

# Friends International Christian University Student Catalog



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## **Welcome to the Journey of a Lifetime!**

We at Friends International Christian University are ready to assist you on your journey to wisdom, knowledge and growth in the Word of God.

As I write this letter today, so many great and wonderful things are being brought about by the will of our Lord and Savior! I would like to take a moment to share the vision with you. Allow me to convey a little of the excitement we feel here at the Headquarters of Friends International Christian University. I am positive you will be praising the Lord along with us at his amazing and miraculous blessings; and you will long to be a part of this wonderful ministry.

Friends International Christian University [FICU] is the parent body of many colleges and institutes. FICU was established in 1978. Friends International Christian University was developed to offer two types of education. The first being post graduate independent, as well as on-site studies for Pastors and Christian Leaders. Second, the installation and administration of Affiliate Bible Colleges and Institutes located within small and large churches across the United States, as well as internationally. This process is available to offer biblically based education to lay ministers and Christian workers.

The education offered by FICU and FICU Affiliate centers is Bible based, Christ oriented, and the curriculum references all subjects of Biblical orientations. Friends International Christian University was established to be a helping hand, a unifying bond, so that ministries everywhere can carry out the work and continue on the path that God has set them upon. FICU has Affiliate Centers across this great nation, and around the world.

Friends International Christian University has elected to maintain a private accreditation association, free from Regional or National Control. Doing so, would negatively impact our programs that operate outside of the United States. FICU was founded to educate, enlighten and expand the knowledge of Pastors, Teachers, Evangelists, Prophets and to all those who have a calling from God all over the world.

FICU believes in the American Constitution, and the ability to exercise our rights of Freedom of Religion as set forth by the founding fathers of this great nation. As those who signed the Constitution and Declaration of Independence, we are in total agreement with their declaration "In God We Trust".

The time has come that we equip ourselves fully in the knowledge of Christ. To not only go out and preach to other nations, but to save our nation. The United States of America is entering into a massive phase of revival. Many citizens are turning to God today, more than at any time in our lives. We would like to assist you in becoming prepared to handle your very important part that God has planned for you.

Pray about this today, we will stand in agreement with you, that the Lords direction will be readily revealed to you, whether God directs you to FICU or to another school. We are excited for you and FICU may very well be a part of Jesus' plan for you. Get ready for a journey of a lifetime

Sincerely in His & your Service

Edward N. Michaelson, Ph.D.  
Founder, President and CEO

## Philosophy

**FICU** is committed to education, the education of persons preparing for service in Christian ministry. We place our confidence in the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father has sent in the name of Jesus, to teach us all things.

**FICU** is committed to train ministers to assume the role of Friends, as portrayed in John 15:15, in the Holy Bible.

***FICU believes John 15:16, “ye have not chosen me but I have chosen you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain; that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you these things I command you, that ye love one another.” John 15:17***

Through the study of the “Word,” and the leading of the Holy Spirit, (that will lead us into all truth), we commit our study and training; the Word of God is our major test in all training. John 15:17, “sanctify them through thy truth,” “thy Word is truth.”

**FICU** will award degrees for completion of a prescribed course of study. It is our conviction that every minister must continue to learn in order to be an effective Friend. Every minister, regardless of the educational background or geographical location, should have equal opportunity to be more effective. **FICU** is committed to being a Friend who helps this process of education to become an opportunity to many.

## Statement of Doctrine

### ***We Believe:***

***That*** the Bible, consisting of all the books of the Old and New Testaments, is the Word of God, a supernaturally given revelation without error or misstatement in moral and spiritual teachings and record of historical facts.

***In*** the Trinity — that the eternal God manifests Himself in three persons: God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit; and that these three are one God, but separate in personality and work.

***In*** the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in his virgin birth, in his sinless life, in his miracles, in his vicarious death and atonement through his shed blood, in his bodily resurrection, in his ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in his personal and visible return in power and glory.

***That*** man was created in the image of God that he was tempted by Satan and fell, and that because of the exceeding sinfulness of human nature, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely necessary for salvation.

***That*** the Holy Spirit, the Third Person of the Trinity, though omnipresent from all eternity, took up his abode in the world in a special sense on the day of Pentecost according to the divine promise and dwells in every believer; and that the gifts of the Spirit and the fruit of the Spirit in the lives of believers are visible demonstrations of His presence.

***In*** the bodily resurrection of both the saved and the lost: those who are saved unto the resurrection of life and those who are lost unto the resurrection of damnation.

***That*** God’s plan for this age as expressed in the great commission involves the evangelizing of the world through the witness of every believer in Jesus Christ, the making of disciples through the teaching of His Word in the local church as a means of accomplishing His purpose.

## **FICU Administration**

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## Teaching Faculty

**FICU** obtains much of its Bible Curriculum and study material from World Society of Scriptural Knowledge, and have the benefit of renowned Evangelical Scholars. Some of these scholars have gone to receive their great reward, but their works will continue to be an inspiration and source of invaluable knowledge. Learn the Bible from these famous teachers, and many more. A joint effort of over thirty evangelical scholars!

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## **Affiliate Center Information**

Affiliate division is the administrative umbrella under which the Affiliate Center framework is structured. **FICU** is actively seeking churches of all Christian denominations to participate in this program. Through our Affiliate Center program, a church will be evaluated to determine its compatibility with the **FICU** Statement of Faith, Educational Objectives and Philosophies. Affiliate Center candidates are required to apply for consideration. To receive an Affiliate Center Packet, please call (209) 384-7900 or email [ficu@ficu.edu](mailto:ficu@ficu.edu).

If the candidate church meets the criteria set forth by Friends International Christian University and agrees to hold to the administrative and financial guidelines for an on-site resident education program, a charter will be issued. This charter will allow the church, to operate as an affiliate center of Friends International Christian University, thus giving all participating students the ability to transfer earned credit directly to **FICU** for degree eligibility.

This system of Affiliation allows a greater number of people to benefit from a Christian education than any one college could serve alone. Each Affiliate Center will become a direct affiliate campus of **FICU**. This allows all **FICU** programs to be available to anyone attending the church as well as those in the surrounding community to benefit from the programs offered. Potential students must qualify for admission and meet standards and academic requirements set up by **FICU**. All credits, classes and seminars completed at any Affiliate Center will be given full credit and this credit will be applicable to any Degree Program **FICU** has to offer.

## **Mission Centers**

Friends International Christian University has many affiliate centers, located around the world. Many approved centers are Mission Centers.

The students attending receive their education for little or no cost, giving students the opportunity to learn about God and further their personal knowledge in the Bible. **FICU** has many opportunities to help student through hands on learning. Call today and find out how you can begin an Affiliate Center, anywhere in the world.

## Authorized Affiliate Centers

**PLEASE BE ADVISED:** The following list of affiliate centers may be incorrect at the time of your viewing. FICU is continuously installing new affiliate centers, and you may not find their name included. Some affiliate centers may no longer be affiliated, or some directors may no longer participate. All listed centers are or have been affiliated with FICU.

### **Agape Embassy Ministries School of Ministry**

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### **Apostolic Faith Christian College & Theological Seminary**

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### **Ark International Bible College**

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### **Bethel Abundant Life Seminary**

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### **Calvary Bible Institute**

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Leyton, London E10 7JQ

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### **Faith for Living Covenant Theological Seminary**

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### **Greenwood Acres Bible College**

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### **Live On Bible College/Bethel Worship Center**

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### **Owen McManus School of Ministry**

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New Orleans, LA 70127

### **Progressive School of Ministry**

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**Trinity Faith Bible College**  
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Dayton, OH 45407

### **Phillip Temple AOH Church of God**

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### **Tabernacle of Praise AOH, COG**

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### **Touch of Love AOH Church of God**

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### **Havelock Community Bible College**

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### **Lay Academy Bible Institute**

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### **Achievers Bible College**

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### **Central Bible School Evangel College**

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### **Disciples Bible Institute**

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### **Dominion Bible Academy**

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Shreveport, LA 71106

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## Mission Schools

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### **Faithways Bible Institute**

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# Student Information & Services

## Contacting FICU is quite simple you may write to

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Merced, California 95344-1979

## Stop by

2125 "O" Street  
Merced, California

## You may call

(800) 509-7009 toll free  
(209) 384-7900 office  
(209) 384-3251 fax

## You may email us

ficu@ficu.edu  
admissions@ficu.edu

## Visit our web site

[www.ficu.edu](http://www.ficu.edu)

## Grading

FICU uses the following standard grading system

90% -100%	A	Withdrawal -W
80%- 89%	B	Incomplete - I
70% - 79%	C	Transfer - T
60% - 69%	D	
Below 50%	F	

## **Independent Study**

Friends International Christian University offers many types of curriculum to the FICU student. Students are welcome to apply for the Independent Study and Research Program, Distance Learning Program, or students may choose to attend an on-site program at one of FICU's many affiliate centers. When an Affiliate Center does not offer courses needed to complete a specific degree program, or there is not a center in the student's geographic area, a student may apply to complete their program by Independent Study. Tuition will be determined by the number of units needed to complete degree program selected.

## **Proficiency Exam**

A student may request the opportunity to challenge any course that has a proficiency exam. Upon request, student will be informed of cost. Upon payment and successfully passing the exam, the student will receive credit for any course challenged.

## **The Covenant Agreement Program (Student Loans)**

Interest free student loans are made available to each FICU student. The eligibility to receive an interest free university loan is based upon each student's direct financial need. All payment plans are referred to as Covenant Agreements. Covenant Agreements may be approved for as little as \$100.00 or more per month. There will be a fee of \$25.00 for every payment over 10 days late.

Confer with your academic advisor or directly with the FICU Admissions Office, if you wish to apply for a covenant agreement.

Each course offered by **FICU** is measured in semester units of credit. See the specific degree programs and course descriptions for the number of units of credit offered for each specific course. (The grade point stated for letter grade is used to calculate grade point average or GPA.)

## **Transfer Credit**

All students are requested to submit sealed official transcripts for any courses or degree that they wish to be considered for transfer credit. Official transcript from any accredited college or university will be evaluated and acceptable credit will be applied toward the requirements of the various degree programs. All transcripts from any institution attended by the candidate may be submitted for evaluation. Only those grades or courses that the candidates wish to apply toward their degree (s) will be recorded in their file. Students who wish to have credits transferred must request transcripts be sent directly to:

*Friends International Christian University,  
Post Office Box 3979  
Merced, CA 95344-1979*

There is no charge for transfer or recording of credits. A maximum of 75% of undergraduate requirements will be accepted and 20% of graduate requirements. There may be a special assessment charge for evaluation and transfer of credits from a non-accredited institution.

## **Experiential Learning Special Assessment**

Special Assessment is a method of evaluating knowledge in college subject areas where proficiency examinations are not appropriate. Special Assessment may take one of several forms, including oral, written, and the evaluation of portfolios of artistic or literary accomplishments. Special Assessment may also include non-collegiate training taken in Bible schools, seminars, correspondence courses, etc. Individuals who have taught college level courses, which are not duplicative of any courses that they have taken, will be awarded the number of credits earned by their students who successfully completed such course. Any enrolled degree candidates can request an evaluation of lifetime and experiential learning

### **Special Assessment Fee**

A student will be required to pay a fee of \$32.50 per unit assessed undergraduate credit and \$120.00 per unit of graduate credit. A student enrolled in a Degree Program or Credit Bank may request special assessment by sending their request and detailed resume to the university.

### **Transcript of Records**

**FICU** will supply a transcript upon graduation. Requests for additional transcripts must be submitted in writing and signed by the student. The student may submit the request by fax (209) 384-3251. The student shall provide current address information, as well as their social security number, if applicable. International Students are required to provide their assigned student number. There is a \$15.00 fee for each transcript requested. Students may use their credit card for this fee. Transcripts will not be released to students with debt owed to the university.

## **Right to Privacy**

In order to protect the privacy of students and graduates records and to remain in compliance with the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, **FICU** will not respond to personal or telephone requests to comment on or release any information relative to a student or graduate's program. Requests for confirmation of a student or graduate's current status must be submitted on professional stationery to establish a "reasonable need to know" status of the individual requesting the information. A student's name, degree program, dates of enrollment or a graduate's graduation date and/or degree title will only be provided. No additional information will be provided unless a release, signed by the student or graduate, is attached to the request for information.

## **Withdrawal and Termination**

All requests to withdraw or terminate studies with Friends International Christian University must be submitted in writing by the student, before action is taken. The letter must state the reasons for the request. After review, the student will be informed of the disposition of the request by return letter. In the event of withdrawal or termination, any tuition refund due will be made in accordance with the terms of the tuition Refund Policy outlined in the Tuition Section of this Bulletin. **FICU** reserves the right to terminate a student from any program for any of the following reasons:

- ◆ Failure to demonstrate reasonable and successful progress toward learning goals established by the student and/or the University
- ◆ Failure to submit work according to standards specified in the manuals and instructions provided by **FICU**
- ◆ Plagiarism of the work of others, or the falsification of records, transcripts or course work documents submitted for review or credit
- ◆ False statements concerning a student's dates of enrollment
- ◆ Failure to maintain a tuition payment agreement

## **New Certificate Copy**

**FICU** will issue a new certificate copy upon written request to the graduate. Students will be required to pay a fee of \$100.00 for each copy requested. Upon receipt of a written request, **FICU** will forward a new copy of the graduate's degree. **FICU** will not be responsible a change in the degree form or layout. **FICU** will not change the format to reflect a prior degree format.

## **Independent Individualized Program**

The competency level of a prospective student is evaluated by review of the individual's application or admission and a portfolio which includes a detailed ministerial/occupational resume, official transcripts and other documents supporting previous academic work, and specialized training certificates. Evaluation of each individual's portfolio of documents is the key component for acceptance of an individual into an independent and individualized degree program for either undergraduate or graduate work. The evaluation is planned to determine whether an applicant has the appropriate educational background, occupational accomplishment and attitudinal motivation necessary to function effectively in an independent and individualized, innovative, educational environment. Motivation is a fundamental factor for determining whether an individual can successfully function in this type of learning situation.

## **Evaluation of Prior Learning Experience**

After a student is enrolled, all acceptable previous college course work reflect on an official transcript, will be transferred in and all non-collegiate experience is reviewed to determine if the individual has adequate experience to justify the university awarding credit for prior learning experience. FICU will extend to the student the opportunity for the student to validate and provide validation through documentation, and verifiable evidence of competence for any of the courses required in the chosen program. Each student is required to submit a complete Student Portfolio, in accordance with the FICU Student Portfolio Guidelines.

The student will be required to submit evidence to their Academic Advisor that the Student has met the requirements for each Course. Additionally, at the undergraduate level, students may request "Credit by Experiential Learning" for General Elective courses and courses in their major. For areas where an adequate level of competence is identified, students will receive credit and receive advance standing. The student will be informed of the required course to complete their individualized program.

Students may request a copy of the Student Portfolio Guidelines through the FICU Admissions Office or their personal Academic Advisor. All students are individually evaluated by an Academic Advisor, then approval may or may not be gained through a vote by the Assessment Committee.

## **The Course Work and Supporting Textbooks**

The course work required of the student may take one or a combination of several different procedures to complete. Course presentation may be in the form of textbook, video, audiocassette tape, or multimedia forum. The student's Academic Advisor will determine the form of curriculum and grade assessment best suited to each individual student. Academic Advisors are required to use one of several standard forms of assessment of the individual knowledge of course content.

