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# Scriptural Books

## Particular Fields of Theology

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- [Liturgical](#)
- [Moral](#)
- [Spirituality](#)
- [Primary Sources](#)
- [Theologians to Read](#)
- [Abbreviations](#)

## Journals

- [Old Testament Abstracts](#)
- [New Testament Abstracts](#)
- [Catholic Biblical Quarterly](#)
- [Biblica](#)
  - By the Pontifical Biblical Institute
- [Novum Testamentum](#)
- [Vetus Testamentum](#)

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- Ebraismo by I Dizionari San Paolo
- Dizionario di critica testuale del Nuovo Testamento. Storia, canone, apocrifi, paleografia by I Dizionari San Paolo
- Anchor Yale Bible Dictionary (AYBD)
- Eerdmans Dictionary of the Bible (EDB)

## Magisterium

- Dei Filius
  - [Italian](#)
  - [English Session 3](#)
- [Dei Verbum](#)
- [Divino Afflante Spiritu](#)
- The Interpretation of the Bible in the Church by the Pontifical Biblical Commission
  - [EWTN \(English\)](#)
  - [Vatican \(Italian\)](#)
- [The Inspiration and Truth of Sacred Scripture by the Pontifical Biblical Commission](#)
- [Pontifical Biblical Commission Documents](#)

## General Series

- Studi biblici

## Commentary Series

- The Navarre Bible Commentary
  - <https://scepterpublishers.org/collections/navarre-bibles>
- Ancient Christian Commentary on Scripture (ACCS)
  - In 29 Vol
  - <https://www.ivpress.com/ancient-christian-commentary-on-scripture>
- The Paulist biblical commentary
- Eerdmans Commentary on the Bible
- [Fathers' Commentary on the Lectionary](#)
- [Fathers' Commentary on the Bible](#)
- Anchor Yale Bible Commentary Series (AYBC)
- Collegeville Bible Commentary
- New Collegeville Bible Commentary
- Sacra Pagina Commentary Series (SP)

- International Critical Commentary Series (ICC)
- New International Commentary: New Testament (NICNT)
- New International Commentary: Old Testament (NICOT)
- Catholic Commentary on Sacred Scripture (CCSS)
- UBS Handbook Series
- Through Old Testament Eyes
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