



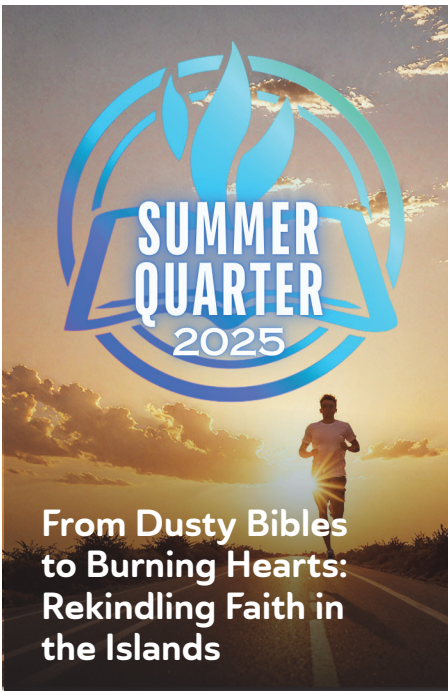
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By Rodney Wong,
BIH Executive Director

Aloha BIH 'Ōhana,

Well, summer is here! For most of us living in Hawaii, we're oblivious to seasonal changes—we live in one perpetual season where temperatures shift from hot to hotter. But here's the real heat: the BIH newsletter and our sizzlin' course offerings (in my humble opinion). We've got new classes, new faculty—including some surprise returnees—and more to come. There is a rising temperature that hints at a spiritual rumbling, not just across the country but in pockets right here at home.

People are dusting off their Bibles (maybe right next to that collection of Stanley cups that seemed like a good investment at the time) and rediscovering Scripture in ways we haven't seen in years. And not the usual suspects—young adults and men are leading the charge.

I know, I know—more stats, one person did ask for it, so here they are, fresh from 2025:

Nationwide Trends in Bible Engagement:

- **41% of U.S. adults** now read the Bible outside of church at least three times a year, up from **38% last year** (American Bible Society, 2025).
- **Gen Z**, often called the “disengaged generation,” **jumped from 11% to 15%**, and **Millennials from 12% to 17%** (American Bible Society, 2025).
- **Men saw a 19% increase in Bible reading**, finally closing that old “guys don't read the Bible” gap (American Bible Society, 2025).
- That's 10–11 million more people picking up their Bibles this year—many of them young adults and men (American Bible Society, 2025; Baptist Press, 2025).
- **Lifeway Research** reports a growing trend of Americans viewing the Bible as something to return to repeatedly, not just a relic, calling this a “rediscovery generation” (Lifeway Research, 2025).

• **Baptize America** and related events have seen over **26,000 baptisms** nationwide in 2025, making headlines in outlets like USA Today and Religion News Service (USA Today, 2025; Religion News Service, 2025).

Snapshot of Spiritual Movement in Hawaii:

- In our **BIH Prison classes**, we're witnessing a remarkable move of the Spirit: inmates are initiating their own Bible study and prayer groups—meeting up to twice a day in one module. Every week, I see or hear of someone **making a first-time decision to follow Christ**. One inmate even asked me about being baptized.
- **On Maui**, churches have reported growth fueled by deep community involvement and outreach, especially since the wildfires. One congregation shared they've celebrated **2,000 baptisms** over the last seven years—a testament to ongoing ministry and compassion.
- **Collegiate and youth ministries** on O'ahu are also reporting active campus outreach and growing engagement among students.
- With the growing houseless population,

River of Life Mission reported serving over **202,000 meals** and hosting **80 hub events weekly** across O'ahu in 2024—partnering with local churches and ministries to meet both physical and spiritual needs.

• Even at BIH, last spring we only offered just five classes and seminars, yet saw **167 registrations**—the Spirit increasing hunger for God's Word.