***NOTE: all textbook, video, audiocassette, tape, or multimedia purchased is non-refundable.***

## **The Research Project Thesis & Dissertation**

- Bachelor's Degree students may select to write a Research Project as a form of meeting some course requirements.
- Master's Degree students will be required to write a Thesis. In a degree program requiring practicum, this thesis requirement may be waived. Students enrolled in a Masters/Doctoral program may also qualify for a waiver of this requirement. All Doctoral Degree students will be required to write a Dissertation. Students enrolled in a Professional Doctoral Program/Academic Program may request a waiver of dissertation in their program in lieu of practicum, if applicable. This waiver is granted on an individual case by case basis.
- Doctoral Candidates, upon consultation with their Academic Advisor, will select a topic for research which will be directly related to the student's Major in his or her program.

OBJECTIVES for writing the Research Project, Thesis and Dissertation are as follows:

*To demonstrate the student's ability to select and isolate a topic worthy of research,*

*To demonstrate the ability to plan, research, analyze and logically present the findings or results of the research, and*

*To demonstrate the student's ability to present the entire research project in thesis or dissertation form, the format in which professional or scholarly research is presented to the academic and professional community.*

## **The Proposal for the Thesis or Dissertation**

All students must first develop a proposal for a topic that is appropriate for the major and the level of the Degree program in which the student is enrolled. The proposal must be presented according to the Dissertation Thesis and Writing Guide.

The proposal shall be submitted to the student's Academic Advisor and be approved by the university, before commencing research. Verbal discussion, advice, or instruction pertaining to a potential topic for research with the Student's Academic Advisor cannot be construed as an approval. The proposal must be submitted in written form in accordance with the Dissertation Thesis and Writing Guide.

After the proposal has been approved, the student may then begin the formal research and writing of the project. The student may contact their Academic Advisor with any questions or problems associated with research or writing. The student is encouraged to progress as swiftly as possible, with a minimum amount of supervision.

Doctoral candidates have twelve months to complete the Dissertation Project. Students unable to complete within this time frame may request an extension of six months, however they will be required to pay an additional fee of \$500.00

When the project is completed, the student will have one copy bound in a hardback, library style binding, with the title and the student's name embossed in gold on both the spine and the cover. The bound copy shall be presented to the University for permanent inclusion in the University's Research Project, Thesis and Dissertation Library. The bound copy will serve as permanent evidence of the student's ability to conduct professional and scholarly research

## **Bibliography / Supporting Research Project Thesis and Dissertation**

When all the prescribed course work is satisfactorily completed, and the grade requirements have been met, the student will receive a letter so stating and a copy of the manual will be provided. The manual contains detailed instructions on presenting research. In addition, the manual has a model in the appendix to serve as an example of how the project, thesis, or dissertation is to be presented.

Upon acceptance of the committee of all work presented, the candidate will receive immediate acknowledgment of satisfaction of all graduation requirements. A formal Final Assessment Committee Report will be placed in the candidate's portfolio. The degree and official transcript will be mailed to the graduate upon receipt of the degree from the engraver.

## **Concurrent Degree Programs Bachelors/Masters**

A Bachelor's Degree is ordinarily required to enter a Master's Degree Program. However, an applicant not holding a Bachelor's Degree may be offered an opportunity to concurrently earn both degrees if he or she meets the prerequisites listed below.

1. An applicant should have evidence of professional ministry or lifetime learning experience comparable to 60 or more units of bible/theology or general education credit within their major.
2. An applicant having five years full time leadership experience in the ministry can expect to meet the above requirements.

In this Concurrent Bachelors/Masters Degree Program, the student must complete the normal requirements for the Bachelor's and Master's Degree Programs.

A Master's Degree is ordinarily required to enter a Doctoral Degree Program. However, an applicant not holding a Master's Degree may be offered an opportunity to concurrently earn both the Master's and Doctoral Degrees if he or she meets the prerequisites listed below:

1. An applicant must hold a Bachelor's Degree in the Major the Program for which the student is submitting an Application for Admission. A Bachelor's Degree in another field may be substituted if the evaluation of the applicants' entire learning background seems to indicate the student possesses the necessary foundation to succeed in the program.
2. An applicant having seven years full time leadership experience in the ministry can expect to meet the above requirements. In this Concurrent Masters/Doctoral Degree Program, the student will not be required to complete Masters Thesis Project. The Doctoral Dissertation will have satisfied this requirement.

## **Bachelor Degree Programs Admission Requirements**

- Agree with tenants of Faith and have accepted Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.
- Associate and Bachelor's have no other prerequisite requirement. Anyone may register. Students without a high school diploma will be on probation until they have proven capable of completing college level work.
- Complete Application & Registration Form.
- Submit official transcripts of all previous college level work completed.

Students may request acceptance of transfer credit from an accredited school or its equivalent Registrar will make acceptance determination and approval is by Academic Dean. Students may request assessment of lifetime learning/professional experience. Determination and assessment of advanced standing will be made by Academic Dean.

Students may elect to receive a letter grade such as (A - C), or may elect to receive credit (CR).

All Bachelors Degree program students must complete required units indicated by the Major of their choice. A minimum of 30 Units must be completed at FICU or FICU affiliate center.

## **Masters Degree Programs Admission Requirements**

- Agree with tenants of Faith and have accepted Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.
- Student must have earned a Bachelor's degree with the prerequisite requirements for Master's Degree selected.
- Complete Application & Registration Form.
- Submit records of all previous college level work completed.

Students may request acceptance of transfer credit from an accredited school or its equivalent. Determination of acceptance will be made by Registrar and approved by Academic Dean.

Students may request assessment of lifetime learning/professional experience. Academic Dean and the Assessment Committee will make the determination and assessment of advanced standing or assessment.

Students may elect to receive a letter grade such as (A - C), or may elect to receive credit (CR).

All Master's Degree program students must complete required units indicated by the Major of their choice. A minimum of 24 Units must be completed at FICU or FICU affiliate center.

## **Doctoral Programs Admission Requirements**

- Agree with tenants of Faith and have accepted Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.
- Student must have earned a Master's degree with the prerequisite requirements for Doctoral Degree selected.
- Complete Application & Registration Form.
- Submit official transcripts of all previous college level work completed.
- Students may request acceptance of transfer credit from an accredited school or its equivalent. Determination will be made by Registrar and approved by Academic Dean.
- Students may request assessment of lifetime learning and professional experience. Academic Dean will make determination and assessment of advanced standing.

Students may elect to receive a letter grade such as (A - C), or may elect to receive credit (CR).

All Doctoral Degree program students must complete required units indicated by the major of their choice. A minimum of 24 units must be completed at FICU or FICU affiliate center.

## **Degree Programs**

### **Associate and Bachelor Programs**

Associate of Biblical Studies

Bachelor of Biblical Studies

Bachelor of Biblical Counseling

Bachelor of Church Administration

Bachelor of Religious Education

Bachelor of Theology

Bachelor of Religious Fine Arts

### **Master Programs**

Master of Biblical Studies

Master of Divinity

Master of Biblical Counseling

Master of Church Administration

Master of Religious Education

Master of Theology

Master of Religious Fine Arts

### **Doctoral Programs**

Doctor of Biblical Counseling

Doctor of Church Administration

Doctor of Religious Education

Doctor of Religious Fine Arts

Doctor of Ministry

Doctor of Theology

## **Department of Biblical Studies**

Associate of Biblical Studies

Bachelor of Biblical Studies

Master of Biblical Studies

Master of Divinity

Doctor of Ministry

## **Associate of Biblical Studies (ABS) 60 Units**

**ABS** Degree Program shall consist of the following **30** core units plus **30** elective units. Fifteen units **15** must be completed with **FICU** or **FICU** affiliate center. Forty five **45** units may be assessed or transfer units if they meet degree requirements:

<b>Bible Department</b>		<b>12</b>
Bib-200	Old Testament Survey	3
Bib-203	New Testament Survey	3
Bib-205-A	The Synoptic Gospels	3
Bib-413	The Gospel of John	3
 <b>Theology/History Department</b>		 <b>6</b>
His-140	Church History	3
Thy-201	Christian Theology I	3
 <b>Practical Theology/Ministries Department</b>		 <b>12</b>
Min-206	Evangelism I	3
Min-140	Ministries Orientation	3
Min-141-Abc	Ministry Lab	3
Min-241-Abc	Ministry Lab	3

## **Bachelor of Biblical Studies (BBS) 120 Units**

**BBS** degree programs shall consist of the following **60** core units plus **60** elective units; assessed or transferred.

<b>Bible Department</b>		<b>18</b>
Bib-200	Old Testament Survey	3
Bib-201-A	Pentateuch	3
Bib-203	New Testament Survey	3
Bib-205-A	The Synoptic Gospels	3
Bib-207	The Book of Acts	3
Bib-413	The Gospel of John	3
 <b>Theology/History Department</b>		 <b>18</b>
His-140	Beginning Church History	3
His-250	Directed Research in Church History	3
Thy-201	Christian Theology I	3
Thy-202	Hermeneutics	3
Thy-204	Systematic Theology	3
Thy-416	Apologetics	3
 <b>Practical Theology/Ministries Department</b>		 <b>24</b>
Min-331	Christian Counseling	3
Min-155	Homiletics I	3
Min-206	Evangelism I	3
Min-104	Ministries Orientation	3
Min-141-Abc	Ministry Lab	3
Min-241-Abc	Ministry Lab	3
Min-341-Abc	Ministry Lab	3
Min-441-Abc	Ministry Lab	3

## **Master of Biblical Studies (MBS) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **MBS** program shall have a Bachelor's Degree including thirty **30** units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **MBS** shall consist of the following **30** units of core subjects:

Bib-501	Old Testament Advanced Research I	3
Bib-503	New Testament Advanced Research I	3
Min-501	Church Evangelism	3
Min-504	Christian Ethics	3
Min-511	Homiletics I	3
Thy-501	Systematic Theology I	3
Thy-410	The Theology of Jesus Christ	3
Thy-411	Cults, Christianity & Religion	3
Thy-502	Systematic Theology II	3
Thy-503	Pastoral Theology	3

## **Master of Divinity (M.Div.) 90 Units**

Candidates entering the **M.Div.** program shall have a Bachelor's Degree including thirty **30** units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **M.Div.** shall consist of the following **30** units of core subjects plus **60** units of elective subjects:

Bib-501	Old Testament Advanced Research I	3
Bib-503	New Testament Advanced Research I	3
Min-501	Church Evangelism	3
Min-504	Christian Ethics	3
Min-511	Homiletics I	3
Thy-410	The Theology of Jesus Christ	3
Thy-411	Cults, Christianity, & Religion	3
Thy-501	Systematic Theology I	3
Thy-502	Systematic Theology II	3
Thy-503	Pastoral Theology	3

## **Doctor of Ministry (D.Min.) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **D.Min.** program shall have earned a Master's Degree including thirty **30** units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. D.Min. shall consist of the following **24** units of core subjects plus **6** elective units:

Adm-602	Rational Pastoral Theology	3
Min-610	Homiletics II	3
Min-704	Church Records	2
Min-707	The Church Library	2
Min-801	Church Officers	2
Min-660	Ministry Internship	12

## **Department of Biblical Counseling**

Bachelor of Biblical Counseling

Master of Biblical Counseling

Doctor of Biblical Counseling

***NOTE: all textbook, video, audiocassette, tape, or multimedia purchased is non-refundable.***

## **Bachelor of Biblical Counseling (BBC) 120 Units**

**BBC** Program shall consist of the same basic **60** core units as the Bachelor of Biblical Studies, as well as the following **30** core units, plus **30** elective units.

Cou-410	Premarital Counseling	3
Cou-415	Christian Counseling Practices	3
Min-331	Principles of Christian Counseling	3
Psy-201	General Christian Psychology	3
Psy-202	Educational Christian Psychology	3
Psy-203	Abnormal Christian Psychology	3
Psy-304	Bible Based Counseling	3
Psy-325	Preparing for Christian Marriage	3
Psy-401	Christian Social Psychology	3
Psy-411	Psychology of Biblical Counseling	3

## **Bachelor of Biblical Counseling Caring for People God's Way (BBC) 120 Units**

### **I. Introduction to Biblical Counseling:**

BICO-101	Becoming a Christian Counselor	4
BICO 102	Using Your Spiritual Gifts in Counseling	4
BICO 103	Helping others find Spiritual Significance in Life	4
BICO 104	The Power of Biblical Truth	4
BICO 105	Overcoming Depression Through Christ	4
BICO 106	Surviving Sexual Abuse: On the Threshold of Hope in Christ	4

### **II. Faith and Life**

BICO 201	The Effective Christian People Helper	4
BICO 202	Bringing People into God's Presence	4
BICO 203	How to Help People Change: A Biblical Perspective	4
BICO 204	Heart Matters: Repentance and Godly Sorrow	4
BICO 205	Forgiveness: Letting Go of the Past and Pain	4
BICO 206	Freedom in Christ: Life in Abba's Arms	4

### **III. Marriage and Family**

BICO 301	Marriage: Keeping the Love Alive through Christ	4
BICO 302	Guilt, Love's Unseen Enemy: A Biblical Perspective	4
BICO 303	Great Sex: A Biblical Perspective	4
BICO 304	Christ-Focused Marriage Counseling	4
BICO 305	Divorce Recovery: Starting Over Again: A Biblical Perspective	4
BICO 306	Caught in the Middle: Children of Divorce: A Biblical Perspective	4

### **IV. Challenging Issues in Biblical Counseling**

BICO 401	What Would Jesus Think and Do? Understanding the Way of Christ	4
BICO 402	Ethical and Legal Issues In Lay Ministry	4
BICO 403	Biblical Family Systems: Breaking Unhealthy Patterns	4
BICO 404	Sexual Issues: Affairs, Homosexuality, Intimacy Roadblocks, Dysfunctions: Biblical View	4
BICO 405	Pain & Suffering: Helping People in a Hurting World: Christian Perspective	4
BICO 406	Breaking the Bonds of Sexual Addiction through Christ	4

### **V. Emerging Issues in Biblical Counseling**

BICO 501	Managing Stress and Anxiety through Christ	4
BICO 502	Grief and Loss: A Biblical View	4
BICO 503	Biblical Psychiatric Care and Medication	4
BICO 504	The Helper's Chair: Special Skills and Practice: A Christian Perspective	4
BICO 505	Financial Bondage: Biblical Strategies for Freedom	4
BICO 506	Christian Anger Management	4

## **Master of Biblical Counseling Emphasis: Pastoral Counseling (MBC) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **MBC** program shall have a Bachelor's Degree including thirty **30** units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **MBC** shall consist of the following **30** units of core subjects:

Cou-501	The Work of the Pastoral Counselor	3
Cou-503	Learning Effective Christian Counseling	3
Cou-505	Theology of Biblical Counseling	3
Cou-506	Theory of Christian Marriage & Family Counseling	3
Cou-507	Human Sexuality: A Christian Perspective	3
Cou-508	Christian Professional Ethics & the Law	3
Cou-511	Clinical Workshop Supervised Practicum	12

## **Doctor of Biblical Counseling (DBC) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **DBC** program shall have earned a Master's Degree including thirty **30** units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies or Biblical Counseling. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisites requirements. **DBC** shall consist of the following **30** units of core subjects.

Cou-601	The Work of the Pastoral Counselor	3
Cou-603	Learning Effective Christian Counseling	3
Cou-605	Theology of Biblical Counseling	3
Cou-606	Theory of Christian Marriage & Family Counseling	3
Cou-607	Human Sexuality: A Christian Perspective	3
Cou-608	Christian Professional Ethics & the Law	3
Cou-611	Clinical Workshop Supervised Practicum	12

## **Department of Church Administration**

Bachelor of Church Administration

Master of Church Administration

Doctor of Church Administration

## **Bachelor of Church Administration (BCA) 120 Units**

**BCA** Program shall consist of the same basic **60** core units as the Bachelor of Biblical Studies, as well as the following **30** core units, plus **30** elective units.

