Prophets: Isaiah to Malachi

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Course #  2OT516 (3)
This course is a study of the message and times of the Prophets focussing on major themes and with a goal of how to understand the prophetic office and idiom.

Reading Assignments will come from the following:
1) Geerhardus Vos, Biblical Theology: Old and New Testaments
2) M.G. Kline, Images of the Spirit
3) Willem A. Van Gemeren, Interpreting the Prophetic Word
4) Some handouts distributed in class.

Assessment:
The grade will be based upon the final examination and class attendance (100%).

Meeting Times:
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., March 26th – 30th

Goals:
1. Increase understanding and ability to articulate the message and role of the prophets during the history of revelation in the Prophetic period with a view to expounding their meaning in the context of the local church and with a view towards recognizing the pastoral implications for the local and regional church.
2. In particular, increase understanding and ability to articulate the role of covenant in the life of Israel – individually and corporately – during the prophetic epoch.
3. Increase ability to exegete the text of the Prophets in their historical, theological, and literary contexts with a view to expounding their meaning in the context of the local church.
4. Increase knowledge of the English Bible in the Prophetic Epoch.
5. Increase knowledge of the history of Israel.
6. Increase your understanding of Biblical Hebrew.