A Look at the Scriptures:

During a tumultuous era, the tiny kingdom of Judah hurtled toward destruction after the death of King Hezekiah. Despite the slow collapse of the Assyrian Empire in the north, successive kings Manasseh and Amon led Judah into full-blown covenant defilement. Scripture describes them as “**more evil than the nations the LORD had driven out**” (2 Kings 21:9, ESV). Their idolatry and violence were so severe that God decreed Judah's eventual fall—a judgment rooted in generations of rebellion (2 Kings 21:10–15, ESV).

Yet in **God's mercy, judgment was delayed**.

After Amon's assassination, his eight-year-old son Josiah inherited a spiritual wasteland. His story—tucked into just two chapters of two books (2 Kings 22–23; 2 Chronicles 34–35)—unfolds in a nation where God's covenant was lost, and, in many ways, so were the people. The sacred laws lay forgotten, buried beneath years of neglect, replaced by empty rituals and idols that promised everything but delivered nothing. No one was searching for the scrolls. No one missed them. No one even noticed they were gone. And then—they were found. That **rediscovery** sparked a movement no one saw coming.

What people need—what we all need—is **relief**. Relief from the endless spin cycle of life and performance religion. Relief from the anxiety that comes from making futile things our ultimate things. Our idols bear an infinite weight, leaving us exhausted, even gasping for relief. Apart from God, we can never experience what awaits beyond relief—something only He can offer from above—**Rest**. King Josiah would become the catalyst to turn the tide of a nation back to the LORD of true Rest.

After **hearing the Law read aloud**, Josiah tore his royal robes. His immediate response is telling.

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This king in development didn't deconstruct the words to make them more palatable, muse at their benefits for self-help and optimal living, or weaponize them for political purposes. The newfound text didn't puff him up. Instead, **the Scriptures deflated him**. Josiah modeled what it looks like to be undone by Scripture.

Revival could break out at any moment, anywhere, with anyone—but it can never start without the life-giving Word of God. Heart posture seems to play a key role, as seen with Josiah: "Because your heart was penitent, and you humbled yourself before the LORD ... I have heard you, declares the LORD. Behold, I will gather you to your grave in peace, and your eyes shall not see all the disaster that I will bring" (2 Kings 22:19–20 ESV).

Scripture dismantled him. It broke him. It exposed him. Like Adam and Eve, he knew he was truly naked (cf. Genesis 3:7). It revealed Judah's hopeless state and Josiah's own complicity. In humility, he sought the LORD: "Neither before nor after Josiah was there a king like him who turned to the LORD as he did—with all his heart and with all his soul

and with all his might" (2 Kings 23:25, ESV). **"With All His Might"** is an understatement. Josiah's reforms were comprehensive, swift, and dramatically "bloody." Please read those chapters for yourselves, you'll understand what I mean.

So, whether your Bible is already well-worn or has been sitting in the trunk of your car next to your second or third collection of Stanley Cups, know this: Grace breaks through whenever you rend your heart and mend it back to the Scriptures.

Let's not let this moment of openness to the Word of God pass us by. If ever there was a window of opportunity the LORD is opening for us, this could be it.

Join in—pick up your Bible, invite a friend to read with you, or start a new habit of daily Scripture engagement. Together, let's make this summer a season where God's Word is rediscovered and comes alive like never before.



I LIVED A NORMAL LIFE, BUT I WAS ALWAYS LOST UNTIL I FOUND JESUS.

I was a surprise to my mom, who thought she couldn't get pregnant. Growing up, I was often told I was an accident. To compound matters, due to my mom's age, doctors warned there was a chance I'd be born with disabilities. They asked if she still wanted to keep me, and she insisted she wouldn't have an abortion.

My parents, both born in the Philippines, faced hardships that shaped their upbringing. My dad was an orphan who never met his mother, and my mom lost two siblings before reaching high school. Grief was a constant companion for them and those around them. They moved to the United States and settled in Salinas, California, a small farm town known as the "Salad Bowl" for its lettuce production. At that time, it was a place I would call home, not yet riddled with gangs. They had no idea what they were getting into, but they held steadfast, settling into their new life together. After having three daughters and a miscarriage, they had me.