Edu-101	Church School Orientation	3
Edu-302	History of Christian Leadership	3
Min-301	Christian Leadership	3
Min-305	Church Building Maintenance	3
Min-320	Praise & Worship	3
Min-400	Principles of Church Leadership	3
Min-401	Principles of Church Management	3
Min-402	Principles of Church Administration	3
Min-413	Ministry of Growth	3
Min-405	Principles of Church Growth	3

## **Master of Church Administration (MCA) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **MCA** program shall have a Bachelor's Degree including **30** units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **MCA** shall consist of the following **18** units of core subjects plus **12** units of elective subjects.

Edu-614	Theories of Application & Education	3
Edu-616	Church Personnel & Staff Development	3
Edu-660	Survey of Church Administration	3
Min-504	Christian Ethics	3
Min-704	Church Records	2
Min-707	The Church Library	2
Min-801	Church Officers	2

## **Doctor of Church Administration (DCA) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **DCA** program shall have earned a Master's Degree including thirty **30** units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **DCA** shall consist of the following **25** units of core subjects plus **5** elective units:

Adm-604	Training In Church Membership	3
Adm-607	Church Finances	3
Adm-608	Seminar in Time Management	2
Adm-609	Seminar in Sunday school Expansion	2
Adm-610	Seminar in Extracurricular Ministries	3
Mis-603	Developing Indigenous Leadership	3
Mis-670	Practicum in Church Growth Principle	9

## **Department of Religious Education**

Bachelor of Religious Education

Master of Religious Education

Doctor of Religious Education

## **Bachelor of Religious Education (BRE) 120 Units**

**BRE** Program shall consist of the same basic **60** core units as the Bachelor of Biblical Studies, as well as the following **30** core units, plus **30** elective units.

Edu-100	Christian School Development	3
Edu-101	Orientation Church School	3
Edu-102	Teaching Personal Evangelism	3
Edu-304	Principles of Christian Teaching	3
Edu-402	Responsibility of a Church School	3
Edu-403	Christian Education of Children	3
Edu-410	Christian School Teaching Practicum	12

## **Master of Religious Education (MRE) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **MRE** program shall have a Bachelor's Degree including **30** units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies and **30** undergraduate units in Religious Education. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **MRE** shall consist of the following **24** units of core subjects plus **6** elective units.

Edu-501	Administration of Christian Education	3
Edu-606	Seminar in Christian Learning Theory	3
Edu-609	Seminar in Religious Curriculum	3
Edu-614	Theories of Application & Education Administration	3
Edu-624	Evaluation of Instructors I	3
Edu-689	Research: Methods & Bibliography	3
Edu-690	Thesis	6

## **Doctor of Religious Education (DRE) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **DRE** Program shall have earned Master's Degree including **30** units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies/Religious Education. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **DRE** shall consist of the following **30** units of core requirements.

Edu-615	School Community Relations	3
Edu-702	Philosophy of Christian Education	3
Edu-703	Research in Religious Education	6
Edu-710	Christian School Administration Project	6
Edu-712	Practicum in Education	12

## **Department of Theology**

Bachelor of Theology

Master of Theology

Doctor of Theology

## **Bachelor of Theology** **Th.B. 150 Units**

**Th.B.** Program shall consist of the same basic **60** core units as the Bachelor of Biblical Studies, as well as the following **24** core units, plus **66** elective units.

Thy-201	Christian Theology I	3
Thy-301	Christian Theology II	3
Thy-408	Christology I	3
Thy-501	Systematic Theology	3
Thy-502	Systematic Theology II	3
Thy-503	Pastoral Theology	3
Lag-205	Elementary Hebrew	3
Lag-501	New Testament Greek I	3

## **Master of Theology** **(Th.M.) 60 Units**

Candidates entering the **Th.M.** program shall have a Bachelor's Degree including **60** units of prerequisites in Theology/Biblical Studies. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **Th.M.** shall consist of the following **24** units of core subjects plus **36** elective units:

Bib-502	Old Testament Adv. Research II	3
Bib-504	New Testament Adv. Research II	3
Lag-502	Greek II	3
Lag-603	Hebrew I	3
Lag-604	Hebrew Reading	3
Thy-503	Pastoral Theology	3
Thy-631	Comparative Church Doctrine	3
Thy-501	Advanced Systematic Theology	3

## **Doctor of Theology** **Th.D. 60 Units**

Candidates entering the **Th.D.** program shall have earned Master of Theology Degree. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements **Th.D.** shall consist of **30** elective units and the following **30** units of core requirements.

Thy-501	Systematic Theology	3
Thy-503	Pastoral Theology	3
Thy-703	Contemporary Theology	3
Thy-631	Comparative Church Doctrine	3
Thy-779	Dissertation Research	3
Thy-780-A	Proposal for the Dissertation	3
Thy-780	Dissertation	12

## **Department of Religious Fine Arts**

Bachelor of Religious Fine Arts

Master of Religious Fine Arts

Doctor of Religious Fine Arts

### **Emphasis In:**

Religious Dance

Religious Drama

Sacred Music

Communications

Video and Audio Production

## **Bachelor of Religious Fine Arts (BRFA) 120 Units**

**BRFA** program shall consist of the same basic **60** core units as the Bachelor of Biblical Studies, as well as the following **27** core unit programs, plus **33** elective units.

### ***Emphasis: Religious Dance***

Bib-209	Survey of Biblical Dance	3
Dnc-201	Religious Dance Theory	3
Dnc-303	Religious Dance Composition	3
Dnc-406	Religious Dance Choreography	3
Dnc-141	Practicum in Religious Dance	3
Dnc-241	Practicum in Religious Dance	3
Dnc-341	Practicum in Religious Dance	3
Dnc-441	Practicum in Religious Dance	3
His-302	History of Religious Dance	3

### ***Emphasis: Religious Drama***

Bib-210	Survey of Biblical Drama	3
Dra-201	Religious Drama Theory	3
Dra-303	Religious Drama & Composition	3
Dra-406	Religious Drama Direction	3
Dra-141	Practicum in Religious Drama	3
Dra-241	Practicum in Religious Drama	3
Dra-341	Practicum in Religious Drama	3
Dra-441	Practicum in Religious Drama	3
His-303	History of Religious Drama	3

### ***Emphasis: Sacred Music***

Mus-301	Basic Sacred Music	3
Mus-302	Sacred Music Appreciation	3
Mus-307	Sacred Music Form & Analysis	3
Mus-401	Sacred Music Composition	3
Mus-141	Sacred Music Practicum	3
Mus-241	Sacred Music Practicum	3
Mus-341	Sacred Music Practicum	3
Mus-441	Sacred Music Practicum	3
Mus-400	Sacred Music History	3

### ***Emphasis: Communications***

Cmc-201	Intro to Religious Communication	3
Cmc-303	Fundamentals of Religious Speech and Oratory	3
Cmc-406	Introduction to Mass Religious Communication	3
Cmc-409	Introduction to Religious Verbal Language Behavior	3
Cmc-141	Practicum in Religious Communication	3
Cmc-241	Practicum in Religious Communication	3
Cmc-341	Practicum in Religious Communication	3
Cmc-441	Practicum in Religious Communication	3
Cmc-202	Religious Voice and Articulation	3

## **Master of Religious Fine Arts (MRFA) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **MRFA** program shall have a Bachelor's degree including thirty 30 units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies and twenty-seven 27 undergraduate units in the chosen Religious Arts field. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **MRFA** shall consist of the following **30** units programs of core subjects.

### ***Emphasis: Religious Dance***

Dnc-503	Advanced Religious Choreography	3
Dnc-505	Advanced Religious Composition	3
Dnc-508	Advanced Religious Direction	3
Dnc-509	Seminar in Religious Dance	3
Dnc-511	Religious Dance Pedagogy	3
Dnc-512	Religious Dance Criticism	3
Dnc-540	Practicum in Religious Dance	12

### ***Emphasis: Religious Drama***

Dra-501	Religious Theater and Drama	3
Dra-502	Seminar in Religious Theater	3
Dra-504	Advanced Direction in Religious Drama	3
Dra-506	Advanced Production in Religious Drama	3
Dra-508	Research in Religious Drama	3
Dra-510	Independent Research in Religious Oratory	3
Dra-512	Practicum in Religious Drama	12

### ***Emphasis: Sacred Music***

Mus-501	Religious Harmony II	3
Mus-503	Religious Hymnology	3
Mus-504	Religious Hymn Playing and Arranging	3
Mus-505	Sacred Music History II	3
Mus-506	Sacred Music Conducting	3
Mus-507	Sacred Music Literature	3
Mus-508	Sacred Music Advanced Composition I	3
Mus-509	Religious Choir Materials and Methods	3
Mus-521	Practicum in Sacred Music	3

### ***Emphasis: Communications***

Cmc-501	Religious Magazine Feature Writing	3
Cmc-503	Religious Film Production and Editing	3
Cmc-506	Religious Advertising Copy Writing	3
Cmc-509	Religious International Missions Communication	3
Cmc-512	Religious Public Relations	3
Cmc-513	Editing & Supervision of Religious Publications	3
Cmc-515	Independent Study in Religious Journalism	3
Cmc-540	Practicum in Religious Communication	9

## **Doctor of Religious Fine Arts (DRFA) 30 Units**

Candidates entering the **DRFA** program shall have earned a Master's degree including thirty 30 units of prerequisites in Biblical Studies. In some cases a candidate may request and receive assessment for prerequisite requirements. **DRFA** shall consist of the following **24** units of core subjects, plus **6** elective units.

### ***Emphasis: Religious Dance***

Dnc-610	Advanced Religious Choreography II	3
Dnc-612	Creative Project in Religious Dance	3
Dnc-613	Philosophy of Religious Dance	3
Dnc-630	Exploring the Production Process in Religious Dance	3
Dnc-650	Practicum in Religious Dance	12

### ***Emphasis: Religious Drama***

Dra-601	Creative Project in Religious Drama	3
Dra-603	Creative Project in Audio Production	3
Dra-605	Creative Project in Video Production	3
Dra-640	Expressive Color: Intuition & Theory in Religious Drama	3
Dra-650	Practicum in Religious Drama	12

### ***Emphasis: Sacred Music***

Mus-602	Advanced Religious Composition	3
Mus-610	Sacred Music Philosophy	3
Mus-618	Sacred Music Methodology and Pedagogy	3
Mus-625	Sacred Music Contemporary	3
Mus-650	Sacred Music Practicum	12

### ***Emphasis: Communications***

Cmc-621	Advanced Audio Production & Editing in Religious Communication	3
Cmc-631	Advanced Video Production & Editing in Religious Communication	3
Cmc-625	Advanced International Missions Communications	3
Cmc-627	Independent Study in Religious Audio Communications	3
Cmc-630	Independent Study in Religious Video Communications	3
Cmc-650	Practicum in Religious Communications	9

## Course Descriptions

The following sections lists current courses available, however, FICU is not limited to these course offerings. The following descriptions may or may not include courses offered through approved affiliate centers. Friends International Christian University is continually expanding elective courses to strive for excellence in the educational communities, thereby offering many courses that reflect current schools of thought, as well as using the latest technology.

*NOTE: all textbook, video, audiocassette, tape, or multimedia purchased is non-refundable.*

### CHURCH ADMINISTRATION

ADM-403	EFFECTIVE CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP	3
	This course explains the difference in leaders who are effective and those who are efficient and what this means to the local church.	
ADM-502	RATIONAL PASTORAL THEOLOGY	3
	An examination of the way God's rules in one's own life causes positive changes in relationships in boards, Committees, study groups, and staffs.	
ADM-503	PASTORAL COMPETENCY I	3
	A survey of pastoral assignments; preaching/teaching, ceremonies, (weddings, dedications, funerals, etc.), staff and committee leadership, etc – the course focuses in three broad areas: The pastor and personal matters, the pastor and public ministry, and the pastor and policy management.	
ADM-504	TRAINING IN CHURCH MEMBERSHIP	3
	A study of the program of training individual members for more active intelligent and effective work in the local church	
ADM-507	CHURCH FINANCES I	3
	Programs of budgeting, bookkeeping, raising funds and program management (building, youth education, missions, etc.) will be explored, along with the Biblical foundation for giving.	
ADM-602	RATIONAL PASTORAL THEOLOGY	3
	An examination of the way God's rules in one's own life causes positive changes in relationships in boards, committees, study groups, and staffs.	
ADM-603	PASTORAL COMPETENCY II	3
	The course focuses in three broad areas: The pastor and personal matters, the pastor and public ministry, and the pastor and policy management.	
ADM-604	TRAINING IN CHURCH MEMBERSHIP	3
	A study of the program of training individual members for more active intelligent and effective work in the local church	
ADM-607	CHURCH FINANCES II	3
	Programs of budgeting, bookkeeping, raising funds and program management (building, youth education, missions, etc.) will be explored, along with the Biblical foundation for giving (Tithes & offerings).	

### BIBLE

BIB-100	OLD TESTAMENT SURVEY	3
	Each book of the Bible is introduced and considered in its theme and general content	
BIB-201-A	PENTATEUCH	3
	An introductory survey of the five books of the Pentateuch	

BIB-201-B	EARLY ISRAELI HISTORY A study of the five historical books, covering the period of early Israeli history including Joshua, Judges, Ruth and I & II Corinthians. From the conquest of the Promised Land to the introduction of the Kingdom Period, the history of Judah and it's kings, Jerusalem, Temple & Priests	3
BIB-201-C	THE KINGDOM PERIOD A study of historical books, I & II Samuel, I & II Kings – from the theocracy of Eli and Samuel to Israel's first king, their greatest prosperity to its decline and fall	3
BIB-201-D	POST EXILIC PERIOD A study of the last historical books: Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther. This includes the restoration of the Jews	3
BIB-202	NEW TESTAMENT SURVEY Brings unity and chronological sequence to New Testament study by weaving the contents of the books around a central theme - the person of Christ	3
BIB-203	NEW TESTAMENT SURVEY A survey of the history of the New Testament with special emphasis given to the Inter-testamental Period, the gospels, the ministry of the Holy Spirit in the origin and development of the church during the first century	3
BIB-205-A	THE GOSPELS This course is presenting the Gospels as a combination of parts within an orderly whole. Enhancing the student's personal study of the gospels by illustrating their complimentary aspects, their differing approaches to the life of Jesus Christ, and their different purposes	3
BIB-205-B	ACTS/ROMANS/ 1 & 2 CORINTHIANS A study of the Acts of the Apostles, the development of the Christian Church as it spread from Jerusalem to Rome, Paul's epistles to the Romans and church at Corinth.	3
BIB-206	OLD TESTAMENT SURVEY I An overview of God's working from creation through the early days of His chosen people. Topics discussed include the patriarchs, Israel's trek to the Promised Land, David's reign, Solomon's kingdom, the kingdom of Judah, and the exile.	3
BIB-207	THE BOOK OF ACTS This course includes a detailed study of the Book of Acts, the missionary development of the early church, the life and missionary journeys of Paul, and the geographical and social backgrounds as they relate to the development of the early church.	3
BIB-209	SURVEY OF BIBLICAL DANCE A survey of dance referenced biblically.	3
BIB-210	SURVEY OF BIBLICAL DRAMA A survey of drama referenced biblically.	3
BIB-310-A	OLD TESTAMENT LITERATURE This course is a study of Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastics, Song of Solomon, and Lamentations. The books are carefully studied for spiritual values, moral outlooks, philosophical content, literacy, and poetic form.	3
BIB-301	OLD TESTAMENT SURVEY II This course relates the great literary writings and those of the prophets to us today.	3
BIB-301-B	MAJOR PROPHETS An in depth study of the Major Prophets Isaiah and Jeremiah, with consideration given to historic background and special emphasis on Messianic passages.	3

