

Promise Christian College
*Equipping Global Leaders with the
knowledge and skills to impact the 21st Century*

**A Message from
Dr. Michael T. McKinney, President**

Dear Fellow Laborer in Christ!

“He is Faithful that Promised,” Heb. 10:23

Fulfilling God’s Promise with a Spirit of Excellence. The harvest is great and the laborers are few. It is almost impossible for those who are divinely called to ministry to take time off and away from churches and responsibilities to pursue the dream of a completing a Theological education. This is why I am so excited about the opportunity God has placed within our hands.

As a full-time Christian Minister and/or worker you can now achieve your dream of an EARNED DEGREE through the Promise Christian College (PCC) classroom and external study program. In addition, PCC, will evaluate transfer units from Bible colleges, schools and seminaries and will consider Life Experience for those of you who have been in ministry for a minimum of 5 years.

It is my belief that the man of God must be thoroughly furnished and equipped to meet the on-going challenges of ministering in age of technological advances. Through PCC, you have that opportunity to fulfill the dream of receiving an earned degree in Theology, Pastoral Ministry, Christian Education, Christian Counseling and Missions in your spare time without leaving your ministry.

This is exciting! So, please do not hesitate! In no time at all, it will be graduation time!

Yours in His Harvest Field,

Michael McKinney

Michael T. McKinney, Ph.D.

MISSION AND PURPOSE

“Preparing Men and Women to Fulfill God’s Promise”

The specific purpose of this institution is to train men and women for the ministry and for the work of spreading the gospel of Jesus Christ through all the nations of the world by providing them academic, spiritual and moral instruction leading to an earned degree that will enhance their knowledge and ability in the word of God and at the same time give them practical tools that they can implement in the ministry God has called them to do.

In 1997, the foundation of Promise Christian College was laid by Drs. Michael and Adelle McKinney. Since that time, students have graduated and are now working as pastors, professors, teachers, evangelists, missionaries, administrators, counselors, and para-church ministry directors and leaders.

THE DEGREE PROGRAM

Promise Christian University (PCU) consists of two schools; the undergraduate school, Promise Christian College(PCC) and Promise Christian University Graduate School of Theology (GST) PCC provides academic, spiritual and ethical training in three areas of study.

Theology with an emphasis on Pastoral Study and Divinity
Christian Education, with an emphasis on Christian Leadership
Christian Counseling with an emphasis on Pastoral Care.
Missions with an emphasis on Intercultural Studies and Evangelism.

Promise Christian College has on staff professors, teachers and educators who have not only the academic credentials, but practical on the field experience after serving many years in full-time pastoral ministry.

The School of Theology will produce men and women who are qualified and ready to pursue a career in ministry as pastors, missionaries and/or para-church leaders. Our goal is to provide quality and at the same time introduce innovative new ways of reaching, teaching and training disciples in the local church ministry.

The School of Christian Education will provide administrators and educators a solid Christian biblical back ground that will encompass and cover areas of new methods of teaching and training in a balanced and informative way providing a solid biblical foundation for all truths and doctrines.

The School of Christian Counseling will seek to train men and women in the use of biblical methods to promote a well balanced, well rounded program with special emphasis on pastoral and family counseling.

The School of Missions will prepare men and women for both full time missionary and marketplace ministries with the tools and knowledge to impact the ministry globally.

Students will be thoroughly furnished in Biblical studies and at the same time receive practical tools from experienced qualified pastors and Christian educators to assist them in becoming successful in their chosen field or area of ministry.

Promise Christian College was started with a vision and with the purpose of training men and women to become Christian Leaders in their generation in all areas of Christian ministry.

External Study Program. Promise Christian College will take its curriculum and method of instruction and develop an external study program and an internet online study program. We have professors who are knowledgeable and able to mentor students in long distance study programs and we believe that busy pastors who work more than 40 hours in ministry must and should have the opportunity to complete their earned degree with a convenient program of study that does not conflict with their ministry schedule.