This is where my story begins. Though I was just a baby, I already felt the burden my mom felt—the bills, busyness, and sacrifices. There wasn't any time to truly enjoy and connect. This launched me into a life of striving to find connection.

As the youngest child of immigrant parents, whose sole focus was keeping food on the table and the lights on, I subconsciously lived to prove my worth—"to be successful." At a young age, I was consumed with the need to be, do, and feel enough because if I did a good job, it would get attention.

In school, I wanted the gold stars and praise from my teachers. I struggled to fit in and was bullied. My childhood would later feed into my people-pleasing and workaholic tendencies. High school was about getting into a good college, and college was about getting a good job. It was filled with doing what everyone else was doing and what I thought I was supposed to do. This time was also filled with spoiling relationships.

First, a guy in high school who was funny and smart but jealous and controlling. He would threaten to kill himself and others if I ever left. I got used to this behavior, so I stayed until one night, after a fight outside his house, I sat in my car and, before turning the keys in the ignition, I said, **"God, I don't want to come back here. I want this to be the last time."** God answered, and I never went back.

I went on to college, excited to be away from Salinas for a new chapter. During this time, I met another guy. He was well-mannered and intelligent but manipulative and an alcoholic. I carried on because of my low self-esteem. I later went on to grad school and fell into my first episode of depression. I remember sitting on the couch, staring into space, and saying to him, "I think I'm depressed," and he had no words. He didn't say anything; he just gave me a hug and went back to watching TV. It was then I knew my life needed fixing. I broke up with him, but I wanted to go back. Until one night, I sensed God guiding me with unmistakable clarity, and I never went back.

Months went by, and I was thankful to be single. I later received a huge promotion at work in San Francisco, a pivotal point in my life. I received a role at 28, a job that I could grow into and later retire from. I was the youngest division manager, managing a team and an annual \$6 million budget. I had reached the end goal, everything that I had been working for since grade school. I fueled my own downfall. At this stage in my life, I was a full-blown workaholic and people-pleaser with no boundaries, codependent on people, validation, achievements, and marijuana to sleep.

I had met another guy. He was open and kind, but I would later find him to be angry and abusive. Then COVID hit. My thoughts were dark, and my mind was unstable. I felt like a slave. I lacked an emotional vocabulary, authentic identity, confidence, and happiness. The weight of avoiding and pretending became so heavy because everything I had meant nothing. One night, I had thoughts of harming myself. I googled my symptoms, and the National Suicide Hotline popped up.

I was scared. I stared at the wall, exhausted by my thoughts, and said, **"God, please save me!"** A simple but desperate prayer that was heard and soon changed my life. I went to therapy and got help setting boundaries. But I knew there was more.

My life went on to change drastically; I continued to pray and seek. Things went so well that I thought my life was finally falling into order—from work to a new home in the hills, finding a church, and a new Christian therapist. All except one thing: the guy I was with. The abuse had set in, and the tension of my faith brought out new things. It was the hardest breakup because I feared for my life.

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ONE DAY SEMINAR

SEM-F01 or F02

Applying Biblical Principles to Your Estate Planning

Mr. Tom Rulon

This workshop draws on years of experience in estate planning, sharing both the fundamentals and practical lessons learned—what has worked, what has not, and timeless biblical wisdom from Psalms, Proverbs, and the words of our Lord. Whether you already have an estate plan or are just starting out, you will benefit from practical learning and ideas you may not have considered. When you visit your estate planning attorney to

review your existing plan or engage an attorney to create a new one, you will be prepared. Advance preparation will save you money in attorney time and bring wisdom and forethought to your planning. Come to this workshop ready to participate with your own experiences or simply soak up the knowledge and wisdom of others. Whether you are experienced or new to estate planning, you will walk away with nuggets of wisdom and fresh insights.

Two Workshop Options Available

This class is offered on two different dates and times: abbreviated version (SEM-F01) is a 2-hour session, or the

regular version (SEM-F02) is a 3-hour session.

