT649	Christology <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: CT549. 3 credits.</i>	Wed	6-7:30pm	Dr. Jee Hyun Baek
CT760	Theology and Trauma <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: CT549. 3 credits.</i>	Tue	2-3:30pm	Dr. Jee Hyun Baek
DS665	United Methodist Doctrine <i>Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: CT549. 2 credits.</i>	Thur	8:30-10am	Dr. Taylor Denyer
DS680	Unitarian Universalist History <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.</i>	Tue	10:30am-noon	Dr. Susan Ritchie
DS690	United Church of Christ History and Polity <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.</i>	Thur	10:30am-noon	Dr. Marti Baumer / Rev. Beth Gedert
ES101	Orientation for New Students <i>Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. Non-credit (but required).</i>	Fri 1/23 10am-noon		Rev. Bhoke Kirigiti
ES600	Mid-Program Review <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: Halfway through coursework. 1 credit.</i>	Mon	6-7:30pm	Dr. Tim van Meter
ES700	Capstone <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: ES600. 2 credits.</i>	Wed	6-7:30pm	Dr. Tim van Meter
FE850B-1	Field Education II <i>Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: FE850A. 1.5 credits.</i>	Mon	8:30-10am	Dr. F. Willis Johnson / Kathy Dickson
FE850B-2	Field Education II <i>Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: FE850A. 1.5 credits.</i>	Thur	5:30-7pm	Dr. Judy Guion-Utsler / Kathy Dickson
FE860	MASJ Internship <i>Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: Completion of majority of MASJ coursework. 3 credits.</i>	Thur	10:30am-noon	Kathy Dickson
HB600	Hebrew Bible <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.</i>	Wed	8:30-10am	Joel Wildermuth
HB/NT550	Social Justice and Sacred Texts <i>Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.</i>	Mon	6-7:30pm	Dr. Kate Common
HB650	Women in the Biblical World <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisites: HB600 and NT600. 3 credits.</i>	Wed	2-3:30pm	Dr. Tine Rassalle
HB720	Exegesis of the Hebrew Bible <i>Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisites: HB520 and HB620. 3 credits.</i>	Mon	4-5:30pm	Joel Wildermuth

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HM610	Homiletics	Thur	6-7:30pm	Dr. Geno Gibson
Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisites: CT549, HB510, NT510. Note: Max 12 students. 3 credits.				
HM715	Preaching for Special Occasions	Wed	10:30am-noon	Dr. Geno Gibson
Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisites: HM600. Note: Max 12 students. 3 credits.				
NT600	New Testament	Wed	6-7:30pm	Dr. Larry Wellborn
Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.				
NT520	Elementary Biblical Greek I	Tue	4-5:30pm	Dr. Larry Wellborn
Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.				
PC600	Pastoral Care	Tue	10:30am-noon	Dr. Fulgence Nyengele
Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.				
PC672	Trauma, Moral Injury, and Crisis Ministry	Tue	6-7:30pm	Dr. Fulgence Nyengele
Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: PC600. 3 credits.				
PC772	Integrating Spirituality and Pastoral Care	Tue	2-3:30pm	Dr. Brad Price
Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: PC600. 3 credits.				
PT625	Engaging the Bible in Community and Culture	Wed	6-7:30pm	Dr. Kate Common
Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.				
PT643	Samuel DeWitt Proctor Conference	M-Th	2/23-2/26	Dr. Toni Bond
Modality: In person at Samuel DeWitt Proctor Conference. Prerequisite: PT500 or PT560. 3 credits.				
PT825	MAPT Integrative Public Project Seminar	Individual Study		Dr. Tim Van Meter
Modality: Individual Study. Prerequisite: TH810. 1-3 credits.				
SR600	Methods in the Study of Religion	Thur	6-8:50pm	Dr. Paul Numrich
Modality: Online Synchronous. Prerequisite: none. 3 credits.				
TH800	Thesis	Individual Study		Dr. Ryan Schellenberg
Modality: Individual Study. Prerequisite: TH810 and Thesis Proposal. 3 credits.				
TH805	MTS Examination	Individual Study		Dr. Ryan Schellenberg
Modality: Individual Study. Prerequisite: TH810. 3 credits.				
WO600	Worship	Tue	6-7:30pm	Dr. Lisa Allen-McLaurin
Modality: Hyflex Synchronous. Prerequisite: None. 3 credits.				

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MTSO Spring Semester 2026 Schedule of Classes Weekly View (Jan. 26-May 15)

Schedule Blocks	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Miscellaneous
Morning I 8:30-10am	FE850B-1-os FWJ/KD	CT560-os SR	HB600-hfs JW	CH736-hfs BS	ES101-os BPK 1/23 10am-noon
Break 10-10:30am				DS665-os TD	PT643 TMB 2/16-2/23
Morning II 10:30am-noon		CT600-hfs CRC	CE/PT462-hfs TMB	FE860-hfs KD	TH800 Thesis
		DS680-hfs SR	CH510-hfs BS	DS690-hfs MB/BG	
		PC600-hfs MFN	HM715-hfs ELG		TH805 MTS Exam
Lunch / Chapel Break					
Afternoon I 2-3:30pm		CT760-hfs JHB	HB650-hfs TRR		PT825-IS MAPT TVM
		PC772-hfs BHP			
Break 3:30-4pm					
Afternoon II 4-5:30pm	HB720-hfs JTW	NT520-hfs LW	HB720-hfs JTW	NT520-hfs LW	Individual Studies (by petition)
Break 5:30-6pm					
Evening 6-7:30pm	CE733-hfs TMB	PC672-hfs MFN	CT649-hfs JHB	CE663-os BNS	Cross-Registration available with Claremont School of Theology, Payne Theological Seminary, and Trinity Lutheran Seminary.
	ES600-hfs TVM	WO600-hfs LAM	ES700-hfs TVM	FE850B-2-os JGU/KD 5:30-7pm	
	HB/NT550-os KAC		NT600-hfs LW	HM610-hfs ELG	
			PT625-os KAC	SR600-os PDN	

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-os = Online Synchronous. Weekly live sessions (online) are required as well as significant asynchronous components.
-oa = Online Asynchronous. All or most of the course consists of asynchronous components. Live sessions, if offered, are optional.
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