Life Experience. Promise Christian College believes that men and women who have been in full-time Christian ministry for a minimum of 5 years have already been studying and developing life long learning skills which are helping them to be successful in ministry. PCC wants to recognize those achievements such as curriculum development, authorship and accomplishments in ministry by granting a certain amount of Life Experience for the academic work that has already been accomplished through non-traditional study.

With these goals in mind, Promise Christian College is committed to:

- **Excellence in Education.** Our goal is to train students who are competent in the Word of God and able to translate that into teaching, preaching and reaching the next generation.
- **Excellence in Ministry.** We believe that every individual has a divine call of God upon their lives. Our goal is to strengthen that calling and equip men and women with knowledge, encourage character and

demand integrity.

ABOUT OUR SCHOOL:

Promise Christian College (PCC) was founded in 2002 by Dr. Michael McKinney. As former President of Valley International Christian Seminary since 1996, 100 students have graduated and received their earned degree. Today, PCC offers its degree program through both classroom instruction and an External Program course of study for those who are unable to attend classes at the School. PCC is also affiliated with the World for Jesus International Christian Center and Ministries and the World for Jesus International Fellowship a worldwide non-denominational full gospel ministry operating as a federally tax-exempt religious organization under the laws of the State of California IRS Code Section 501 (c) (3) and the International Pastors Network, an association of pastors, evangelists, missionaries and Christian leaders.

ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

PCC is aware of the need for advanced educational degrees in all areas of Christian Ministry and also cognizant of the fact that most full-time Christian Ministers and Workers are unable to leave their field of work for the time necessary to earn a traditional degree. *Promise Christian College is the answer.*

Degree candidates are individually evaluated based on life and ministerial experience, courses of study completed in accredited and non-accredited learning facilities and they given credit for the courses already completed.

For full-time Pastors, Evangelists, Missionaries and Teachers an Equivalency Test is available for credit towards a Bachelor of Theology degree.

A copy of the student's official transcripts from other institutions of learning along with evidence of the student's life experience in the Ministry should accompany a student's inquiry to the extension and accelerated program. Every application will be given merit based on the individual's level of training and life experience.

External Studies follows the same strict guidelines of academic excellence which the resident programs maintain. Tuition rates are the same for all external and extension programs. Students requesting in-class courses may pay an additional amount per unit/credit. Books are extra as well.

Students progress at their own pace, depending on their individual schedules. However, all degree courses must be completed within 1 year of enrollment. An extension may be requested with an added fee.

ABOUT OUR ACCREDITATION

Promise Christian College has been registered with the Bureau for Post-Secondary and vocational Education in the State of California and has been granted a religious exemption. Promise Christian College and all extension location operate under and are govern by the California State Education code CEC 94739 (b)(6).

Promise Christian College has acquired the services of an educational consultant who will be assisting PCC on its journey towards national accreditation.

Promise Christian College is also affiliated with the Association of Christian Schools International, Evangelical Training Association and Christian Educators Association International.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

In order to receive their **EARNED DEGREE**, students must have satisfactorily completed the required course of study as set forth by the admissions committee. All examinations and written work must be completed and all financial obligations settled before any degree may be awarded.

TRANSFER CREDITS

Transcripts are evaluated by the Registrar under the guidelines established by the faculty. Course credits with a minimum grade of “C” or 2.0 earned at other theological schools and seminaries are accepted at full value to the extent that the courses are comparable to PCC’s stated requirements.

TRANSCRIPTS

Official transcripts are issued by the Registrar only at the written request of the student together with the \$10 transcript fee. The student must give his/her full name used while enrolled in the school, date of birth and/or student i.d. number. No transcripts will be issued for anyone who has failed to meet any financial obligations to Promise Christian College.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applicants must submit a completed application and designate the course of study and degree program. An fee of \$50.00 must accompany the application (s). In addition the following are also required:

- Official transcripts. Copy of high school diploma and transcripts. The final evaluation is contingent upon receiving official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended. Copies of degrees are required.
- Ecclesiastical Recommendation. A ministerial recommendation

must be completed by your pastor, or an official board member of the current church you are attending or pastoring, stating that he or she is in good standing and full fellowship.