Administrative Fee: \$15

Bring-a-Friend Free

SEM-F01; July 31, 2025

(1-day, abbreviated 2 hours)

Thursday, 6:30 – 8:30 pm

or

SEM-F02; August 16, 2025

(1-day, 3 hours)

Saturday, 9:00 – 12:00 Noon

**Hybrid: Online & In-person @ BIH Office
2345 Nuuanu Ave, Honolulu**

 **CBS/CMM: Flex Credit Hours**



Summer 2025 New Faculty



Mr. Thomas A. Rulon

Esq. earned his law degree from Northwestern University School of Law. He has practiced estate planning and trust law in Hawaii

for over 50 years. Tom has served as president of both the Tax Section and the Probate and Estate Planning Section of the Hawaii State Bar Association. He is a fellow of the American College of Trust and Estate Counsel (ACTEC). Tom has co-authored numerous “how-to” manuals for professionals in the areas of probate, estate planning, and elder law, and is a frequent lecturer on these topics. For many years, he hosted a call-in radio program on estate planning.

Tom has served on the boards of several local charities, including the Easter Seal Society of Hawaii, the Christian Legal

Society, Hawaii Youth for Christ, and his local church. He is currently on the board and serves as President of the National Christian Foundation Hawaii.

Tom’s favorite Scripture verse is 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18: “Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, and in all things give thanks, for that is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.”



Dr. Patrick Zukeran

holds a B.A. from Point Loma Nazarene University, a Master of Theology from Dallas Theological Seminary, and a Doctor of Ministry in

Apologetics from Southern Evangelical Seminary. He is currently a Ph.D. candidate in Biblical Archaeology at Veritas International University. Dr. Zukeran is the founder and Executive Director of Evidence and Answers, a research and teaching ministry specializing in Christian apologetics and the defense of the

Christian faith. He hosts the radio show Evidence and Answers (www.evidencenanswers.org) and is the author of several books, including The Apologetics of Jesus (co-authored with Norman Geisler), God, Eternity, and Spirituality (ed.), and Unless I See... Is There Enough Evidence to Believe? Dr. Zukeran is a popular conference speaker and serves as adjunct faculty for Pacific Rim University as well as other colleges and institutes worldwide. He is a returning faculty member, having taught at BIH between 2010 and 2015.

“Patrick Zukeran is one of the top Asian-American apologists in the world. He has excellent training at two top graduate schools. Pat is uniquely gifted to present and defend the faith in a university context and among thinking lay persons. He is the co-author of a crucial book, The Apologetics of Jesus. His experience in churches, universities, and the airwaves gives him an important edge in reaching the current culture for Christ.”— Dr. Norman Geisler, Noted Christian Apologist, Scholar, Author, and Professor

Summer Series: Evidence and Answers — Can We Believe the Bible? July 27 – August 10 | Free

Featuring Dr. Steven Collins, premier biblical archaeologist and Director of the School of Archaeology at Veritas International University, alongside Dr. Pat Zukeran, Founder and Executive Director of Evidence and Answers. Explore fascinating discoveries and compelling evidence that shed light on the reliability of the Bible.

Topics include:

- Archaeology and the Old & New Testaments
- The Discovery and Destruction of Sodom
- Who Was the Pharaoh of the Exodus?
- The History of Biblical Archaeology

Various locations. Register online with the QR code for more details.



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Desperate again, I went to a Maverick City concert, and I experienced a profound sense of God's leading, knowing what would come. It was enough for me to commit to leaving, no matter how hard it would be. The emotional stress was causing me to lose my hair. I clung to Jesus during this season. I felt like I was on a roller coaster ride and Jesus was my seatbelt, the only thing holding me from falling to the ground.

So, I went on to do everything with Jesus. I made the hard decisions, like putting my stuff in storage and living out of suitcases. Everyone around me was worried, but I fervently sought the Lord. I started going to church regularly, attending small groups and a Freedom Retreat. I got water baptized, and I demoted myself at work—destroying the ultimate idol I had built. I have been following Jesus ever since.