BIB-301-C	MINOR PROPHETS A study of the Minor Prophets in the light of the doctrines they preached and the meaning and fulfillment of their prophecies.	3
BIB-305-A	EPISTLES I A study of historical books: Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther. This includes the restoration of the Jews.	3
BIB-305-B	EPISTLES II This course is a study of Hebrews, General Epistles and Revelation. The distinctive message and content of selected general Epistles are considered as well as John's revelation.	3
BIB-410	THE LIFE OF CHRIST To present a clear and concise overview of the scriptural revelation concerning the person and work of the second member of the triune Godhead, the son of God, Jesus Christ	3
BIB-411	SPIRITUAL MATURITY Through identifying and understanding how we grow spiritually, we become more intentional in our use of time and methods.	3
BIB-413	THE GOSPEL OF JOHN This course is an expository study of John's Gospel. This course traces development of major themes within the Gospel, places them in a theological context and delineates the application of some of them to the life of the believer.	3
BIB-415/515	AN INTRODUCTION TO THE BIBLE This course presents the inspiration and authorship of the Bible, how it was preserved, why we believe it, how we deal with its problems and critics, the role of archeology, and ways to study the Bible more effectively.	3
BIB-416	MARK'S GOSPEL Experience the events in the life of Jesus Christ as portrayed in the Gospel of Mark. Video course	3
BIB-417/517	GENESIS: IN-DEPTH STUDY This course is a focused study on the Book of Genesis. Video Course	3
BIB-501	OLD TESTAMENT ADVANCED RESEARCH I This course is directed research/readings in the Old Testament under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student.	3
BIB-502	OLD TESTAMENT ADVANCED RESEARCH II Directed research/readings in the Old Testament under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student	3
BIB-503	NEW TESTAMENT ADVANCED RESEARCH I Directed research/readings in the New Testament under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student	3
BIB-504	NEW TESTAMENT ADVANCED RESEARCH II Directed research/readings in the New Testament under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student	3
BIB-509	GALATIANS IN-DEPTH A course designed to give the student an in-depth knowledge of Paul's epistle to the Galatians and demonstrate in the process various methods applicable to in-depth scripture study.	3
BIB-510	PHILIPPIANS A course designed to give the student an in-depth knowledge of Paul's epistle to the Philippians, and continue to demonstrate in the process various methods applicable to in-depth study of all scripture.	3
BIB-603	STUDIES IN ISAIAH An expository study of the book of Isaiah, including the history of Judaism at the time Isaiah was written.	3

## RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATIONS

CMC-141	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATION Student interaction and involvement in communication experience will be required students who have chosen communication- as their major. This course may be repeated. (45 hours)	3
CMC-101	FUNDAMENTALS OF RELIGIOUS SPEECH Analysis of role of oral communication in human relationships with consideration of variety of interpersonal contexts regarding religious speech presentations	3
CMC-201	INTRODUCTION TO RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATION Introduction to all forms of communications; this includes newspapers, magazines, radio-television, book publishing, public relations, advertising and photo journalism.	3
CMC-201	RELIGIOUS PUBLIC SPEAKING Principles of public speaking practice in presenting informative and persuasive speeches with emphasis on communicative process.	3
CMC-202	RELIGIOUS VOICE AND ARTICULATION Designed to help each student recognize, evaluate and compensate for or improve speech production characteristics.	3
CMC-203	RELIGIOUS MANUAL COMMUNICATION I Basic instruction and practice in finger spelling and signing used by and for the deaf and hard of hearing.	3
CMC-241	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATION Interaction and involvement in communication experience will be required students who have chosen communication as their major. This course may be.	3
CMC-301	RELIGIOUS MANUAL COMMUNICATION II Advanced instruction and practice in finger-spelling and signing used by and for the deaf and hard of hearing.	3
CMC-303	FUNDAMENTALS OF RELIGIOUS SPEECH AND ORATORY A basic course in public speaking which combines elementary rhetorical principles with opportunity for individual improvement through practice	3
CMC-305	HISTORY & CRITICISM OF 20TH CENTURY RELIGIOUS ORATORY Methods of communication, presentation of masters of the period; Billy Graham, Robert Schuller, Oral Roberts, Fred Price, Kenneth Copeland, etc	3
CMC-308	RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATION GRAPHICS Creative and practical aspects of typography, layout and design of printed communication	3
CMC-341	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATION Student interaction and involvement in communication experience will be required students who have chosen communication- as their major. This course may be repeated. (45 hours)	3
CMC-406	INTRODUCTION TO MASS RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATION Development, structure, functions, processes and control, and effects of mass media on, to and for religious application	3
CMC-409	INTRODUCTION TO RELIGIOUS VERBAL LANGUAGE BEHAVIOR Fundamental linguistic theory of verbal language production in message generation, oral, vocal and verbal	3

CMC-441	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATION	3
	Student interaction and involvement in communication experience will be required students who have chosen communication- as their major. This course may be repeated. (4 hours)	
CMC-500	RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATION AND PERSUASION	3
	Process of communication and attitude change, survey of general theories and typical research, analysis of contemporary persuasion problems in relation to religious applications	
CMC-501	RELIGIOUS MAGAZINE FEATURE WRITING	3
	Writing and marketing factual magazine feature articles. Finding subjects, securing photographs, writing articles, and surveying markets	
CMC-502	RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES IN REGARD TO FREEDOM OF RELIGIOUS SPEECH	3
	Ethical, legal, and rhetorical implications of constitutional guarantees on political, social, and religious speech	
CMC-503	RELIGIOUS FILM PRODUCTION & EDITING	3
	Principles and practices of film production and editing	
CMC-506	RELIGIOUS ADVERTISING COPY WRITING	3
	Graphic arts selection, copy writing and editing headlines writing subject selection and layout of copy pages.	
CMC-509	RELIGIOUS INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS COMMUNICATION	3
	This will study the development and operation of world communication channels and agencies; comparative analysis of media, media practices, and flow of news throughout world.	
CMC-512	RELIGIOUS PUBLIC RELATION	3
	This course will study public relations planning and techniques with regard to religious applications; selected communication studies and theories. Polling, defining objectives and analysis of public relations messages	
CMC-513	EDITING & SUPERVISION OF RELIGIOUS PUBLICATIONS	3
	Theory, techniques of editing, and production includes analysis of publications.	
CMC-515	INDEPENDENT STUDY IN RELIGIOUS JOURNALISM	3
	Directed research/readings in Journalism under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student	
CMC-540	PRACTICUM RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATIONS	3
	Student interaction and involvement in communication experience will be required students who have chosen communication as their major	
CMC-621	ADVANCED RELIGIOUS AUDIO PRODUCTION AND EDITING	3
	Principles and practices of audio production and editing, including live radio and tape	
CMC-621	ADVANCED RELIGIOUS VIDEO PRODUCTION AND EDITING	3
	Pre-requisite COM-503 – Advanced methods and problems related to the production and editing of film and video.	
CMC-625	ADVANCED INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS COMMUNICATION	3
	Pre-requisite COM-509 – Advanced methods and problems related to mission communications	
CMC-626	CROSS CULTURAL RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATIONS	3
	Analysis of processes and problems of communication as affected by national cultures; effects of differences in language, values, meaning perception and thought in regard to mission application.	

CMC-627	INDEPENDENT STUDY IN RELIGIOUS AUDIO COMMUNICATION	3
	Directed research/readings in Audio Communications under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student	
CMC-630	INDEPENDENT STUDY IN RELIGIOUS VIDEO COMMUNICATIONS	3
	Directed research/readings in Video Communications under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student	
CMC-650	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS COMMUNICATION	6
	Student interaction and involvement in communication experience will be required students who have chosen Communication as their major. This course may be repeated (135 hours)	

### **CHRISTIAN WORKER SERIES**

CWS-101	INTRODUCTORY	0
	This course covers salvation, water baptism, prayer and other basic topics.	
CWS-103	CHRISTIAN LIVING I	2
	Deals with discouragement doubt guilt and discipleship.	
CWS-105	GOSPEL OF JOHN	2
	This is a chapter by chapter study of the Lord's ministry and teachings.	
CWS-107	ACTS I	2
	Detailed coverage of the supernatural workings of God in the Early Church	
CWS-109	ACTS II	2
	Covers the life and missionary journeys of Paul	
CWS-111	GALATIANS	2
	Teaches law and grace	
CWS-113	PHILIPPIANS, COLOSSIANS, & PHILEMON	2
	Gives the background of these epistles and a study in each chapter	
CWS-115	HEBREWS & JAMES	2
	An excellent study of each chapter as well as an overall view	
CWS-117	EPISTLES OF JOHN & JUDE	2
	A careful study of all four epistles with special attention given to John's emphasis on love and fellowship	
CWS-120	I CORINTHIANS	2
	Emphasizes the practical disciplines and instructions given to God's people	
CWS-124	I & II PETER	2
	A study on joy in the midst of suffering and the Importance of growing in the Word	
CWS-126	I & II THESSALONIANS	2
	Gives insight into the close relationship between Paul and the believers at Thessalonica; also covers last day events	
CWS-128	SYNOPTIC GOSPELS I	2
	A study in Matthew, Mark and Luke; provides a chronology of the ministry of Christ up to the week before His crucifixion	
CWS-130	SYNOPTIC GOSPELS II	2
	A detailed account of the final week of Christ's ministry as recorded by Matthew, Mark and Luke	
CWS-204	EZRA & NEHEMIAH	2
	A devotional chapter by chapter study, portraying the restoration of the temple and Jerusalem under the leadership of Ezra and Nehemiah	

CWS-206	BIBLE PROPHECY	2
	Covers the Rapture, Tribulation, Armageddon, Return of Christ and Millennium	
CWS-208	DIVINE HEALING	2
	Thoroughly explains the scriptural basis for divine healing	
CWS-210	PERSONAL EVANGELISM	2
	A convincing study on the necessity of obeying the call to witness for Christ	
CWS-212	HOLY SPIRIT	2
	An overall view of the work; and ministry of the Holy Spirit in both the Old and New Testaments	
CWS-214	CHRISTIAN LIVING II	2
	Cover tithing, commitment to the local church, love of the brethren, respecting church leadership, obedience and prayer	
CWS-216	ROMANS I	2
	The apostle Paul lays the doctrinal foundations of the Christian faith	
CWS-218	ROMANS II	2
	The sovereignty of God and practical Christianity presented	
CWS-220	GENESIS	2
	Chapter by chapter study with spiritual applications for the believer	
CWS-222	EXODUS	2
	The account of Israel's exodus from Egypt giving insight into the types and shadows of Christ's redemptive work	
CWS-224	HEBREW LAW I	2
	A thorough study of the types and shadows in Jewish laws and the Tabernacle	
CWS-226	HEBREW LAW II	2
	The offerings and yearly feasts of Israel with chart and clear New Testament application	
CWS-228	HEBREW LAW III	2
	The glorious priesthood of all believers shown through a study of the priests and Levites of Israel	
CWS-230	DEUTERONOMY	2
	A comprehensive chapter by chapter study of the entire book	
CWS-232	ISAIAH I	2
	Denunciation of Israel, Judah, and other nations; numerous prophecies concerning the Messiah and the coming kingdom	
CWS-234	ISAIAH II	2
	Contains message of consolation and further prophecies of the coming Messiah	
CWS-236	DANIEL	2
	A clear study of each chapter emphasizing important prophecies; includes chart on Daniel's "70 weeks"	
CWS-302	REVELATION	2
	A complete study of the end-time events of human history; includes charts	
CWS-304	ENTERING INTO THE PROMISED LAND	2
	A devotional study introducing the book of Joshua	
CWS-306	MINOR PROPHETS I - HOSEA & JOEL	2
	Chapter by chapter study of the 12 Minor Prophets divided into 6 study booklets; these studies help to give a clear understand of the prophecies	
CWS-308	MINOR PROPHETS II - AMOS, OBADIAH & JONAH	2
	Continuation of CWS-306: Book two	
CWS-310	MINOR PROPHETS III - MICAH	2
	Continuation of CWS-308: Book three	
CWS-312	MINOR PROPHETS IV - HABAKKUK	2
	Continuation of CWS-310: Book four	

CWS-314	MINOR PROPHETS V - ZEPHANIAH & HAGGAI Continuation of CWS-312: Book five	2
CWS-316	MINOR PROPHETS VI - ZECHARIAH & MALACHI Continuation of CWS-314: Book six	2
CWS-318	EZEKIEL I Chapters 1-11; deals with Ezekiel's call to the ministry, the message of judgment upon Jerusalem and the nation of Israel; includes historical chart	2
CWS-320	EZEKIEL II Chapters 12-28; relates how God spoke through Ezekiel to the false prophets and false shepherds; describes the fall and judgment of Lucifer	2
CWS-322	EZEKIEL III Chapters 29-48; covers the judgment of Egypt, the valley of dry bones prophecy, and the fulfillment of end-time events; includes charts	2
CWS-324	LIFE OF DAVID I Covers the early life of David as a shepherd and psalmist and his rise to the throne of Israel; also shows the instances in which he wrote many of his psalms	2
CWS-328	THE BOOK OF JOB A relatively detailed study of the entire book; the theme focuses upon the enigma of human suffering, faith and the power of God	2
CWS-330	JEREMIAH I Chapters 1-18; deals with the call of Jeremiah, general and unrelated prophecies	2
CWS-332	JEREMIAH II Chapters 19-40; covers specific and dated prophecies	2
CWS-334	JEREMIAH III Chapters 41-52; covers specific prophecies and prophecies concerning the nations; also includes a comprehensive study of the book of Lamentations	2
CWS-336	KINGS I A comprehensive chapter by chapter study of the kings of Israel and Judah, beginning after David	2
CWS-338	KINGS II Continuation of CWS-336	2
CWS-402	KINGS II Continuation of CWS-338	2
CWS-404	KINGS III Continuation of CWS-402	2
CWS-406	SONG OF SOLOMON A chapter by chapter study written from a devotional and inspirational viewpoint that portrays the beautiful allegory of Jesus Christ and His church	2
CWS-408	JOSHUA The history of Israel's possession of the Promised Land, with spiritual applications	2
CWS-410	SAMUEL & SAUL I This course focuses on Samuel's birth and public ministry and the early years of Saul's reign	2
CWS-412	SAMUEL & SAUL II This course deals with the decline of Saul's character and the latter years of his reign. CWS 410 & 412 deals with the lives of Samuel the prophet and Saul the first king of Israel, with spiritual application	2
CWS-414	JUDGES A review of the Judges of Israel and their obedience to God	2
CWS-416	PSALMS I Explains the characteristics of Hebrew poetry; covers the psalms of devotion and the Imprecatory psalms	2