- Personal References. These should include when possible, the applicant’s pastor, a college professor or a professional or business-related individual.
- A complete ministry resume including all classes that you have taken, developed, taught; itemized with text book titles, dates and a brief summary. Also a secular resume should also be included.

TUITION AND FEE SCHEDULE

Tuition and Fees are due at the time of enrollment. Additional fees may be required for books and other materials. A tuition payment plan may be available to those students wishing to pay their fees in monthly payments. **Contact registrar for special arrangements and current fee schedule.**

REFUND POLICY

TUITION PAID IN FULL.

Students who officially withdraw may be granted a refund of tuition which has been paid in full for uncompleted degree work on the following schedule:

Withdrawal must be in writing by:

30 days from date of enrollment.....	80%
60 days from date of enrollment.....	60%
90 days from date of enrollment.....	40%
after 90 days from date of enrollment.....	None

The enrollment fee of \$100 and application fee of \$50 are non-refundable. No refund will be made for tuition paid on any payment schedule.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

- 25% due in 30 days
- 25% due in 120 days
- 25% due in 210 days
- Balance due 30 days prior to graduation.

RETURNED CHECKS

A service charge of \$30.00 will be added to the student account for all checks returned unpaid by the bank.

AWARDING OF THE DEGREE

When all financial, administrative, and academic requirements have been met the degree will be awarded. There is a \$150.00 Graduation fee to process all degrees (\$200.00 for foreign students plus \$75 for cap and gown if attending graduation services; \$100 for doctoral candidates).

COMMENCEMENT

For participation in the annual graduation exercises in California, students must complete all requirements and be registered for commencement one month prior to the date of graduation of that year. Special graduation ceremonies may be conducted throughout the year and in coordination with Promise Christian College.

GRADUATION WITH HONORS

Students completing with a Grade Point Average of 3.50 or above will graduate with the following honors:

<i>cum laude</i>	3.50-3.69	GPA
<i>magna cum laude</i>	3.70-3.84	GPA
<i>summa cum laude</i>	3.85-4.00	GPA

ABOUT OUR STAFF

Dr. Michael T. McKinney - President

Dr. McKinney has been in full-time ministry as a Pastor, Evangelist and Teacher for 41 years. He holds the following academic degrees: Doctor of Philosophy in Religion, ITSC; Doctor of Theology, ITSC; Master of Theology ITSC, Bachelor of Theology, International Seminary, Doctor of Divinity from International Bible Institute and Seminary. He is founder of the Victory in Christ International Ministries, World for Jesus Christian Center and the Pastor's Network. Dr. McKinney serves as a chaplain with the United States Air Force Auxiliary Civil Air Patrol and is a member of the prestigious Who's Who International in Religion.

Dr. Lynn Anderson - Administrator and Provost. Dr. Anderson has been in pastoral ministry for 30 years. He taught for 3 years at the Rio Grande School of the Bible College in Texas. Dr. Anderson received his Bachelor of Arts degree from the Grand Rapids School of the Bible and Music; Master of Arts degree from Patriot College

Dr. Heather Blue - Academic Dean, Undergraduate. Dr. Blue received her Masters of Arts from Cal State Los Angeles. She then completed her Christian Counseling degrees from Promise Christian University. She also received her Ph.D. in Psychology from UCLA.

Dr. Nicholas Benson - Academic Dean, Graduate School of Theology. Dr. Benson graduated from Fuller Theological Seminary where he received his MA in Intercultural Studies. He then went on to received his Ph.D. from USC in Social Work. Dr. Benson has been a pastor for over 30 years and currently serves on the Board of Directors for several non-profit organizations.