Not long after, I felt a calling to move to Honolulu. Little did I know, I would face the hardest season of my life. Newly saved and far from home, I encountered spiritual abuse for the first time. I became a malnourished sheep, unable to be around others, with a distorted view of the Holy Spirit.

Desperate for healing, I prayed to understand the Word so I wouldn't be hurt again. Then the Lord led me to BIH—a safe place for me to learn, grow,

and heal. The classes, faculty, and my peers have helped me keep my faith steady in a confusing time in my life.

I started BIH with the intention of learning the Bible to protect myself from further harm, but now I take classes because I love God's Word. I look forward to each lesson, each moment of growth, and each step closer to the healing and understanding I once thought impossible. I am forever grateful for BIH's impact on my life.

Editorial Note: At BIH, we are deeply grateful for this powerful testimony. It reveals both the serious challenges faced and the miraculous work of God's grace. We honor her courage in seeking healing.

If you are facing similar struggles, please don't walk alone. Reach out to your church family, trusted ministers, or counselors grounded in God's Word for support and prayer. We believe in the healing and restoration found in Scripture. **As Psalm 34:18 reminds us, "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit."**

For anyone in acute crisis, immediate help is available through the **National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 988.**



Join BIH for JSU—Just Show Up—for the Public Reading of Scripture!

Since 2022, BIH has faithfully hosted this unique gathering every quarter online, meeting each week for a 45-minute reading of extended Bible passages, followed by prayer and open discussion. The Public Reading of Scripture is a communal experience rooted in biblical tradition and the Apostle Paul's encouragement in 1 Timothy 4:13. Together, we listen to dramatized readings from both the Old and New Testaments—often beginning and ending with Psalms—without sermons or homework, just the Word itself and space for reflection and sharing.

Our BIH JSU group welcomes everyone, whether you're new to the Bible or a long-time reader. Sessions are held on Zoom, making it easy to join from anywhere—whether you're at home or on the go. You'll hear the Bible come alive through narrated readings from the New King James Version and have the option to participate in thoughtful discussion and prayer led by facilitators.

Best of all, this program is completely free—no registration required and no commitment to join each week. With JSU, you really do just show up! Come as you are, whenever you can, and enjoy a welcoming community growing together in God's Word.

Here's what participants are saying:

"When hearing of Public Reading of Scripture in which Just Show Up was birthed, I was interested in showing up and listening—without homework. BIH's JSU uses recordings from the New King James Version Bible. Narrated readings are

lengthier stretches of text than I've read in the past. I'm learning more from the Bible this way... Listening to Scripture with others simultaneously has increased my interest in returning to Bible reading in solitude. I think the thirst is from God . . . but JSU community has been a factor drawing me to his Word."—Linda Schier

"JSU... I love it! It makes reading the Bible easier and more understandable for me. It's public—anyone can join in—but personalized by creating new heartfelt relationships and providing insightful revelations and applications of the Bible to everyday real life."—Vernelle Oku

We invite you to join us on Zoom every **Tuesday evening from July 15 - August 26 (7 weeks), 7:00-8:30 pm.** The reading portion lasts 45 minutes, followed by time for prayer and discussion. No registration, no cost, no weekly commitment—just show up whenever you can!

Join Our Mission!

BIH is searching for a **Social Media Volunteer** to help us connect with our community & inspire the next generation!

- ◆ Share our stories ◆ Connect our community online ◆ Help raise awareness of our mission & programs
- ◆ Engage with the next generation

Vernelle@biblehawaii.org



Congratulations to Greig Porter, our BIH Board Treasurer, who graduated this spring with his B.A. in Bible and Christian Ministry! Greig continues to inspire us as he balances work and ministry while pursuing his M.Div. program this fall. The commencement ceremony was held on May 9 at Ko'olau Ballrooms. Here's a celebratory snapshot of Greig with Craig Pankow, President of PacRim Christian University. Way to go, Greig!