CWS-418	PSALMS II Te messianic psalms	2
CWS-420	PSALMS III Covers the penitential psalms, psalms of worship, praise and adoration, and historical psalms	2
CWS-422	ECCLESIASTES I Chapters 1-6. This is part one of a comprehensive study of one of the Old Testament books of wisdom, which emphasizes the spiritual principles discovered by Solomon in his search for true reality	2
CWS-132	I & II TIMOTHY & TITUS A chapter by chapter study of Paul's pastoral instructions and admonitions	2
CWS-134	RUTH & ESTHER Historical insight into the times and lifestyle of the Jews; reveals allegorical truths of the relationship of Christ and His church	2
CWS-202	PROVERBS A survey of the entire book presented both topically and by chapter, takes the believer from pre-salvation, through instruction in righteousness to full maturity in Christ	2
CWS-424	ECCLESIASTES II Continuation of CWS-422	2
CWS-426	CHRISTIAN LIVING III Deals with topics which help to inspire continued growth and maturity in Christ; who we are in Christ, our victory, spiritual warfare, the will of God, and others	2
CWS-428	CHRISTIAN FAMILY I - THE FAMILY UNIT This will be the first in a five part comprehensive study of scriptural principles that relate to the foundation of the family and its relationships. It deals with the responsibilities and relationships of the family, parents & leaders, husbands & fathers, wives & mothers, sons & daughters	2
CWS-430	CHRISTIAN FAMILY II -PARENTS & LEADERS Continuation of CWS-428	2
CWS-432	CHRISTIAN FAMILY III - HUSBANDS & FATHERS Continuation of CWS-430	2
CWS-434	CHRISTIAN FAMILY IV - WIVES & MOTHERS Continuation of CWS-432	2
CWS-436	CHRISTIAN FAMILY V -SONS & DAUGHTERS Continuation of CWS-434 (Final study of the series)	2

### **CHRISTIAN COUNSELING**

COU-331	CHRISTIAN COUNSELING This course will be a survey with a Biblical basis for counseling, integration of psychology and theology, counseling needs, methods of counseling, and theories of personality	3
COU-408	THEORIES OF CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE AND FAMILY COUNSELING Effective Biblical teaching concerning roles within the family and direction being given on how to council; review of family therapy literature	3

COU-410	PRE-MARITAL CHRISTIAN COUNSELING	3
	No couple should get married without pre-marital counseling. This course will give guidelines for conducting a four to six session counseling program. You will learn ways to deal tactfully with couples who don't want counseling and with Christian and non-Christians who want to marry. Topics discussed such as in-laws, finances, spiritual life, sex, and more	
COU-415	CHRISTIAN COUNSELING PRACTICES	3
	A survey of the history of counseling theories and methods within and outside the church will be a foundational part of this class. A relatively detailed study of Biblical psychoanalytic, behavioral and third force counseling theory will be undertaken	
COU-501/601	THE WORK OF A PASTORAL COUNSELOR	3
	Introduction to Pastoral counseling, prolegomenon to a History of Pastoral Counseling. Directions in Pastoral Counseling. Spiritual and Personal Maturity. Christ-therapy: An approach to facilitating Psycho-spiritual healing & growth. Counter-transference and burnout in Pastoral counseling. The counseling relationship. Assessment in Pastoral Care.	
COU-502/602	CHRISTIAN HISTORICAL SURVEY ALTERNATIVE THERAPIES	3
	Holistic review of human behavior. Theological, psychological and physiological description of human behavior. Introducing, evaluating and integrating biblical principles into counseling	
COU-503/603	LEARNING TO COUNSEL EFFECTIVELY IN CHRIST	3
	The student will learn the procedures of direct Biblical counseling. The emphasis will be upon the use of the Bible in the counseling situation.	
COU-504/604	TESTING & MEASUREMENT: A CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE	3
	Personality and emotional profile. Testing and assessment. Vocational and interest inventory. How, when, and where to use testing and value to the Christian counseling environment.	
COU-505/605	THE THEOLOGY OF BIBLICAL COUNSELING	3
	A study of biblical teachings concerning method and modalities in modification of man's predicament and its solutions, with emphasis on how this teaching is related to Biblical counseling.	
COU-614	DIVINE HEALING IN THE SICK	3
	Establishing a solid word foundation for walking in divine health and ministering healing to the sick. It includes practical instruction for operating in the Gift of Healing.	
COU-615	CHRISTIAN COUNSELING FOR THE SICK AND TERMINALLY ILL	3
	Helps Christian counselors learn more about the process of health care today, understand patient and family responses to illness, give appropriate counsel for special medical situations, and encourage churches in establishing health care ministries. (Includes AIDS)	
COU-616	CHRISTIAN CLINICAL WORKSHOP AND SUPERVISED PRACTICUM	3
	Student interaction and involvement in counseling experience will be required of both MA and DBC Candidates who have chosen Biblical Counseling as their concentration. This course may be repeated. (90 hours)	
COU-506/606	THEORIES OF CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE AND FAMILY COUNSELING	3
	Effective Biblical teaching concerning roles within the family, with direction being given on how to council. Review of family therapy literature.	

COU-507/07	HUMAN SEXUALITY: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE The role of sexuality in human growth and relationships. Biblical methods of dealing with sexual problems and sexual communication. Evaluation of research, child rearing practice, life cycle sexuality, and cross-cultural variations are explored.	3
COU-508/08	PROFESSIONAL ETHICS AND THE LAW: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE This course emphasizes the increasing requirements for accountability and the legal demands placed upon Christian Counselors. What are their privileges and responsibilities; how to legally establish a counseling ministry as a part of the church ministry.	3
COU-509/09	COUNSELING FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE Explores the variety of chemically dependent people; analyze patterns of addictive behavior, effects on work, performance, responsibility, intimacy. Learn the most successful counseling skills to assist in breaking addictive behavior.	3
COU-510/610	PERSONAL GROWTH & CAREER PLANNING: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE Overview of current career programs. Analyses of essential theories in career & vocational guidance, counseling of the handicapped, women, and elderly.	3
COU-511	CLINICAL WORKSHOP AND SUPERVISED PRACTICUM: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE Student interaction and involvement in counseling experience	12
COU-516/617	SUPERVISED PRACTICUM IN COUNSELING FOR DRUG ABUSE: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE This course may be repeated. Student interaction and involvement in drug abuse counseling experience will be required of both MA and DBC Candidates who have chosen Biblical Counseling as their concentration.	6
COU-514	SPIRITUAL HEALING THE SICK Establishing a solid word foundation for walking in divine health and ministering healing to the sick. It includes practical instruction for operating in the Gift of Healing.	3
COU-515	CLINICAL CHRISTIAN WORKSHOP AND SUPERVISED PRACTICUM: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE Student interaction and involvement in counseling experience will be required of both MA and DBC Candidates who have chosen Biblical Counseling as their concentration. This course may be repeated. (45 hours)	3
COU-618	SUPERVISED PRACTICUM GENERAL CHRISTIAN COUNSELING: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE This course may be repeated. (90 hours) Student interaction and involvement in general counseling experience will be required of both MA and DBC Candidates who have chosen Biblical Counseling as their major.	6
COU-604	TESTING & MEASUREMENT: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE Personality and emotional profile. Testing and assessment. Vocational and interest inventory. How, when, and where to use testing; and its value to the Christian counseling environment.	3
COU-610	PERSONAL GROWTH AND CAREER PLANNING: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE Overview of current career programs. Analysis of key theories in career and vocational guidance counseling of the handicapped, women, and elderly.	3

COU-611	CLINICAL CHRISTIAN WORKSHOP AND SUPERVISED PRACTICUM: THE CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE	12
	180 hours required, this course may be repeated) Student interaction and involvement in counseling experience will be required of both MA and DBC Candidates who have chosen Biblical Counseling as their concentration. This course may be repeated.	
COU-612	GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT	3
	A practical, powerful study that will release the nine gifts of the Holy Spirit into operation in the life of the student. It is designed to move Spirit-filled believers into the middle of the supernatural power of God.	
COU-613	COUNSELING AND SPIRITUAL AUTHORITY	3
	Biblical principles and the Holy Spirit's power. Demonic influence and control will be examined. The way spiritual authority can be obtained and used. May be repeated. (45 hours)	

### **CARING FOR PEOPLE GOD'S WAY**

BICO 101	BECOMING A CHRISTIAN COUNSELOR	4
	In this course, you'll be introduced to the tough issues that pain today's generations, the modern-day search for answers and the Biblical basis of counseling ministry.	
BICO 102	USING YOUR SPIRITUAL GIFTS IN COUNSELING	4
	This course provides foundational principles for understanding and maximizing your spiritual gift(s) in your ministry for Christ.	
BICO 103	HELPING OTHERS FIND SPIRITUAL SIGNIFICANCE IN LIFE	4
	Guidelines to encourage and challenge others to find true significance and personal value in life are also given.	
BICO 104	THE POWER OF BIBLICAL TRUTH	4
	Learn practical tips to help others know truth achieve balance and find new life.	
BICO 105	OVERCOMING DEPRESSION THROUGH CHRIST	4
	This course offers positive thoughts and encouragement that can be applied toward recovery and well-being.	
BICO 106	SURVIVING SEXUAL ABUSE: ON THE THRESHOLD OF HOPE IN CHRIST	4
	This course will help you understand the nature, extent and effects of sexual abuse. Guidelines and steps for healing are presented.	
BICO 201	THE EFFECTIVE PEOPLE HELPER: A CHRISTIAN VIEW	4
	"Know thyself" is a cardinal rule if you are going to offer wise counsel. In this course, you will be challenged to look at your own life, learn the characteristics of effective counselors and find out how to avoid common pitfalls in helping others.	
BICO 202	BRINGING PEOPLE INTO GOD'S PRESENCE	4
	In this course you will learn to value and rely on the presence and power of God in counseling ministry.	
BICO 203	HOW TO HELP PEOPLE CHANGE: A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE	4
	In this course attention is given to the barriers, the process and the agents of lasting change.	
BICO 204	HEART MATTERS: REPENTANCE AND GODLY SORROW	4
	In this course you will learn the dynamics and powerful freedom that comes in a true turning of the heart.	
BICO 205	FORGIVENESS: LETTING GO OF THE PAST AND PAIN	4
	Problems associated with the lack of forgiveness in our lives will be discussed and steps to let go of the past and pain associated with it will be outlined.	

BICO 206	FREEDOM IN CHRIST: LIFE IN ABBA'S ARMS	4
	In this lesson you will learn what it means to experience this freedom from a relationship with Him who created us.	
BICO 301	MARRIAGE: KEEPING THE LOVE ALIVE THROUGH CHRIST	4
	This course points out the pitfalls of marital drift and disillusionment and offers beginning solutions to restoring the marriage relationship.	
BICO 302	GUILT, LOVE'S UNSEEN ENEMY: A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE	4
	The effects of guilt in an individual's life can become an overwhelming obstacle to building relationships. It has physical, emotional and spiritual implications in the life of the one who hasn't properly dealt with wrongdoing. Issues of denial and effects on relationships are discussed as well as solutions to helping people overcome guilt-ridden lives.	
BICO 303	GREAT SEX: A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE	4
	This enthusiastic lesson teaches us that sex is a great and glorious gift that should be revered, not abused in marriage.	
BICO 304	CHRIST-FOCUSED MARRIAGE COUNSELING	4
	This lesson points these troubled, frustrated people in the direction of seeing the promise and path of restoration. With hope renewed, action and strategies for change are offered to help launch a new marital journey.	
BICO 305	DIVORCE RECOVERY: STARTING OVER AGAIN: A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE	4
	In this course you will learn about the pain of divorce and careful insights for going forward.	
BICO 306	CAUGHT IN THE MIDDLE: CHILDREN OF DIVORCE: A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE	4
	This course provides sensitive and caring counsel to provide healing for children of all ages.	
BICO 401	WHAT WOULD JESUS THINK AND DO? UNDERSTANDING THE WAY OF CHRIST	4
	WWJD, the popular acronym, is discussed with respect to you as the counselor and the position you take with those whom you are counseling. In various kinds of cases, you are challenged to ask what would Jesus think and do if He were counseling this person.	
BICO 402	ETHICAL AND LEGAL ISSUES IN LAY MINISTRY	4
	How do you know when you are counseling beyond your competence? When do you maintain confidentiality and when must you break it? When should you refer to a licensed clinical counselor? These and other issues are discussed in this important lesson of managing liability risks for you and your church.	
BICO 403	BIBLICAL FAMILY SYSTEMS: BREAKING UNHEALTHY PATTERNS	4
	This teaching helps you understand family systems and gives you steps to overcome the unhealthy patterns in the lives of those you counsel.	
BICO 404	SEXUAL ISSUES: AFFAIRS, HOMOSEXUALITY, INTIMACY ROADBLOCKS, DYSFUNCTIONS: BIBLICAL VIEW	4
	This lesson discusses those sexual issues that cause the most difficulty in the lives of believers. This will help you understand these issues, recognize them when you are counseling, and how not to get trapped in them when helping others.	
BICO 405	PAIN & SUFFERING: HELPING PEOPLE IN A HURTING WORLD: A CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE	4
	This course helps you help people heal from these times of distress and give timely answers to one of life's most perplexing issues.	

BICO 406	BREAKING THE BONDS OF SEXUAL ADDICTION THROUGH CHRIST	4
	This teaching provides solutions to breaking these bonds, success in providing healing and hope for renewal to those afflicted with this addiction.	
BICO 407	MANAGING STRESS AND ANXIETY THROUGH CHRIST	4
	This lesson will discuss how these two conditions affect your life and health, both spiritually and physically. It will also provide you with steps to managing stress and reducing anxiety so that you will be able to better help those you are called to help.	
BICO 408	GRIEF AND LOSS: A BIBLICAL VIEW	4
	Grief counseling is a major part of lay helping ministry and this important lesson will guide you in its practice.	
BICO 409	BIBLICAL PSYCHIATRIC CARE AND MEDICATION	4
	This accomplished Christian physician will help you to understand the importance of medication in certain counseling situations.	
BICO 410	THE HELPER'S CHAIR: SPECIAL SKILLS AND PRACTICE: A CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE	4
	This teaching will expose the uniqueness of helping ministry and outline the best skills and the right attitude to take into the counseling session.	
BICO 411	FINANCIAL BONDAGE: BIBLICAL STRATEGIES FOR FREEDOM	4
	This course provides thought-provoking and timely strategies for establishing victory over our finances.	
BICO 412	CHRISTIAN ANGER MANAGEMENT	4
	This lesson points out the destructive process anger takes in our lives and how we can achieve success by helping others manage this powerful emotion.	

### RELIGIOUS DANCE

DNC-201	RELIGIOUS DANCE THEORY	3
	Basic dance technique, improvisation, and composition. Survey of dance in religious applications.	
DNC-303	RELIGIOUS DANCE COMPOSITION	3
	Survey of techniques and dramatic interpretations appropriate for religious application.	
DNC-406	RELIGIOUS DANCE CHOREOGRAPHY	3
	Dance technique and experimental dance production.	
DNC-141	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DANCE	3
	This course may be repeated. (45 hours) -Student interaction and involvement in dance experience will be required students who have chosen dance as their major.	
DNC-241	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DANCE	3
	This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in dance experience will be required students who have chosen dance as their major.	
DNC-341	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DANCE	3
	This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in dance experience will be required students who have chosen dance as their major.	