Dr. Jerry Howell - Director of Development. Dr. Jerry Howell has been in full-time ministry as Pastor and Teacher for 46 years. He is former Provost of Mt. Vernon Bible College and Dean of Men at LIFE Bible College. He is a graduate of LIFE Bible College and holds his Masters of Arts in Psychology from UCLA and Doctors Degree from Trinity College. Dr. Howell has written several text books, which are currently being used

as curriculum in several colleges.

Dr. Adelle McKinney - Registrar and Exec. Vice President. Adelle has been in ministry for 36 years. She has served as Administrator and Financial Officer for several Christian and secular organizations. She attended the College of Southern California with Honors at Entrance, Bachelor of Theology from ITSC; Master of Theology - Christian Education Major, ITSC. Doctor of Theology - Major in Christian Education from ITSC. She has served as consultant for several Christian ministries.

Dr. William Schultz, Chair - School of Christian Education
Dr. Schultz has been pastoring and in full time ministry for over 45 years. He is a graduate of the Southern California College, now Vanguard College. He earned his Masters Degree from Claremont Theological Seminary. He also holds a life time California teaching credential. He holds the Doctor of Divinity Degree from International Theological Seminary of California.

Dr. Stephen Kirtley, Director Chaplain Program
Dr. Kirtley is a career Chaplain in the United States Army. He has pastored for over 30 years. Chaplain Kirtley received his M.Div and D. Min from Lexington Theological Seminary.

Payne, Howard, Rev. Chaplain - Biblical Languages
Chaplain Payne is a chaplain in the U.S. Air Force Auxiliary Civil Air Patrol and has been in pastoral ministry for over 30 years. He is a graduate of Wheaton College and Fuller Theological Seminary majoring in Greek and Hebrew.

Dr. Elie Elyabadi - World Religions
Dr. Elyabadi is an expert in World Religions. He is a graduate of Fuller Theological Seminary with an emphasis in Intercultural Missions.

Dr. Forrest Turpen - Old Testament
Dr. Turpen is a graduate of Stanford University holding a MA in Education. He is former CEO of Christian Educators Association International.

DEGREES OFFERED THROUGH ***PROMISE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE***

DEGREES OFFERED

ASSOCIATE OF THEOLOGY..... TH.A

BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY.....TH.B
Emphasis in Pastoral Ministry, Christian Education, Christian Counseling, Missions

BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY DEGREE PROGRAMS

The Theology and Biblical Studies students will:

- Manifest integrity and discipline
- Learn how to be a communicator of the Word of Truth with the ability to teach
- Develop people skills and personal growth
- Time Management
- Understand the pattern and organization of the church
- Learn how to be a communicator of the Word of Truth with the ability to teach
- Demonstrate the ability to carry out normal pastoral duties including leading worship

Christian Education and Sacred Music Students:

- Understand the role of education in the life of the church
- Demonstrate the ability to effectively communicate the philosophy of Christian Education
- Have skills in studying and properly interpreting the Word of God
- Ability to develop and coordinate programs to meet the needs of all age levels in the church or Christian school
- Apply the principals of teaching practically

Pastoral Ministry and Leadership students:

- Learn and develop ethical principals for maintaining Christian principals
- Understanding of the operation of a non-profit organization

- Management and Leadership Skills
- Practical application of Biblical principals

Christian Counseling students will:

- Display the ability to focus on the personal care ministry in the church
- Have a solid biblical foundation from which to pursue further education in counseling
- Exhibit the ability to use effective compassionate pastoral counseling skills
- Manifest personal integrity and discipline model a consistent pattern of personal and spiritual growth

Mission students will:

- Learn the history of missions from an evangelical perspective
- Demonstrate critical thinking and integration skills in order for foster individual and social transformation
- Acquire skills and knowledge to demonstrate sensitivity to cultural differences to build relationships for communicating the gospel in context.
- Integrate marketplace tent making skills to assist in church planting outreaches.