SUMMER QUARTER 2025 SCHEDULE OF COURSES

JULY 8 – AUGUST 30, 2025 (4 – 8 WEEKS)

Register online at www.biblehawaii.org.
For mail-in registrations, it must be
postmarked by July 1, 2025
Registration fee: \$15 – \$40.

Tuesday

CLV132

Help I'm Stuck! Studies in the Gospel of Identity and Freedom

Pastor Todd Capen

What does it look like to be changed by grace? This course will build participants up in the Gospel as everyone explores how God changes us through the Gospel. Participants will look at the subject of Gospel freedom. This is freedom from self-concern as they explore the deep love of God for them.

Administrative Fee: \$35 per household

July 8 – July 29, 2025 (4 weeks)

Tuesdays, 12 Noon – 1:00 PM

Zoom Online

 CBS/CMM: Skills



OT420

Archaeology and the Old Testament

Dr. Pat Zukeran

Is there historical evidence that supports the accounts presented in the Old Testament? Most archaeologists and Old Testament scholars believe that much of the Old Testament prior to King Ahab, is folklore. Should we consider the Old Testament history or mythology? This course will present an overview of Biblical archaeology. It will cover the history of biblical archaeology, archaeological methods, the contributions of archaeology to our understanding of the Bible, and significant archaeological discoveries connected with the Old Testament. Come discover the fascinating world of biblical archaeology.

Administrative Fee: \$40

Bring-a-Friend Free

July 8 – August 12, 2025 (6 weeks)

Tuesdays, 6:30 – 8:30 PM

Hybrid: Online & In-person @ Waialae

Baptist Church - Choir Room

1047 21st Ave, Honolulu

 CBS/CMM: OT - Historical

 This symbol denotes classes that are applicable towards the Certificate in Biblical Studies and Mentored Ministries program

Wednesday

NT004

Gospel of John, Part 1

Dr. Matt Sanders

From the prologue to Thomas's declaration "My Lord and my God," the Gospel of John declares the full deity and humanity of Jesus Christ in a simple yet profound way. Beliefs about Jesus are connected to every other Christian belief and practice. This course will look at the first half of this gospel focusing on the prologue, "I AM" statements, and the signs that helped demonstrate who Jesus is and how He revealed God in His life, death, and resurrection.

Administrative Fee: \$35 per household

July 9 – August 27, 2025 (8 weeks)

Wednesdays, 12 Noon - 1:00 PM

Zoom Online

 CBS/CMM: NT - Gospels

NT303 (For OCCC Inmates Only)

Walking in Victory: Overcoming Through Christ

Rev. Rodney Wong

This introductory Bible class for inmates focuses on studying and memorizing various New Testament verses. Participants will explore the freedom and joy found in Christ while learning practical ways to overcome fear, anxiety, addiction, and anger. Through guided discussions and personal reflection, each student will create an action plan for Spirit-led transformation and perseverance.

Your generous support makes it possible to offer biblical education to inmates completely free of charge for them and their families. We are truly grateful for your dedication to making a Christ-centered difference in their lives. Sponsoring a class is a tax-deductible donation to the Bible Institute of Hawaii.

Administrative Fee: \$35 (per inmate)

July 16 – August 27, 2025 (7 weeks)

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 7:30 PM

 CBS/CMM: Skills

Friday

CLV205

Giftedness in the Marketplace

Mr. Cheyne Rippey

Everyone has a special contribution to the body of Christ (1 Cor. 12), but what does the Bible say about how to discover your gift and utilize it? Every member is created for good works (Eph. 2:10), but how are leaders supposed to equip every single member to flourish in their own calling? Join us as we embark on a revolutionary journey in redeeming people's callings, equipping people to perform their best at work, and encouraging us to lead meaningfully by using the Giftedness Discovery method of shining a light on your design. This class will help individuals reconnect with their purpose, as well as prepare leaders to invest in their people. Participants will walk away with a renewed and actionable vision for living out their giftings in the marketplace.