DNC-441	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DANCE This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in dance experience will be required students who have chosen dance as their major.	3
DNC-503	ADVANCED RELIGIOUS CHOREOGRAPHY I Advanced dance technique and dance production.	3
DNC-505	ADVANCED RELIGIOUS COMPOSITION Advanced techniques and dramatic interpretations appropriate for religious application.	3
DNC-508	ADVANCED RELIGIOUS DIRECTION Project in dance direction, with respect to religious application.	3
DNC-509	SEMINAR IN RELIGIOUS DANCE Seminar on selected dances applicable to religious presentation.	3
DNC-511	RELIGIOUS DANCE PEDAGOGY Study of methods for learning and teaching dance.	3
DNC-512	RELIGIOUS DANCE CRITICISM The art of evaluating dance through constructive criticism in history, theory and practice.	3
DNC-540	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DANCE This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in dance experience will be required students who have chosen dance as their major.	12
DNC-610	ADVANCED RELIGIOUS CHOREOGRAPHY II Directed research in choreography and presentation thereof.	3
DNC-612	CREATIVE PROJECT IN RELIGIOUS DANCE Directed research in dance and presentation thereof.	3
DNC-613	PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGIOUS DANCE Analytic study of the relationships between dance and the psyche. Emphasis on religious application of dance.	3
DNC-650	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DANCE This course may be repeated. (180 hours)	12

### **RELIGIOUS DRAMA**

DRA-201	RELIGIOUS DRAMA THEORY Exploration of nature and function of religious drama through an exploration of performer/space/audience interrelationship.	3
DRA-303	RELIGIOUS DRAMA COMPOSITION Instruction and practice in the writing of dramatic productions, concentrating on development of narrative techniques, character building, staging scenes, etc.	3
DRA-406	RELIGIOUS DRAMA DIRECTION Principles of direction in religious dramatic productions.	3
DRA-141	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in the dramatic experience will be required students who have chosen drama as their major.	3
DRA-241	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in the dramatic experience will be required students who have chosen Drama as their major.	3

DRA-341	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA	3
	This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in the dramatic experience will be required students who have chosen Drama as their major.	
DRA-441	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA	3
	This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in the dramatic experience will be required students who have chosen Drama as their major.	
DRA-501	RELIGIOUS THEATER AND DRAMA	3
	Survey of nature and function of theater in regard to religious application.	
DRA-502	SEMINAR IN RELIGIOUS THEATER	3
	Selected topics in religious theater production and direction.	
DRA-504	ADVANCED DIRECTION IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA	3
	Principles and practices of directing for dramatic presentations.	
DRA-506	ADVANCED PRODUCTION IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA	3
	Advanced principles of technical production, including scenery, lighting, costume and stage design.	
DRA-508	INDEPENDENT RESEARCH IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA	3
	Directed research/ readings in drama under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student.	
DRA-510	INDEPENDENT RESEARCH IN RELIGIOUS ORATORY	3
	Directed research/readings in oratory under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs & interests of the student.	
DRA-512	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA	3
	This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in the dramatic experience will be required students who have chosen Drama as their major.	
DRA-601	CREATIVE PROJECT IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA	3
	Supervised practice in design and execution of scenery, lighting, costumes, properties and sound. Including videotape of the finished production, this will be turned in to the academic adviser.	
DRA-603	CREATIVE PROJECT IN RELIGIOUS AUDIO PRODUCTION	3
	Supervised practice in audio production, including audio tape of finished production which will be turned in to the academic advisor.	
DRA-605	CREATIVE PROJECT IN RELIGIOUS VIDEO PRODUCTION	3
	Supervised practice in video production, including audio tape of finished production which will be turned in to the academic advisor.	
DRA-650	PRACTICUM IN RELIGIOUS DRAMA	2
	This course may be repeated. (45 hours) Student interaction and involvement in the dramatic experience will be required students who have chosen Drama as their major.	

### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

EDU-100	CHRISTIAN SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT	3
	A study of the numerous aspects of administration and supervision relating primarily to Christian Schools, including school law, administrative structure, finance, personnel management, curriculum, school services, and public relations.	

EDU-200	HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	3
	A study of the development of educational thought in general and religious education in particular; including the progression of aims, ideals, goals, and methods.	
EDU-101	ORIENTATION CHURCH SCHOOL	3
	This course is designed to familiarize the student with an understanding of the Christian education philosophy. An overview of practical ways of implementing a Christian program at the local church level.	
EDU-102	TEACHING EVANGELISM	3
	A survey of methods of teaching personal evangelism to Christian School children.	
EDU-103	INTRODUCTION RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	3
	An introductory study of the church at work in the ministry of education through the interrelated efforts of its various departments.	
EDU-302	HISTORY OF CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP	3
	History, description, and analysis of Christian leaders and what their examples offer the Christian School system.	
EDU-304	PRINCIPLES OF CHRISTIAN TEACHING	3
	This course is designed to develop in the student a thorough understanding of Christian Education philosophy as opposed to secular humanism.	
EDU-402	RESPONSIBILITY OF A CHURCH SCHOOL	3
	A study of the Biblical principles of family life with emphasis on the responsibility the church school has to the family unit in furthering the instillation of Christian values in the child.	
EDU-403	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION OF CHILDREN	3
	This course is a thorough study of the history of Christian education beginning with the Hebrew, Greek and Roman systems, ending with present Christian Education	
EDU-406	CHURCH EDUCATIONAL MINISTRIES	3
	This course provides a panorama of educational ministries in the local church: Sunday School, home Bible studies, summer ministries, retreats and camps, adult education, youth and club programs, children's church and missions.	
EDU-407/507	SUNDAY SCHOOL MINISTRIES	3
	This course clarifies the traditional purposes, functions, and organization of the local church program known as Sunday school. Covers all aspects of the ministry of bringing those involved to a saving knowledge of Christ, enrich their spiritual lives, and prepare them to serve.	
EDU-409/509	TEACHING ADULTS WITH CHRISTIAN CONFIDENCE	3
	Gain an understanding of why teaching an adult is important, distinguishing between teaching methods and determining the most appropriate method for a specific group. Learn the essential principles for organizing and growing adult Sunday school classes.	
EDU-410	CHRISTIAN SCHOOL PRACTICUM	12
	Student interaction and involvement in teaching experience. This course may be repeated. (180 hours)	
EDU-411/511	TEACHING CHILDREN WITH CHRISTIAN CONFIDENCE	3
	Incorporates current learning concepts, understanding of learning styles, cross-cultural implications for curriculum, and nurturing evangelism effort.	
EDU-412/512	TEACHING PRESCHOOLERS WITH CHRISTIAN CONFIDENCE	3
	This course discusses physical, emotional, and intellectual characteristics in addition to spiritual and moral concerns involving children between the ages of 2-5.	

EDU-413/513	RELIGIOUS TEACHING TECHNIQUES: REVITALIZING METHODOLOGY FOR THE 21ST CENTURY	3
	Focuses on the philosophical basis of methodology, insights from current research, an overview of classroom usage, and principles of selection for specific purposes and audiences.	
EDU-415/515	TEACHING YOUTH WITH CHRISTIAN CONFIDENCE	3
	This course defines the climate for learning, developmental characteristics of teens, the current youth culture, and critical issues in youth ministry.	
EDU-416/516	EFFECTIVE BIBLICAL TEACHING	3
	Learn the different elements involved in being an effective biblical teacher. This course covers empowerment from the Holy Spirit, insight into God's Word, and sharpens communication skills. Video also available	
EDU-417/517	EXPANDED RELIGIOUS YOUTH PROGRAMS	3
	In addition to the basics of the traditional Vacation Bible School program, other creative ministries to all age groups will be addressed in detail.	
EDU-501	ADMINISTRATION OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION	3
	A study of the theory and practice of administration and organization relating to the educational ministry of the local church.	
EDU-502	TRAINING IN CHURCH MEMBERSHIP	3
	This course will focus on various aspects of church membership and the duties and responsibilities of being a church member.	
EDU-606	SEMINAR IN CHRIST LEARNING THEORY	3
	Seminar dealing primarily with the philosophy and theory of Christian education.	
EDU-609	SEMINAR IN RELIGIOUS CURRICULUM	3
	Seminar dealing with availability of curriculum suitable for Christian education.	
EDU-614	THEORIES OF RELIGIOUS APPLICATION AND EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION	3
	A study of church management from a systems analysis perspective designed to assist students in establishing a church program, organizing a financial system, and developing a leadership structure utilizing time management.	
EDU-615	RELIGIOUS SCHOOL COMMUNITY RELATIONS	3
	This course addresses various aspects of school community relations. How to develop good relationships with local secular institutions and other private Christian schools.	
EDU-616	CHURCH PERSONNEL DEVELOPMENT	3
	This course will give essential steps to understand proper leadership in Christian Education and ways and means to train leaders of today. Guidelines will be given for hiring church personnel.	
EDU-621	RELIGIOUS CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT	3
	The study of the principles of effective curriculum construction with special attention given to major denominations and independent publishing houses.	
EDU-624	RELIGIOUS EVALUATION OF INSTRUCTORS	3
	This course will specifically focus on the in and out of classroom evaluation. Different ways of evaluating from personal evaluation to student evaluation.	
EDU-660	RELIGIOUS SURVEY OF CHURCH ADMINISTRATION	3
	This course examines the different administrative positions held within a church body. This course overviews each position, duty and responsibility.	
EDU-683	RELIGIOUS SUPERVISION OF INSTRUCTORS	3
	This course is designed to give the Dean or Supervisor different ideas in regards to supervision. Basic guidelines will be given on all areas of supervision, not only instructors.	

EDU-688	DIRECTED CHRISTIAN RESEARCH IN EDUCATION	3
	Directed research/readings in the Education under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs & interests of the student. (May be repeated)	
EDU-689	RELIGIOUS RESEARCH & METHODS	3
	This course focuses on the preparation of research. The student will learn how to organize knowledge within his field for presentation in a standard scholarly fashion. Course requires that the student present an acceptable proposal for review and analysis instead of final course examination patterns, trends and new forms of ministry will be covered. The student will be directly involved in the behind the scenes aspects of the church school.	
EDU-709	DIRECTED CHRISTIAN RESEARCH IN EDUCATION	3
	Directed research/readings in Education under supervision of Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student. (may be repeated)	
EDU-710	CHRISTIAN SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION PROJECT	6
	Practical internship in a local church under the direction of a supervising professor. Students must qualify for acceptance in this program	
EDU-702	PHILOSOPHY OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION	3
	A study is made of the development of education thought in general and religious education in particular, including the progression of aims, ideals, goals and methods.	
EDU-703	RESEARCH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	6
	A study of the issues which are of primary concern to the field of Christian education today. Church educational	

### **RELIGIOUS HISTORY**

HIS-140	CHURCH HISTORY I	3
	This course is a basic introduction to the subject; this course covers the major periods of church history: Ancient Church, Medieval Church, Reformation Church, and Modern Church. It is designed to give Christians an overview of their spiritual heritage. Video also available	
HIS-150	HISTORY OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	3
	A study of religious educational efforts from the time of the Hebrews and Greeks to the present day	
HIS-240	CHURCH HISTORY I	3
	An in depth survey of the life of the Christian churches since the opening of the Protestant reformation. Emphasis is placed on the churches of Western Europe and the Western Hemisphere.	
HIS-250	DIRECTED RESEARCH CHURCH HISTORY I	3
	Directed research/readings in Church History under supervision of Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student.	
HIS-302	HISTORY OF RELIGIOUS DANCE	3
	Study of historic religious dance presentations, including passion plays.	
HIS-303	HISTORY OF RELIGIOUS DRAMA	3
	Study of historic religious dramatic presentations, including passion plays.	
HIS-310	HISTORY OF ISRAEL	3
	A broad survey of the History of Israel from Abraham to present day.	
HIS-320	HISTORY OF MODERN EUROPEAN CHRISTIANITY	3
	An examination of the course of European Christianity from early roman times to present day.	

HIS-330	HISTORY OF THE REFORMATION	3
	A detailed study of the causes and background of the Protestant revolt against Rome; the story of its great leaders and their struggle for a free faith; the writings and theological beliefs of the great Reformers; and the establishment of the Protestant church in its various branches.	
HIS-342	HISTORY OF AMERICAN CULTS AND SECTS	3
	A study of the numerous perimeter or alternative religious movements in American religious history along with their beliefs, practices, and have its. Attention is given to the historical and sociological factors which have contributed to the flourishing of such groups in America.	
HIS-403/503	REFORMATION OVERVIEW	3
	The course covers the lives of the leaders of the reformation such as Wycliffe, Hus, Luther, Zwingli, Calvin, Tyndale, and the Anabaptists. Video course	
HIS-440	CHRISTIAN INTERPRETATIONS OF WORLD HISTORY	3
	Concentrated study of the philosophies in history of several selected historians, philosophers, chroniclers, and biographers. While primary emphasis will fall on patristic and medieval interpretations, other modern interpreters will be explored.	
HIS-450	DIRECTED RESEARCH /CHURCH HISTORY II	3
	Directed research/readings in Church History under the supervision of Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student.	
HIS-505	INDEPENDENT RESEARCH /CHURCH HISTORY	3
	Independent research/readings in Church History under the supervision of Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student.	
HIS-605	INDEPENDENT RESEARCH /CHURCH HISTORY	3
	Independent research/readings in Church History under the supervision of Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student.	

### RELIGIOUS LANGUAGE

LAG-101	RELIGIOUS ENGLISH GRAMMAR	3
	Review the basics of English Grammar, including rules and punctuation.	
LAG-103	ELEMENTARY GREEK	3
	Introduces the students to Greek vocabulary and grammar, with a thorough reading and analysis of the First Epistle of John. Necessary basic helps and supplementary resources for the beginning New Testament Greek student.	
LAG-201	PRACTICAL ENGLISH I: CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE	3
	Review the rules and proper punctuation of proper English usage in a format that suits today's needs.	
LAG-205	ELEMENTARY HEBREW	3
	An introduction to the Hebrew language by a combination of the inductive and deductive methods. A study of basic grammar and readings, concluding with the reading of the book of Esther. (Requires Hebrew Old Testament)	
LAG-502	GREEK II: CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE	3
	A review of grammar with emphasis on the linguistic approach while reading the gospel of John; then continuing on into more refined grammar usage and understanding. (Pre-requisite.: LAG-103)	
LAG-601	GREEK EXEGESIS: CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE	3
	Directed research into the history and Biblical usage of the Greek language.	
LAG-603	HEBREW I: CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE	3
	Directed readings and exhaustive study of the Hebrew Old Testament. (Pre-requisite: LAG-205)	

LAG-604 HEBREW EXEGESIS: CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE 3  
 Directed research into the history and Biblical usage of the Hebrew language.

**MINISTRY**

MIN-101 CHURCH MINISTRY TO FAMILIES 3  
 This course provides a strategy framework within which Christians can minister to families in a rational and effective way. Includes families, widows, single parents, creation and nurture of support networks, etc.

MIN-129 EXCELLENCE IN MINISTRIES 3  
 A study of the biblical foundation of the church, with regard to the Master's plan for expansion and ministry.

MIN-131 MINISTRY GIFTS 3  
 Illustrates the empowering of the church to use its gifts. The use of these gifts given by the Holy Spirit allows the body to reach out to hurts and needs and minister effectively in the community.

MIN-136 PRACTICAL MINISTRIES I 3  
 The first in a series of two courses teaching the basic practical ministries. This course covers the areas of Music, Youth, and Education in the church.

MIN-136 PRACTICAL MINISTRIES II 3  
 The second in a series of two courses teaching the basic practical ministries. This course covers the areas of weddings, funerals, and special events.

MIN-140 MINISTRIES ORIENTATION 3  
 Orientation of church ministries, officers, internal and outreach ministries.

MIN-141-ABC MINISTRY LAB 3  
 Ministry Lab is designed to give students the opportunity for practical hands-on experience, along with instruction in planning, organizing, and administering ministry in the church. The student and the Dean will set up each lab course; a different ministry area for each trimester. Not to be repeated in any ministry area in the same scholastic year. Includes 15 hours of service each trimester (1 unit for A, 1 unit for B, 1 unit for C; 15 hours each; total 45 hours) and must be signed off by Ministry Lab supervisor and the dean on the grade card.

MIN-155 BEGINNING HOMILETICS: CHRISTIAN VIEW 3  
 This course defines expository preaching, and then gives a step by step process of preparing and preaching an expository sermon, showing how to derive a sermon structure from the biblical text.

MIN-206 EVANGELISM 3  
 This course covers the biblical foundations of evangelism, conversion and regeneration, how to lead a person to a decision for Christ, age-specific techniques, team efforts, visitation, mentoring new believers, and the importance of prayer in the entire process of evangelism.

