

Fall 2025 Semester Course

DT885 The Theology of St. Bonaventure (3cr)

COURSE DESCRIPTION

The course will introduce students to St. Bonaventure's theology of the Trinity, Christ, and the sacraments. The course will engage extensive selections from his spiritual writings, his biblical commentaries, and his Commentary on the Sentences as well as Disputed Questions. Special attention will be paid to his Commentary on Luke and Commentary on John, his Journey of the Mind to God and The Tree of Life, his On the Reduction of the Arts to Theology, and his Commentary on the Sentences. The course will focus theologically rather than strictly historically, but his medieval context will be kept in view.



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