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**COMMON CORE TEXTS**

**Fall, 2007**

**GST 150 Portal: Seeking Wisdom**

<i>The Bible</i> (selections)	New American Bible, Personal Study Edition
<i>The Confessions</i> (selections)	St. Augustine (New City Press)
<i>The New Atlantis</i>	Bacon (Croft Classics)
<i>Oedipus the King</i>	Sophocles
<i>Antigone</i>	
<i>The Odyssey</i> (selections)	Homer
<i>Symposium</i>	Plato
<i>The Crito</i>	Plato (Cornell Univ. Press)
<i>Seeking Wisdom Reader</i>	

*The Seeking Wisdom Reader* includes the following selections:

The Dalai Lama	Dependent Origination and the Nature of Reality Ethics and Suffering
Bertrand Russell	Why I am not a Christian
The Koran	Suras 1, 13, 17, 28, 30, 89
John Neihardt	Black Elk Speaks
Aldo Leopold	A Sand County Almanac
St. Francis of Assisi	The Canticle of Brother Sun
William Wordsworth	Lines Composed a few Miles above Tintern Abbey
Peter Singer	All Animals are Equal
Martha Nussbaum	Citizens of the World
Pope John Paul II	Centesimus Annus
Thomas Jefferson	The Declaration of Independence
United Nations	Universal Declaration of Human Rights
Henry David Thoreau	Civil Disobedience
Joseph Campbell	The Hero and the God

### **ENG150 – What It Means To Be Human**

<i>Medea</i>	Euripides
<i>The Merchant of Venice</i>	William Shakespeare
<i>Seagull Reader – Poems</i>	edited by Joseph
<i>Seagull Reader – Short Stories</i>	edited by Joseph Kelly
<i>Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man</i>	James Joyce
<i>Mrs. Dalloway</i>	Virginia Woolfe
<i>“Master Harold”...and the boys</i>	Athol Fugard
<i>A Pocket Style Manual</i>	Diana Hacker

### **RST210 – Christianity in Dialog with World Religions**

<i>The World’s Religions</i>	Huston Smith
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### **PHL220 – Philosophy and Responsibility**

<i>Nicomachean Ethics</i>	Aristotle
<i>Grounding for Metaphysics of Morals</i>	Kant
<i>Prince</i>	Machiavelli
<i>Utilitarianism</i>	John Stuart Mill
<i>Basic Writings of Nietzsche</i>	Nietzsche
<i>Republic</i>	Plato

### **GST450 Capstone: Living Wisdom**

<i>Habits of the Heart: Individualism and Commitment in American Life</i>	Robert Bellah, et al
<i>The Art of Happiness</i>	The Dalai Lama
<i>Nickel and Dimed</i>	Barbara Ehrenreich
<i>The Sabbath</i>	Abraham Heschel
<i>Life Abundant: Rethinking Theology and Economy for a Planet in Peril</i>	Sallie McFague

#### Online Documents and Links:

<i>Deus Caritas Est</i>	Pope Benedict XVI
<i>United Nations Human Development Report 2007</i> (Available on SRU Library’s electronic reserve)	