

2018 Course Offering

I Timothy

First Period

Philip Beiler, New Holland, PA

I Timothy is written by a pastor to a pastor. In this context it has abundant practical teaching for both leaders and laity in our churches. Paul's writing includes the full scope of issues we experience in our congregations. We will explore his teaching and seek to apply it to our congregational lives.

Cultivating a Missionary Heart

Collier Berkshire, Nappanee, IN

One responsibility that rests on Anabaptist leaders in the 21st century is the development of mission-minded churches. This study will seek to give insight into the missionary heart of God, clarify vision for our calling as leaders in the area of missions, and provide tools that will facilitate us in fulfilling our God-given responsibility to make disciples.

Romans: A Life Empowered by Grace (Chap. 9-16) Second Period

Wayne Schrock, Catlett, VA

The gospel as Expounded by Paul (Romans 1-8) has powerful and far reaching implications. This course of study will begin by examining the enormous ramifications of Israel's rejection of the gospel (Romans 9-11). The major part of this study will explore what a life looks like that is fully consecrated to God (12-16).

Preaching With Excellence 840

Nathan Bange, Smoketown, PA

We have been given the incredible opportunity and the tremendous responsibility of being God's spokesmen. Do we pursue excellence in our preaching with the same passion that we pursue it in other trades? We will be looking at some of the many factors that help us to present God's message effectively.

Joshua: God's Man, the Book, and the Conquest Third Period

Elmer Glick, Slanesville, WV

This study of the book of Joshua will include a combination of four aspects: the history of God's people in the conquest, the geography they encountered, the character of Joshua their leader, and the symbolism of our spiritual journey. Application: What does Joshua have to teach pastors in 2018?

Stewardship & Finances for the Family

Anabaptist Financial Speakers

The backbone of this class is the standard material presented at Anabaptist Financial *Young Family Finance Seminars*. The teaching focuses on basic financial principles taught in scripture that are especially relevant to older youth and young married couples. This class will assist church leaders who desire to teach wise stewardship to their young people. All material presented (power point and printed handouts) will be available to attendees in digital or print form to be modified and used in their own church settings.

Encourage Yourself in the Word

Various Ladies Speakers

The Word of God is quick and powerful and able to speak personally to us where we are at. This year's speakers will explore various passages of scripture and give testimony to how it met the needs of their lives in a variety of situations. Come prepared to share your own scripture nuggets with the group.

"THE ENTRANCE OF THY WORDS GIVETH LIGHT." Psalm 119:130

General Information

Registration: Monday, February 19, 2018, 10:00 am. - 12:00 Noon

Dismissal: Friday, February 23, 2018- 1:00 P.M.

Items to bring: Bible, notebook, gym shoes, bedding & towels (if not staying in motel)

Costs: Institute Rooms - \$9.00/night, Meals - \$3.00/meal. An offering will be taken to help cover costs.

Reservations: Registration is required for classes, lodging, and meals. Lodging is available in campus dorms and apartments on a first come-first served basis. Due to limited space, make reservations early. Lodging is also available in area homes and motels. For more information, call the SMBI office at (717) 485-4341 or email at smbi@smbi.org

Please pre-register in consideration of all involved, including day visitors.

Registration Form

Name _____	_____ Lodging in a dorm, apartment	Please list preferences for classes. (Please select one course per period)
Wife's Name (if attending) _____	or private home	
Address _____	_____ I/We will make our own	Minister Wife
City _____ State _____ Zip _____	lodging arrangements	1. _____ I Timothy.....PB
Phone _____	_____ I will not attend the full week.*	_____ Missions.....CB
Email _____	(Please indicate your schedule.)	2. _____ Romans.....WS
Congregation _____	_____	_____ Excellence.....NB
		3. _____ Joshua.....EG
		_____ Stewardship.....AF
		_____ Ladies

*If needed, priority will be given to those attending the full week.

(You may also email the office at smbi@smbi.org and include the required information.)

The 2018 Ministers' Week is designed to help church leaders practically apply doctrinal teachings in their local churches. The classes are designed for those in leadership but we welcome anyone who has a desire to study the Word of God.

The Ministers' Week is a five-day program of in-class study. Each one in attendance may enroll in a maximum of three courses. There will be approximately nine hours of teaching per subject. Infants are permitted to attend, but we request sensitivity to distraction while classes are in session. All daily visitors must contact the office in advance and upon arrival because of limited space.

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You're Invited

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Join us for Ministers' Week

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Motel Accommodations

Anyone desiring to have motel accommodations is asked to make reservations with the motel of your choice.

Following is a list of several motels in the area.

When making reservations, be sure to tell them you are associated with Sharon Mennonite Bible Institute.

- Best Western Plaza Motor Lodge, Breezewood - (814) 735-4352
- Gateway Travel Lodge, Breezewood - (814) 735-4341
- Holiday Inn Express, Breezewood- (814) 735-7666
- Crampton Manor Bed & Breakfast, McConnellsburg - (717) 491-2813
- Quality Inn/Breeze Manor, Breezewood- (814) 735-4311
- Wiltshire Motel, Breezewood- (814) 735-4361
- The 1788 Inn (814) 626-1788
- Sunrise Acres Retreat - (contact the institute)

Daily Schedule

7:15 am	Breakfast
8:00-9:10	Period 1
9:20-10:30	Period 2
10:40-11:50	Period 3
12:00	Lunch
1:15-2:20	Period 1 continued
2:30-3:35	Period 2 continued
3:45-4:50	Period 3 continued
5:15	Supper
6:30	Chapel (Wed. open)
7:30 pm	Recreation & Fellowship

*Monday is the afternoon schedule only

*Friday is the morning schedule only and concludes with the SMBI Choir

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