MIN-209 DEVOTIONAL RESOURCES 3  
 A study dealing with some of the richest devotional literature and wisdom of the past, combined with insights from theology, counseling, psychology of religion and prayer experiences.

MIN-241-ABC MINISTRY LAB 3  
 Same as MIN-141-ABC

MIN-301 CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP 3  
 An integrating course for students, particularly those who prepare for the vocation in religious education. Specific areas covered are the recruitment and training of workers, supervision of the learning situation, promotional work and relationships with the pastor and the local church.

MIN-331	CHRISTIAN COUNSELING	3
	This is a course with a broad base of counseling information, but focusing on current problems (such as aids and eating disorders) faced by counselors.	
MIN-305	CHURCH BUILDING MAINTENANCE	3
	A behind the scenes look at the church of today. Learn what it takes to organize maintenance records, grounds keeping and all other routine maintenance procedures.	
MIN-320	PRAISE & WORSHIP	3
	The student is introduced to the elements of music notation through class lectures. Emphasis is upon the values and use of music in worship and how the students may lead group singing through understanding of technique and practical assignments. The components of church worship will be examined.	
MIN-341-ABC	MINISTRY LAB	3
	Same as MIN-141-ABC	
MIN-400	PRINCIPLES OF CHURCH LEADERSHIP	3
	A course designed to gain new perspective in leadership. Help for the student to develop the ministry of leadership to the fullest degree.	
MIN-401	PRINCIPLES OF CHURCH MANAGEMENT	3
	A course designed to point out principles and practices of good business management of pastors. Church finances, use of computers and other related areas will be covered.	
MIN-402	PRINCIPLES OF CHURCH ADMINISTRATION	3
	This courses an overview of principles of church administration. Topics will be focused on organizational structuring and management. Special emphasis will be placed on pastor's role.	
MIN-404	PERSONAL EVANGELISM	3
	This course provides specific and practical help so the student will be confident in sharing his/her personal beliefs with unbelievers.	
MIN-406	EXPOSITORY PREACHING	3
	This course analyzes thirteen notable pulpiteers, knowing how they obtain sermon ideas, choose and study a biblical text, select illustrations, and use commentaries. A sermon from each speaker displays their ideas in action.	
MIN-409	CHRISTIAN TIME & MONEY MANAGEMENT	3
	This course analysis financial practice for the growing church. Focus will be on budgeting, economic forecasts, and fund raising. The area of time management will be discussed. Improving distribution of time, how not to waste time, effective time forecasting.	
MIN-413	MINISTRY OF GROWTH	3
	An introductory course dealing with biblical principles of church growth. Emphasis will be directed toward developing strategies that will result in strong, established churches.	
MIN-416	PASTORAL INTERNSHIP	12
	This course shall be the accomplishment of the duties of a pastor or assistant pastor for a period of not less than four years.	
MIN 422	A CHRISTIAN INTRODUCTION TO APOLOGETICS	3
	Explore the evidence substantiating the claims of Christianity. This course will take you step-by-step through the well-documented evidence. Video also available	
MIN-423/523	UNDERSTANDING PEOPLE: MINISTRY ALL STAGES OF LIFE	3
	This course helps the Bible teacher enhance ministry skills to work with people more effectively	

MIN-441-ABC	MINISTRY LAB	3
	Same as MIN-141ABC	
MIN-501	CHURCH EVANGELISM	3
	This course presents the documented evidence that the future is open for new dynamic evangelical leadership. New directions for evangelical leadership are explored.	
MIN-504	CHRISTIAN ETHICS	3
	An examination of the various ethical systems in the light of scripture. Special problems are studied from a cross-cultural perspective.	
MIN-511	HOMILETICS I	3
	This course is designed to make you a better preacher. Methods of preaching used by some outstanding pulpiteers will be studied with a view to applying their techniques to the student's ministry.	
MIN-512	HOMILETICS II	3
	In this course the student writes a sermon and then presents the methodology by which the sermon is developed. The presentation will be made on audio tape and the student will submit the sermon along with a written critique.	
MIN-611	HOMILETICS III	3
	In this course the student writes a series of sermons and then makes the presentation on audio tape. The student will submit the tapes and written sermons, along with a written critique.	
MIN-612	HOMILETICS IV	3
	In this course the student writes a series of sermons and then makes the presentation on videotape. The student will submit the tapes and written sermons, along with a written critique.	
MIN-660	MINISTRY INTERNSHIP	9
	Participation in an in-depth exposure to the practical aspects of ministry by the student. Student interaction and involvement in ministry experience. All participation is guided and reviewed by qualified church leaders.	
MIN-704	CHURCH RECORDS	2
	Consideration will be given to the scope of church clerical work. Included in the study will be the qualifications, opportunities, challenges, and responsibility of the church clerical worker.	
MIN-707	THE CHURCH LIBRARY	2
	A study of the library in the local church from the standpoint of need room, and equipment, librarian, selection of books, classification, card catalogue, and use.	
MIN-801	CHURCH OFFICERS	2
	The qualifications, duties and opportunities of church officers will be reviewed. Consideration will be given to the planning of proper buildings and the use of these. (Christian education, church membership expansion)	

### MISSIONS

MIS-403/503	WORLD MISSIONS TODAY	3
	A survey of missions, with emphasis on the present worldwide scene, the biblical basis of missions, and how all believers can be involved.	
MIS-501	INTERCULTURAL STUDIES IN MINISTRY	3
	Overview of major concepts of cultural anthropology as viewed by of Christian ministry; ethnic diversity, kinship systems, societal structures, world view, language and thought processes. Study of cultural relativism and the Gospel; Both Western & Non-Western cultures are examined in the light of scripture.	

MIS-502	<b>PSYCHOLOGY OF INTERCULTURAL MINISTRY</b>	3
	Study of principles of psychological anthropology as relevant to intercultural ministry. The course surveys the relationship between culture and personality, social character, world view and ethos. Attention is given to socialization and human development, perception and cognition, values, deviance, and psycho-cultural change, as related to both pastoral ministry and missions.	
MIS-503	<b>EVANGELISM AND CULTURAL CHANGE</b>	3
	The study of evangelism from a biblical and applied perspective. Special emphasis on an understanding of the implementation of anthropological insight into cultural change and cross-cultural communication.	
MIS-504	<b>PRINCIPLES OF LANGUAGE IN MINISTRY</b>	3
	Introduction to linguistics, phonology, and syntax. Recognizing regular processes underlying seemingly irregular patterns to facilitate language learning and translation. Practical experience with both living and classical-biblical languages is stressed.	
MIS-505	<b>THEOLOGY OF THE CHURCH &amp; MISSIONS</b>	3
	A systematic study of the theology of the church in relation to missions. The form and function of the church's organizational behavior on behalf of missions.	
MIS-506	<b>CROSS CULTURAL COMMUNICATIONS IN MINISTRY</b>	3
	Current communication theories as they bear upon barriers to effectual communication by persons from western cultures in non-western settings; verbal and non-verbal communication; role and status as culturally prescribed communication factors; perception as culturally structured.	
MIS-507	<b>CHRISTIAN COMMUNICATION THEORY AND HUMAN BEHAVIOR</b>	3
	Survey of the principles of modern communication theory. A psychological approach to interpersonal communications. Motivational theories are related to speech habits in the evangelical world of perception.	
MIS-508	<b>CHURCH GROWTH PRINCIPLES I</b>	3
	An investigation of the theological, sociological and statistical dimensions of church growth, with emphasis on allowing for cultural differences. This study helps the student prepare for church planting and for congregational growth of established churches.	
MIS- 509	<b>CHURCH GROWTH PRINCIPLES II</b>	3
	Theories of modern marketing research, coupled with methods of application to religious endeavors are studied and critically analyzed.	
MIS-550	<b>INDEPENDENT RESEARCH IN MISSIONS I</b>	3
	Directed reading/study of a subject the Student and the Academic Advisor choose.	
MIS-560	<b>PRACTICUM IN CROSS-CULTURAL MINISTRIES</b>	9
	An opportunity to learn in a cross cultural setting. Value systems, subculture needs, and Kingdom of God principles are explored. The student may work in a Multi-cultural community of the US or abroad.	
MIS-570	<b>PRACTICUM IN CHURCH GROWTH PRINCIPLES</b>	9
	The student will actively participate in a church growth program, with emphasis on application of the principles learned in MIS-508 and MIS-509.	
MIS-601	<b>RELIGION IN CULTURE</b>	3
	Study of unity and diversity of religion in human societies. Included is a survey of particular ethnic religions systems and universalistic, world religions; folk religion as a system; and Christianity in the context of North American Society.	

MIS-602	CONTEMPORARY MISSIONS STRATEGY	3
	Overview of the dynamics of historical missions' growth in selected world areas; contemporary structures and approaches; strengths and weakness' of the church growth movement; the indigenous church principle; the Holy Spirit and Pentecostal growth in the non-western world.	
MIS-650	INDEPENDENT RESEARCH IN MISSIONS II	3
	Directed reading/study of a subject the Student and the Academic Advisor choose.	
MIS-660	PRACTICUM IN CROSS-CULTURAL MINISTRY	9
	The student may work in a Multi-cultural community of the US or abroad.	
MIS-603	DEVELOPING INDIGENOUS LEADERSHIP	3
	Study of concepts and patterns of leadership and authority in western and non-western cultures and examination of scriptural teaching. Practical issues include the recognition and nurture of indigenous leaders, training for indigenous leaders, and pitfalls of remaking indigenous leaders into western-style leaders.	
MIS-604	POPULATION TRENDS AND MISSIONS	3
	Overview of contemporary world demographic trends, urbanization, refugees, minority groups, inner-city ministry in the US and in non-western areas. A critical analysis of evangelization and social concern in relation to non-denominational perspective.	
MIS-605	PERSUASION AND MISSIONS MINISTRY	3
	This course gives to the minister, preacher, and lay witness tools to respond better to Christ's command to "Go and be my witnesses." Practically organized to include the mechanics, techniques, and how to influence ethically people to make	

### SACRED MUSIC

MUS-141	SACRED MUSIC PRACTICUM	3
	Sacred music Practicum is designed to give students the opportunity for practical, hands-on experience, along with instruction in planning, organizing, and administering music ministry in the church. Each Practicum course will be set up between the student and the Dean. Includes at least 45 hours of service	
MUS-208	SACRED MUSIC HISTORY I	3
	Intermediate level of study of the history of music from earliest times through the renaissance	
MUS-241	SACRED MUSIC PRACTICUM	3
	See MUS-141	
MUS-301	BASIC SACRED MUSIC	3
	Proper notation, interval recognition, triad recognition, meter recognition, sight singing, rhythmic dictation, and dictation of diatonic melodies based on scale step motion and leaps within the primary triads.	
MUS-302	SACRED MUSIC APPRECIATION	3
	A general overview of the music and composers of the major periods of music history with attention given to the progress of church music in each period	
MUS-303	SACRED MUSIC: HARMONY I	3
	A practical study of music including elements of sound and silence, the anatomy of harmony and melody, and an introduction to sight singing and ear training in a keyboard-related setting	
MUS-305	SACRED MUSIC THEORY	3
	Intermediate level theory covering harmony, analysis, and comprehensive musicianship ensembles	

MUS-307	SACRED MUSIC FORM AND ANALYSIS Intermediate level of study of form in music, and the recognition of structure in music	3
MUS-341	SACRED MUSIC PRACTICUM See MUS-141	3
MUS-400	SACRED MUSIC: HISTORY II Advanced level of study of the history of music from the Renaissance through present day	3
MUS-401	SACRED MUSIC COMPOSITION Creative writing for vocal and instrumental soloists and small	3
MUS-412/512	UNDERSTANDING MUSIC AND WORSHIP IN THE LOCAL CHURCH This course focuses on the important relationship of these two elements in the life of the church. It provides a historical overview of music and worship, and biblical foundations for both.	3
MUS-441	SACRED MUSIC PRACTICUM See MUS-141	3
MUS-501	SACRED MUSIC: HARMONY II An integrated course is including the elements of rhythmic harmony, scale building, 4-part harmony, and aspects of conducting. This course will continue to develop skill in sight singing and ear training in a keyboard-related setting.	3
MUS-502	FORM AND ANALYSIS OF SACRED MUSIC Advanced level of study of form in music, music forms, and the recognition of structure in music	3
MUS-503	SACRED MUSIC: HYMNOLOGY A history of the music of the Bible and the origin and development of the modern hymn and Gospel song	3
MUS-504	SACRED MUSIC: HYMN PLAYING AND ARRANGING Proper notation, interval recognition, triad recognition, meter recognition, sight singing, rhythmic dictation, and dictation of diatonic melodies based on scale step motion and leaps within the primary triads.	3
MUS-505	SACRED MUSIC HISTORY II Intermediate level of study of the history of music from the renaissance through present day	3
MUS-506	SACRED MUSIC CONDUCTING Choral and instrumental conducting techniques include conducting choral and instrumental groups under supervision.	3
MUS-507	SACRED MUSIC LITERATURE A historical and appreciative survey of serious concert repertory with guided listening for the musically trained student.	3
MUS-508	SACRED MUSIC: ADVANCED COMPOSITION I Advanced creative writing for vocal and instrumental soloists and small to medium ensembles	3
MUS-509	SACRED MUSIC: CHOIR MATERIALS AND METHODS A practical study of materials and methods of arranging for choirs and vocal ensembles. Attention is given to range problems, voice leading, instrumental accompaniments, arranging styles, and listening examples.	3
MUS-510	CONDUCTING INSTRUMENTAL SACRED MUSIC Instruction on techniques for conducting instrumental music	3
MUS-511	ADVANCED BIBLICAL MUSIC RESEARCH Advanced research into the music of the Bible	3

MUS-521	PRACTICUM IN SACRED INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC	9
	Sacred Music Practicum is designed to give students the opportunity for practical, hands-on experience, along with instruction in planning, organizing, and administering instrumental music ministry in the church. Each Practicum course will be set up between the student and the Dean. Includes at least 135 hours of service. Must be signed off by Ministry Lab supervisor and the dean on the grade card	
MUS-531	PRACTICUM IN SACRED CHOIR MUSIC	9
	Sacred Music Practicum is designed to give students the opportunity for practical, hands-on experience, along with instruction in planning, organizing, and administering choir music ministry in the church. Each practicum course will be setup between the student and the Dean. Includes at least 135 hours of service. Must be signed off by Ministry Lab supervisor and the dean on the grade card	
MUS-601	SACRED MUSIC: ADVANCED CHOIR MATERIALS AND METHODS	3
	Advanced study of materials and methods of arranging for choirs and vocal ensembles. Attention Is given to range problems, voice leading, instrumental accompaniments, arranging styles, and listening examples.	
MUS-602	SACRED MUSIC: ADVANCED COMPOSITION II	3
	Advanced creative writing for vocal and instrumental soloists and small to medium ensembles	
MUS-603	ADVANCED HYMN PLAYING & ARRANGING	3
	Continuation of MUS-504. Melodies of greater length with wider leaps and some syncopation. Harmonic dictation in recognition of diatonic progressions of triads with inversions	
MUS-604	ADVANCED SACRED MUSIC CONDUCTING	3
	Advanced level of choral and instrumental conducting techniques, including conducting choral and instrumental groups	
MUS-605	ADVANCED SACRED MUSIC LITERATURE	3
	Advanced research into historical and appreciative survey of Biblical and Gospel music	
MUS-606	ADVANCED INSTRUMENTAL CONDUCTING OF RELIGIOUS MUSIC	3
	Advanced level of instruction on techniques for conducting instrumental music	
MUS-608	PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGIOUS MUSIC	3
	Directed research in philosophy of religious music	
MUS-609	ADVANCED BIBLICAL MUSIC RESEARCH II	3
	Directed research into an area of music to be decided upon between the student and Academic Advisor	
MUS-610	SACRED MUSIC PHILOSOPHY	3
	Analytical study of the relationships between sacred music, and worship, with emphasis on their ramifications on the human psyche	
MUS-625	SACRED MUSIC CONTEMPORARY APPLICATIONS	3
	Study of the affects and applications of contemporary music, concentrating mainly on the later half of the 20th century	
MUS-621	PRACTICUM IN INSTRUMENTAL RELIGIOUS MUSIC	9
	See MUS-521	

