

SENATE OF SERAMPORE COLLEGE

Common Entrance Test for Doctor of Theology Course

Suggested Books - 2021

Old Testament: Suggested Books:	
Iain Provan, V. Philips Long, and Tremper Longman III	<i>A Biblical History of Israel.</i> (Louisville/London: Westminster John Knox Press, 2003).
P.P. Thomas	<i>Jeroboam II the King and Amos the Prophet: A Social Scientific Study on The Israelite Society During the 8th Century BCE.</i> (New Delhi: ISPCK, 2003)
New Testament: Suggested Books:	
Simon Samuel	<i>A Postcolonial Reading of Mark's Story</i> (London: T & T Clark, 2007)
Richard A. Horsley, ed.,	<i>Hidden Transcripts and the Arts of Resistance: Applying the Work of James C. Scott to Jesus and Paul</i> (Leiden & Boston: Brill, 2004) (Available for free download from Zlibrary)
Christian Theology: Suggested Books:	
Sallie McFague	<i>Models of God: Theology for an Ecological, Nuclear Age</i> (Fortress Press, 1987)
Y.T. Vinayaraj,	<i>Church and Empire: Detailing Theological Musings</i> (Christian World Imprints, 2019)
History of Christianity: Suggested Books:	
A.M. Mundadan,	<i>Indian Christians Search for Identity and Struggle for Autonomy</i> (Bangalore: Dharmaram Publications, 1984).
Earle E. Cairns,	<i>Christianity Through the Centuries: A History of the Christian Church</i> (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 3 rd Edition, 1996, Epub, 2010).

Religion: Suggested Books:	
Ralte, Rodinmawia,	<i>The Unveiled Christ of the Indian Gurus: A Study on the Contemporary Gurus' Interpretations of Jesus Christ</i> , New Delhi: Christian World Imprints, 2017.
<u>Knitter</u> , Paul F.	<i>Introducing Theologies of Religion</i> , Maryknoll, New York: Orbis Books, 2002.
Christian Ministry: General Suggested Books:	
Patton, John.	<i>Pastoral Care in Context: An Introduction to Pastoral Care</i> . Louisville, KY: Westminster/John Knox Press, 1993.
Murry, Ezamo.	<i>An Introduction to Pastoral Care and Counselling</i> . Delhi: ISPCK, 2005.
Christian Ministry: Counseling Suggested Books:	
Gordan Lynch (Ed.)	<i>Clinical Counselling in Pastoral Context</i> . Routledge, London and New York.
Sudhir Kakar	<i>The Colours of Violence</i> . Penguin Books.
Christian Ministry: Homiletics Suggested Books:	
Eugene L. Lowry,	<i>The Homiletical Plot : The Sermon as Narrative Form</i> , London: Westminster John Knox Press. 2001
Alfred Stephen,	<i>Homiletics: Handbook for Teachers and Learners of Preaching</i> . Nagaland : TDCC & ECHO FOREST. 2017
Christian Ministry: Education Suggested Books:	
Thomas Kulathuveetill,	<i>Shared-Praxis as Christian Religious Education</i> , Bangalore: Kristu Jyoti Publications, 1992.
Robert W Pazmino,	<i>Foundational Issues in Christian Education: An Introduction in Evangelical Perspective</i> , Grand Rapids: A Division of Baker Book House Co. 1999.

Communication: Suggested Books:	
M. Peter Singh,	<i>Cybertheology</i> (Delhi: ISPCK, 2009).
Keval J. Kumar	<i>Mass Communication in India</i> (Mumbai: Jaico Publishing House, 1994).
Social Analysis: Suggested Books:	
Gabriele Dietrich	<i>A New Thing on Earth: Hopes and Fears facing Feminist Theology (Theological Ruminations of a Feminist Activist.</i> Delhi/Madurai: ISPCK/TTS, 2001.
Naomi Klein	<i>This Changes Everything: Capitalism vs. the Climate.</i> UK; Penguin Random House, 2015.
Missiology: Suggested Books:	
<i>Edited by: Stephen Bevans, Teresa Chai, J. Nelson Jennings, Knud Jørgensen and Dietrich Werner</i>	<p>“Reflecting on and Equipping for Christian Mission” PDF File attached Read the following Sections and write a review keeping in mind the expectations Section One: Historical and Missiological Perspective - Pages 3-89 Section Two: Crucial Issues - 93-177 Concluding Chapter - 376-392</p>
<i>Edited by: Hans Aage Gravaas, Christ of Sauer, Tormod Engelsen, Maqsood Kamil and Knud Jørgensen</i>	<p>“Freedom of Belief and Christian Mission” PDF File attached Read the following Sections and write a review keeping in mind the expectations Section One – Theoretical Framework - Pages 3-44, Section Two - Historical And Theological Reflections – Pages 47-163 Section Four - Missiological Responses – Pages 413-464</p>
Women Studies Suggested Books:	
R.L. Hnuni,	<i>Vision for Women in India: Perspective from the Bible, Church and Society,</i> Bangalore: Asian Trading Corporation, 2009.
Francis Gonsalves & Vinod Victor,	<i>Corona of Thorns? Or Corona of Life?: Changing Church in the Covid Context,</i> New Delhi: ISPCK, 2020.

**Christian Ethics:
Suggested Books:**

Thatcher, Adrian.

Gender and Christian ethics. Cambridge, United Kingdom
New York, NY, USA: Cambridge University Press, 2021.
Print.

Wilfred, Felix.

*Religious identities and the Global South : porous borders
and novel paths.* Cham: Palgrave Macmillan, 2021. Print.

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