Administrative Fee: \$35 per household

July 11 – August 29, 2025 (8 weeks)

Fridays, 12 Noon - 1:00 PM

Google Meets online

 CBS/CMM: Skills

Saturday

BST115

RECLAIM 神的国 God's Kingdom (This course will be taught in Mandarin)

Ms. Brooke Wei

We will explore the entire Bible together, understanding the big idea of each book from Genesis to Revelation to grasp God's plan for His Kingdom. Through engaging Bible stories, this course will help us learn about the core, underlying theme of the Kingdom of God, examining God's plan to save humanity and restore His Kingdom.

Each class will lead you on a deeper spiritual journey, and as you discover your identity and life in God's Kingdom, you will also be challenged to experience recovery, renewal, and transformation. This course will be taught in Mandarin.

Administrative Fee: \$35 per household or
Bring-a-Friend Free

July 12 – August 30, 2025 (8 weeks)

Saturdays, 9:00 – 11:00 AM

Zoom Online



CBS/CMM: Bible Overview



“Prophetic Calendar of Things to Come,” our spring class taught by Dr. Rick Bartosik and hosted by Mililani Community Church with Senior Pastor Jayson Saito, drew eager learners. Participants not only delved into the challenging topic of eschatology but also enjoyed the perks of an in-person class—great food and warm fellowship each week. Hearts were challenged to live each day with eternity in mind and to dig deeper into Scripture.



ONE DAY SEMINARS

SEM-CO208

The Bible and Developing a Healing Perspective Toward the Disabled

Dr. Elaine Eng

The Bible offers illustrations concerning disabled persons such as found in John 5 and John 9. Their conditions are similar to the chronically ill individuals whom we see today. This seminar will discuss principles derived from Scripture and encourage reflections for an inclusive and healing perspective. Historical and cultural information will provide a background for a better understanding of disability and its impact on the individual and the community. The seminar will foster practice ideas for the church ministry.

“Neither this man nor his parents sinned,” said Jesus, “but this happened so that the works of God might be displayed in him. John 9:3 NIV

Administrative Fee: \$15 per household
July 19, 2025 (1-day)

Saturday, 9:00 – 12:00 Noon HT

Zoom Online from New York



CBS/CMM: Flex Credit Hours

SEM-OT026

Book of Ezekiel: Echoes of a Prophet

Dr. Gary Manning Jr.

An overview of the book of Ezekiel, highlighting selected powerful visions, prophetic messages, and key themes of judgment and restoration. Participants will examine how some of Ezekiel's dramatic imagery and promises of renewal addressed ancient Israel during exile. The seminar will help you gain insight into God's presence in times of crisis, as Ezekiel calls Israel to face their covenant failures while holding out hope for transformation through a new heart, a restored temple, and the promise of a future shepherd-king.

Administrative Fee: \$15 per household
July 26, 2025 (1-day)

Saturday, 9:00 – 12:00 Noon HT

Zoom Online from California



CBS/CMM: Flex Credit Hours



Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI) has approved Bible Institute of Hawai'i to offer course work leading to Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for ACSI Certification in the area of biblical studies.

Course Registration Form

Please print legibly

☐ First time student ☐ Update/change information

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Last Name

First Name

Best way to reach me is by: (please write in phone number &/or e-mail address)

☐ Phone: home/cell/work

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Address

Church Affiliation (if any)

Please check all applicable boxes below



☐ Yes, I'm interested in the Certificate in Biblical Studies Program

☐ Requesting a Certificate of Completion for:

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Directions: Fill out your name and phone no. and/or email address. One form per person unless you are family and have the same contact info. **First time student:** Fill out your mailing address (and church affiliation). Return completed form and administrative fee to BIH. Checks payable to BIH. For more info on How to Register and Schedule of Courses OR to register online, go to www.biblehawaii.org

Mail-in Registration for classes postmarked by July 1

See Schedule of Courses for more details

Course No.	Course Name	Admin Fee
<input type="checkbox"/> CLV132	Help I'm Stuck! Identity and Freedom	\$35
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<input type="checkbox"/> SEM-F01	Applying Biblical Principles Estate Thu	\$15
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