Associate of Theology Degree

All students are required to complete a total of 64 units in Bible Theology (Core Courses). The following course are available through PCC's external study department (*)

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| *Introduction to the Bible | *Old Testament Survey 1,2 |
| *Life of Christ | *Book of Acts |
| *Church History 1,2 | Ethics |
| *Evangelism | Missions |
| Spiritual Formation | Teaching the Word of Truth |
| *Spiritual Leadership | Homiletics |
| *Worship | Intro to Christian Counseling |

Bachelor of Theology Degree

All students will be required to complete a total of 64 units in Bible Theology in addition to the required 64 units of core courses for a total of 120 units.

THEOLOGY MAJOR:

Requirements:

Core Courses	64 Units
Theology	34 Units
Emphasis	30 Units
Total	128 Units

General Education:

English Composition	Biblical Stewardship
Science and the Bible	Founding Fathers

Theology

*Intro to Ministry	Cultural Anthropology
Apologetics	Ministerial Ethics
World Religions - Islam	Pastoral Theology
Pastoral Epistles	*Works of Christ
Evangelism 2	*Leadership
Holy Spirit and His Gifts	Church and the Law
Fellowship with God	

Pastoral Ministry Emphasis:

Covenant of God	Issues in Ministry
Major Prophets	Managing the Non-Profit
*Old Testament	Organization and Leadership
*New Testament	in the Church
Synoptic Gospels	Church Doctrine
*Life of Paul	Works of Christ 2
*Romans	Pastoral Care

Christian Education Emphasis:

*Christian Education	Curriculum Development
Childhood Development	Character Development
*Ministry to Youth	*Teaching Techniques
*Ministry to Family	Introduction to Philosophy
Moral Development	Intercultural Communications
*Methods of Teaching	Contemporary American
*Laws of Teaching	Youth Culture

Christian Counseling Emphasis:

Intercultural Communications	Contemporary American
Intro to Christian Counseling	Youth Culture
Personality Development	*Principles of Biblical Counseling
Pastoral Counseling	Inner Transformation
Ministry to Family	Ministry to Youth
Moral Development	Character Development
Counseling Methods	Crisis Counseling

Missions Emphasis:

Foundations of Christian Missions	Missions Perspectives
Urban Mission Adventure	Urban Missions
Missions Career Workshop	Church Planting
Cultural Anthropology	Issues in Ministry
History and Theology of	Ethics Issues in Missions
Missions	
Contemporary American Youth Culture	

GRADUATION ETIQUETTE

BACHELOR DEGREE

Graduates can wear the traditional black cap and black gown, PCC asks that all graduates wear the gold tassel for the Bachelor of Theology degree and majors. Graduates may wear the hood. The inner silk/stain lining (chevron) should be Blue and Gold.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

All tuition fees, graduation fees must be paid 30 days prior to commencement exercises.

CLASS RINGS

The beautiful Promise Christian College - Class ring is available for all students to order. Please denote: Year of Graduation, Major and color of stone. Cost: \$300-\$600. Order rings through Balfour.com (Original PCC ring is no longer available).

GRADUATION EXERCISES

Graduation is held in August. Students completing their degree program in the Winter may participate in the summer graduation service.

To graduate in the Winter/Spring Class all courses must be completed, thesis graded and tuition paid no later than, January 30.

To graduate in the Summer/Fall Class all courses must be completed, thesis graded and tuition paid no later than June 30. (Special arrangements can be made to conduct graduation services and the awarding of the Doctor of Divinity degrees at different time and location as well).

QUESTIONS?

