

The Bibles

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In this colloquium we will examine various scholarly approaches to the Hebrew Bible and the New Testament, including High Biblical Criticism and literary, historical, and archeological approaches to these crucial texts in the history of humankind. We will discuss how these approaches differ from the traditional view of the Bible in Judaism and Christianity, and if, and how, these different modes of interpretation can be reconciled.

Tuesdays

January 26	Introduction: <u>Genesis</u>
February 9	<u>Exodus</u> and <u>Deuteronomy</u>
February 23	<u>Ecclesiastes</u> and <u>Job</u>
March 9	<u>Matthew</u> , <u>Mark</u> , and <u>Luke</u>
March 23	<u>Romans</u> and <u>Galatians</u>
April 6	Gnostic and Dead Sea Scrolls Texts
April 13	(Make-up)

Texts: 1) Tanakh: The Holy Scriptures - The New JPS Translation
According to the Traditional Hebrew Text

2) New Revised Standard Version of the entire Bible