MUS-631	PRACTICUM IN SACRED CHOIR MUSIC	9
	Sacred music practicum is designed to give students the opportunity for practical, hands-on experience, along with instruction in planning, organizing, and administering music ministry in the church. Each practicum course will be set up between the student and the Dean. Includes at least 135 hours of service. Must be signed off by Ministry Lab supervisor and the dean on the grade card	

**CHRISTIAN PHILOSOPHY**

PHI-302	CHRISTIAN ETHICS	3
	Probes the Biblical and theological aspects of 20th century ethics; social awareness, societal conscience, and the affectation of change in society	
PHI-308	PHILOSOPHICAL BACKGROUNDS OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH	3
	Deals with the problems that arise in relating the facts of human experience to the truths of the Christian Faith	
PHI-305	CONTEMPORARY CHRISTIAN ETHICS	3
	Examination of the systems by which moral decisions are made and the criteria of value and evaluation which they presuppose	
PHI-310	SOCIAL ASPECTS OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH	3
	A study of the relationship between Christian principles and the modes of human organization	
PHI-320	RELIGIOUS AESTHETICS	3
	The nature and aims of art and of the aesthetic experience, criteria of judgment and standards of criticism in the various genres of art; literary, visual, auditory and performance.	
PHI-401	LOGIC AND THE CHRISTIAN MINISTRY	3
	Elementary logic oriented to the needs of the minister. The emphasis is placed upon integrity, clarity and precision in argument.	
PHI-402	CHRISTIAN ETHICS IN A POSTMODERN WORLD	3
	Video also available This course examines critical questions such as abortion, euthanasia, bio-ethics, human sexuality, politics, war, capital punishment, race, the arts, and the environment from a biblical viewpoint.	
PHI-420	PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION	3
	Study of the nature of religion and religious experience, its varieties, and the metaphysical, epistemological and ethical problems involved in examining their meaning in life.	
PHI-450	ORIENTAL PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION	3
	In depth study of the major philosophical systems of India, China, Japan, and Southeast Asia including various schools of Buddhism, Confucianism, and Taoism.	
PHI-460	POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION	3
	Study of theories of the state, authority and the individual, law, natural rights and the nature of justice.	
PHI-501	WESTERN PHILOSOPHIES OF RELIGION	3
	Study the nature and experience of Western religion, its varieties, the metaphysical, epistemological and ethical problems involved in examining meaning.	
PHI-503	RELIGIOUS THEISM	3
	A study of the belief of the creator and supreme ruler of the universe; and of the Biblical confirmation of that belief.	

PHI-500	EASTERN PHILOSOPHIES OF RELIGION Study of the nature of eastern religions and religious experience, its varieties, and the metaphysical, epistemological and ethical problems involved in examining their meaning.	3
PHI-501	WESTERN PHILOSOPHIES OF RELIGION Study of the nature of Western religions and religious experience, its varieties, and the metaphysical, epistemological and ethical problems involved in examining their meaning.	3
PHI-712	AMERICAN PHILOSOPHIES IN RELIGION Study of the nature of American religions and religious experience, its varieties, and the metaphysical, epistemological and ethical problems involved in examining their meaning.	3
PHI-713	RELIGIOUS THEISM A study of the belief that there is a creator and supreme ruler of the universe; and of the Biblical confirmation of that belief.	3
PHI-504	RELIGIOUS HISTORICAL SURVEY OF ETHICS AND MORALITY Survey of the history of ethics and morality.	3
PHI-515	RELIGIOUS LANGUAGE AND LOGIC Selected topics in semantics, semiotic, formal logic and scientific method are examined in relation to contemporary theories of meaning and truth.	3
PHI-520	RELIGIOUS CONTEMPORARY PHILOSOPHY Main trends of 20th Century philosophy: pragmatism, analytic philosophy, positivism, existentialism and phenomenism.	3
PHI-530	SELECTED TOPICS THE HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY OF CHRISTIANITY Intensive study of the lives works and influence of selected philosophers or of the nature and influence of selected schools or periods in the history of philosophy.	3
PHI-535	HISTORICAL SURVEY OF RELIGIOUS PHILOSOPHERS Survey of Philosophers down through history to present day.	3
PHI-570	RELIGIOUS PHILOSOPHY AND THE COSMOS An in-depth examination of the major world views which have characterized the human experience, their epistemological assumptions and their historical impact on religion, politics, morals and the arts.	3
PHI-601	COMPARATIVE RELIGIOUS PHILOSOPHIES A comparative study of world religious philosophies.	3
PHI-704	DIRECTED RESEARCH IN RELIGIOUS PHILOSOPHY This course focuses on the research, and preparation of that research for the dissertation. The student will learn how to organize knowledge within his field for presentation in a standard scholarly fashion.	3
PHI-710	PROPOSAL FOR THE DISSERTATION This course requires that the student present in an acceptable proposal form the research done in course for review and analysis in lieu of final course examination.	3
PHI-711	THE DISSERTATION The student will develop and compile an original work demonstrating the ability to add to the body of knowledge in his field for presentation to the university. Dissertation to be 150-300 pages, original, type written, bound and presented in approved form.	12
PHI-601	COMPARATIVE RELIGIONS Definition of religion, comparison and analysis of various aspects, including rituals, social, experiential, and symbolic.	3

PHI-602	RECENT TRENDS IN RELIGION Comparison of recent changes and trends in religion.	3
PHI-603	METHODS OF CRITICAL CHRISTIAN THINKING Selected topics contemporary Anglo-American philosophy from Moore to Wisdom.	3
PHI-601	COMPARATIVE RELIGIONS Definition of religion, comparison and analysis of various aspects, including rituals, social, experiential, and symbolic.	3
PHI-709	DIRECTED RESEARCH IN RELIGIOUS PHILOSOPHY This course focuses on the research, and preparation of that research for the dissertation. The student will learn how to organize knowledge within his field for presentation in a standard scholarly fashion.	3
PHI-710	PROPOSAL FOR THE DISSERTATION This course requires that the student present in an acceptable proposal form the research done in course PHI-704 for review and analysis in lieu of final course examination.	3
PHI-711	THE DISSERTATION The student will develop and compile an original work demonstrating the ability to add to the body of knowledge in his field for presentation to, and acceptance by the university. Dissertation to be 150-300 pages, original, type written, bound and presented in approved form.	12

### THEOLOGY

THY-201	CHRISTIAN THEOLOGY I This course is a study of the doctrine of the Scripture, including revelation, inspiration, canonicity, and authority.	3
THY-202	HERMENEUTICS: BIBLICAL EXEGESIS A study of the science and laws of Biblical exegesis and interpretation. The principles, methods, and principles by which a true exact meaning of the scriptures may be ascertained are established and classified.	3
THY-204	SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY I This course is concerned with Bibleology and theology proper. The basic Biblical teachings in each of these areas are carefully sought. An effort is made to introduce the student to the great theological writers in these fields.	3
THY-207	PNEUMATOLOGY I A biblical, theological and practical study of the Holy Spirit's person and ministry; in relation to the Holy Trinity, the believer, the Church, and the world.	3
THY-301	CHRISTIAN THEOLOGY II The Bible teachings on the Scriptures, God, the Trinity, Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit. Reference to the various interpretations of contemporary Christian groups.	3
THY-303	THEOLOGY OF JEWS AND JUDAISM A wealth of information on Judaism and Jewish views toward Jesus, anti-Semitism, and Jewish-Christian relations today.	3
THY-306	SOUND DOCTRINE An in depth study of the Statement of Faith of the student's denomination with readings in denominationally recommended books.	3
THY-308	PNEUMATOLOGY II A Study designed to give the student an understanding of the whole man; spirit, soul and body; how God leads man by His Spirit; the different anointing of God; and how to operate under the leading of the Holy Spirit.	3

THY-315	HERMENEUTICS I: BIBLICAL EXEGESIS A thorough study and preparation for the exegesis and exposition of the scriptures.	3
THY-401	THEISM A critical and analytical survey of the belief in a personal God as creator and supreme ruler.	3
THY-404	BIBLICAL BELIEFS Covered in this course are creation and the fall of man, faith and regeneration, justification and adoption, prayer and worship, angels, Satan, resurrection and judgment, and the church.	3
THY-410	THEOLOGY OF JESUS CHRIST A study of the person, claims, and works of Jesus Christ.	3
THY-411	CULTS, CHRISTIANITY, & RELIGION An analysis and defense of the Biblical material in its usage and mass application by the major cults. The student will receive a brief knowledge of the teaching and practices of the major cults.	3
THY-413	DEMONOLOGY A study of the satanic movement in this present age, including witchcraft, demonism, psychic phenomena, astrology, and the church of Satan.	3
THY-416	APOLOGETICS This course breaks new ground by bringing together an unusually wide range of apologetical arguments. Consisting of articles written by Christians from a variety of fields, the text breaks down difficult issues into segments.	3
THY-418	ESSAYS IN THEOLOGY A study of the finest essays from the most respected writers in their fields. Old and New Testament studies, systematic theology, church history, ethics spiritual life, pastoral psychology, Christian education, and missions.	3
THY-420	THEOLOGY & THERAPY This course examines the theological perspectives from which a counselor performs tasks. It affirms that Christian counsel must be shaped by the content of our commitments, leading to demonstrations of care in relationships.	3
THY-422/522	THE TRINITY This course covers the individuality of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and the biblical teaching of the Trinity.	3
THY-501	SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY Here is a course designed to help the student gain a greater depth of knowledge in the basic doctrines of the scriptures. Learn the "big picture" in language you can understand.	3
THY-502	SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY II This course is also known as the Doctrine of God, the Existence of God, the Attributes of God, and the Character of God.	3
THY-503	PASTORAL THEOLOGY I The student will refer to the Statement of Faith and any recommended books of the students Denomination. The student will then prove their Statement of Faith as sound doctrine by providing scripture references and written explanations.	3
THY-503B	PASTORAL THEOLOGY II Explores such topics as understanding yourself, understanding families, time management, finance, personal goal setting, techniques of communication, and program planning.	3
THY-505	DOCTRINE OF THE SCRIPTURES A study of scriptural doctrine, including revelation, inspiration, canonicity, and authority.	3

THY-506	DOCTRINE OF GOD	3
	A study of the doctrine of God, His nature, attributes, personality and work.	
THY-507	DOCTRINE OF SALVATION	3
	A study of the attributes of our salvation; such as faith, regeneration, redemption, and security.	
THY-508	DOCTRINE OF THE CHURCH	3
	The study of the origin, organization, leaders, ordinances, and functions of the Christian Ecclesia.	
THY-509	DOCTRINE OF PROPHECY	3
	A survey of the great prophetic themes and events of the future, with emphasis on the sequence of events in the future.	
THY-510	CONTEMPORARY THEOLOGY	3
	An analytical study of 19th & 20th century theology in its historical context, including liberalism, fundamentalism, neo-orthodoxy, and contemporary deviationism. Reading required includes a survey of recent approaches in contemporary theology.	
THY-511	HERMENEUTICS AND BIBLE EXPOSITION I	3
	A thorough preparation for the exegesis and exposition of the English Bible. After a survey of the historical schools of hermeneutics, the principles of the Historical-Grammatical method of interpretation will be studied.	
THY-512	HERMENEUTICS AND BIBLE EXPOSITION II	3
	A survey of additional essential study tools and their proper application in researching the Biblical text.	
THY-514	DOCTRINE OF JESUS CHRIST	
	A study of the Person, claims, and works of Jesus Christ.	
THY-515	DOCTRINE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT	3
	A study of the doctrine of the Holy Spirit, including His Person and His work.	
THY-516	DOCTRINE OF ANGELS, SATAN, & DEMONS	3
	Studies of the origin, character, and functions of angelic beings, including Satan and the demons.	
THY-517	DOCTRINE OF MAN AND SIN	3
	A study of the truths regarding man and sin, including the depravity of man and the nature and consequences of sin.	
THY-550	INDEPENDENT RESEARCH IN THEOLOGY	3
	Directed research/readings under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student.	
THY-601	HERMENEUTICS AND BIBLE EXPOSITION III	3
	The principles for the preparation and presentation of Biblical exposition.	
THY-602	ROMAN CATHOLIC THEOLOGY	3
	A study of the theology of the 20th century Roman Catholic Church.	
THY-607	THEOLOGY OF THE PENTATEUCH	3
	A consideration of the foundational doctrines of Systematic theology revealed in the Pentateuch.	
THY-608	JOHANNINE THEOLOGY	3
	A study of the contribution made to theology by the writings of the Apostle John.	
THY-609	PAULINE THEOLOGY	3
	A study of the typology of the writings of the Apostle Paul and its impact on the foundation of Systematic Theology.	
THY-610	CONTEMPORARY RELIGIOUS THOUGHT	3
	Readings and directed research in contemporary trends in American intellectual and theological thought.	

THY-611	DISPENSATIONALISM	3
	This course is a comprehensive study of the Biblical interpretation known as dispensationalism, including its history, application to hermeneutics, soteriology, ecclesiology and eschatology. The course includes a contemporary review of current Biblical support and alternative positions.	
THY-612	HISTORICAL THEOLOGY I - MEDIEVAL	3
	An examination of the background, issues and theologians in the Age of the Fathers and the middle Ages to AD 1500.	
THY-613	HISTORICAL THEOLOGY II-REFORMATION	3
	An examination of the background issues principal leaders, causative factors, and theological motifs of the major movements within the sixteenth century.	
THY-614	HISTORICAL THEOLOGY III - MODERN	3
	A study of the development of Christian theology from the time of the reformation through the Nineteenth century.	
THY-620	ADVANCED PASTORAL THEOLOGY II	3
	Exegesis of the personal theology of the student, with emphasis on Biblical Foundation, Practice and Implementation.	
THY-650	INDEPENDENT RESEARCH IN THEOLOGY II	3
	Directed research/readings under supervision of an Academic Advisor to meet the needs/interests of the student.	
THY-703	CONTEMPORARY THEOLOGY	3
	An analytical study of the 19th and 20th century theology in its historical context, including liberalism, fundamentalism, neo-orthodoxy, and contemporary deviationism.	

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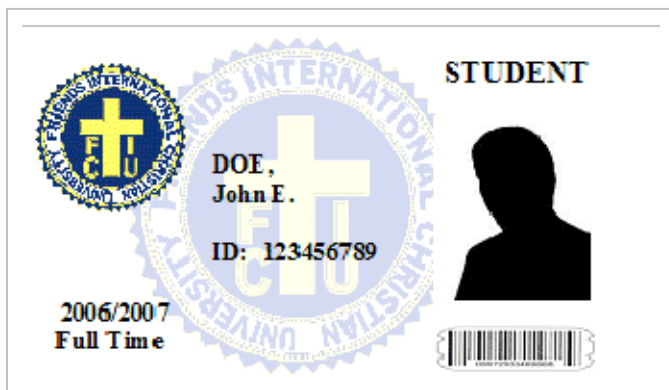
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## What information is on my ID card?

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- Your name and ID number
- Full time or part time status
- Expiry date

## What will my ID card look like?



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