Call Promise Christian College and ask for Adelle McKinney (626) 296-7502 or (626) 827-6405
Or Email: promisecu@aol.com

WEB SITE:

[Http://www.promisecu.org](http://www.promisecu.org) Fax: (626) 296-7582

Student Conduct:

Students must maintain a high standard of conduct and behavior consistent with men and women who are ministers of the Gospel. We request our students to strive to maintain a walk of holiness and righteous living.

Students shall render all due respect to the faculty and staff of Promise CU at all times, understanding it is a *privilege* to be accepted as a student.

Christian Service:

All students are required to be actively involved in a local church where they must be involved in Christian service. All students are required to obtain the ministerial recommendation of their pastor or an ordained minister that has known them on a personal basis for a minimum of two years.

Nondiscriminatory:

Promise CU does not discriminate on the basis or race, color or ethnic or national origin in the administration of our educational policies and/or programs.

Right to Refuse:

Promise CU reserves the right to refuse anyone, for any reason, not in harmony with the principles, standards or purposes of Promise CU. In such case, monies paid will be returned in full.

H S Diploma:

A high school diploma, G.E.D. or other demonstrated equivalency is required to enroll in Promise CU.

Statement of Faith:

Students are asked to review and acknowledge Promise CU's statement of faith.

Payment of Tuition:

Students shall pay tuition on a pre-determined payment schedule. All classroom instruction shall be paid for at the time taken. All tuition and fees must be paid by June 30th and prior to the issuing of a Graduation Accuracy Form which officially clears the student for graduation.

Transcripts:

No partial or complete transcript can be requested until tuition and fees have been satisfied.

PROMISE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE - COURSE LIST**COURSE DESCRIPTION**

You will receive a course outline and recommended textbook for each course selected. A thesis of 3,000-7,000 words may be required for completion of the course. Each course is worth 3 credits/units unless noted.

If there is a course that you would be interested in taking as part of your degree program and it is not listed here, send a synopsis and outline of the course with the text book(s) required to: Promise Christian College: Attn: Registrar for approval.

THEOLOGY**TH101 INTRO TO THE BIBLE**

TH103 OLD TESTAMENT SURVEY I - A look into the purpose of the Old Testament, authors, books, and history.

history of the church.

TH104 OLD TESTAMENT SURVEY II -An overview of each book in the Old Testament, focusing on historical, background, outstanding people and events.

TH130 BOOK OF ROMANS I & II
Study in Romans with special emphasis on chapters 6,7,8

TH110 LIFE OF CHRIST I & II -

The Life and Teachings of Jesus. The teachings of Jesus as viewed by Matthew, Mark, Luke and John

THE PENTATEUCH I & II - A study of the first five books of the Bible in relation to Old Testament history and the divine plan with emphasis on the Tabernacle, Levitical Offerings and feasts. In-depth study on Old Testament Law and its integration into our world today.

The Names of Jesus
A look at the Old Testament and New Testament (Hebrew and Greek) names for Jesus Christ.

THE TABERNACLE -A study of Moses' tabernacle in the wilderness and the significance of God's plan for the church.

TH115 BOOK OF ACTS I & II - The study of the early church and the ministry of Apostle Paul. The study of the early church and the ministry of Peter

TABERNACLE OF DAVID -Biographical look at the life of David with special emphasis on Davidic worship, expression and its importance in the church today.

TH120 CHURCH HISTORY I - Chronological history of the church.

BOOK OF WISDOM I & II - Practical application of the Book of Proverbs. A look at the New Testament manifestation of the "word of wisdom." Proper use and application of this gift.

TH121 CHURCH HISTORY II - Chronological

INTRO TO THE PROPHETS I & II - Beginning

with Samuel, an overview of the Old Testament's major prophetic voices.

MINOR PROPHETS I & II

Introduction to the 12 minor prophets of the Old Testament and their historic background. The role of the minor prophets.

MAJOR PROPHETS I & II

PROPHECY OF DANIEL

Historic background to the Book of Daniel.

