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# **The Minor Prophets Syllabus**

## **Course Description**

This course is an expositional study of the Minor Prophets (Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi).

## **Course Objectives**

After completing this course the student will:

1. Remember the basic content and message of Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi.
2. Identify the major themes of Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi.
3. Know major problem passages and their possible solutions in Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi.
4. Gain a greater appreciation for the canonical contributions of Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi.
5. Grow in spiritual maturity through careful and consistent application of the principles found in Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi.

## **Course Textbooks**

1. The Bible
2. Class notes

## **Course Assignment Description**

1. Read Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi at least once during the length of the course. There is no substitute for reading the Scriptures!

2. Keep a notebook (preferably a 3-ring binder) devoted *specifically* to the Books of Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi. The notebook should contain the course handouts, your notes, and any assignments that you do for this course. Organizing these materials now will make them accessible in the future as you continue your studies and as you may have opportunity to teach the book.

## Course Schedule

**Class times are 7:00–7:55 (15 min. break), 8:10–9:00**

Day	Session	Content To Be Covered	Reading Due
1–24	1	Introduction to the course and the Minor Prophets	NONE
	2	Obadiah	
1–31	3	Joel	Obadiah, Joel
	4	Joel	
2–7	5	Dr. Mark Bailey	
	6	Dr. Mark Bailey	
2–14	7	Amos	Amos
	8	Amos	
2–21	9	Jonah	Jonah
	10	Jonah	
2–28	11	Hosea	Hosea
	12	Hosea	
3–7	13	Hosea	Micah
	14	Micah	
3–14	15	Micah	Nahum
	16	Nahum	
3–21	17	Zephaniah	Zephaniah
	18	Zephaniah	
3–28	19	Habakkuk	Habakkuk
	20	Habakkuk	
4–4	21	Haggai	Haggai
	22	Haggai	

4-11	23	Zechariah	Zechariah
	24	Zechariah	
4-18	25	Zechariah	
	26	Zechariah	
4-25	27	Malachi	Malachi
	28	Malachi	

## **BIBLIOGRAPHY**

See individual notes.