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READING LIST

Course Title: The Theology and Cult of the Virgin Mary
Location: Ewert House, Oxford
Term Dates: 03 May 2022 to 05 Jul 2022
Tutor: Sarah Jane Boss

The reading list below was supplied by the course tutor.

If you have enrolled on a course starting in the autumn, you can become a borrowing member of the Rewley House library from 1st September. If you are enrolled on a course starting in other terms, you can become a borrowing member once the previous term has ended. For example, students starting in January can join the Library in early December and those starting in April can join in early March.

If you are planning to purchase any books, please keep in mind that courses with insufficient students enrolled will be cancelled. The Department accepts no responsibility for books bought in anticipation of a course running.

Preparatory Reading List

The items on this list are to give you some background to the materials and ideas that we will be covering on the course.

Author	Title
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Boss, Sarah Jane	<i>Mary (Series: New Century Theology (Continuum))</i>
Tim Perry and Daniel Kendall, SJ	<i>The Blessed Virgin Mary (Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2013)</i>

Course Reading List

The items on this list are to support your learning while you are taking the course.

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Bernard of Clairvaux and Amadeus of Lausanne - trans. M.-B. Saïd and Grace Perigo	<i>Magnificat: Homilies in Praise of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Kalamazoo, MI: Cistercian Publications, 1979)</i>
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- Catherine Oakes *Ora pro Nobis: The Virgin as Intercessor in Medieval Art and Devotion* (Turnhout: Brepols, 2009)
- Chris Maunder (ed.) *Origins of the Cult of the Virgin Mary* (London: Continuum, 2008)
- Chris Maunder (ed.) *The Oxford Handbook of Mary* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2019)
- Diarmaid MacCulloch 'Mary and Sixteenth-Century Protestants,' in R.N. Swanson (ed.), *Mary and the Church* (Woodbridge, Suffolk: Boydell and Brewer, 2004), 191-21
- Elizabeth A. Johnson *Truly Our Sister: A Theology of Mary in the Communion of Saints* (London: Continuum, 2006)
- Hildegard of Bingen *Hymns in Honour of the Blessed Virgin* (available at <https://www.amodernreveal.com/hildegard-von-bingen>)
- John Paul II, Pope St *Redemptoris Mater* (available at http://www.vatican.va/content/john-paul-ii/en/encyclicals/documents/hf_jp-ii_enc_25031987_redemptoris-mater.htm)
- Joseph Ratzinger *Daughter Zion: Meditations on the Church's Marian Belief* (San Francisco: Ignatius Press, 1984)
- Karl Rahner, *Mary, Mother of the Lord*, trans. W.J. O'Hara (Wheathampstead: Anthony Clarke, 1974)
- Luigi Gambero *Mary and the Fathers of the Church: The Blessed Virgin Mary in Patristic Thought* (San Francisco: Ignatius Press, 1999)
- Rachel Fulton *From Judgment to Passion: Devotion to Christ and the Virgin Mary, 800-1200* (New York: Columbia University Press, 2002)
- Sandra Zimdars-Swartz *Encountering Mary: From La Salette to Medjugorje* (Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 1991)
- Sarah Jane Boss *Empress and Handmaid: On Nature and Gender in the Cult of the Virgin Mary* (London: Cassell, 2000)
- Sarah Jane Boss (ed.), *Mary: The Complete Resource* (London: Continuum, 2007)
- Stephen J. Shoemaker *Mary in Early Christian Faith and Devotion* (New Haven and London: Yale University Press, 2016)
- Thérèse Taylor *Bernadette of Lourdes: Her Life, Death and Visions* (London: Continuum, 2008)