BOOK OF ISAIAH

Historic background to the Book of Isaiah, with special emphasis on prophetic Messianic messages. A look of Jesus's teaching on the book of Isaiah.

INTRO TO THE NEW TESTAMENT I & II - Purpose of the New Testament, fundamentals of overall meanings, language and interpretation.

NEW TESTAMENT SURVEY I & II - Each book of the New Testament studied focusing on historical background geography, people and events.

THE HOLY SPIRIT AND HIS GIFTS I & II - An overview of the Holy Spirit in the Old and New Testament

Pentecostal Truth
The Baptism in the Holy Spirit

Pentecostal Truth
Study of the work of the Holy Spirit in the life of the early church with an emphasis on the manifestations and demonstrations of the Spirit.

EPISTLES I & II

Examination of Paul's writings. Differences and similarities between Paul's thoughts and other New Testament writings.

SYNOPTIC GOSPELS I & II - Study of background and authorship of each book. with special attention given to social, political and religious conditions of the first century

INTERPRETING REVELATION I & II - An overview of the book of Revelation as it applies to history and current events.

BIBLE AS LITERATURE

CHRISTIAN LIVING I & II

CHURCH GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT I & II

Purpose Driven Church. Keys to building a healthy growing church

Obstacles to church growth. In-depth look at hindrances to church growth and steps to overcome them.

COMPOSITION AND THESIS WRITING (2 UNITS). An overview of organizing, scripting and writing a term paper or thesis.

DISPENSATIONAL THEOLOGY I & II - For every purpose under heaven there is God's timing and divine plan. A chronological overview of God's Plan for this planet

EVANGELISM IN THE EARLY CHURCH I & II - A study of the reasons why the early church turned the world upside down.

A study of the lives of the early church fathers.

Evangelism and the End time church. What role will evangelism play in the end-time revival?

Study of the Early Church Martyrs

Revivalism
Understanding the time and seasons of God's refreshing. A look at major historical revivals in the 19th and

20th century.

ADV EVANGELISM IN THE EARLY CHURCH I & II

INTRO TO GREEK. Introduction to the Greek language in the New Testament and how men of God were inspired of the Holy Spirit to write the books of the Bible.

GREEK I & II. Fundamentals of using Greek to interpret the Bible.

GREEK WORD STUDIES I & II

HEBREW PERSPECTIVES - Introduction to the Hebrew language used in the Old Testament and how men of God were inspired of the Holy Spirit to write the books of the Bible.

HERMENEUTICS I & II. Effective use of evangelistic teaching to present the gospel of Jesus Christ.

HISTORY OF THE CHURCH I & II

History of the Apostolic and Pentecostal Church A survey history of the Pentecostal and Charismatic movements.

HOMILETICS I & II

LEGAL RIGHTS OF CHRISTIANS IN PUBLIC EDUCATION I & II

MINISTRY PRACTICUM I & II (2 UNITS). Student will complete actual ministry assignments geared to improve, enhance their ministry skills.

INTO TO MISSIONS I, & II. A look at historical missions and 21st century missions.

Preparing to become a Missionary.

Missionary Evangelism.

MULTI CULTURAL EVANGELISM -The dynamics of a multi-cultural ministry in the church setting.

ORGANIZATION AND LEADERSHIP IN THE CHURCH I, II.

Book of Timothy I

Book of Timothy II, III

Book of Titus

ADV ORGANIZATION AND LEADERSHIP IN THE CHURCH I,II

PASTORAL THEOLOGY I & II

Pastoral Leadership
The call, qualification and work of a minister.

Ordinances of the Church.

PUBLIC SPEAKING (2 Units)

SCIENTIFIC CREATIONISM I & II. Examines thoroughly the study of creation in Genesis with analysis of other non-biblical theories of the beginning of things, include the Darwinian Theory for evolution.

SPIRITUAL LEADERSHIP - A study of the characteristics of a spiritual leader.

SPIRITUAL GIFTS AND MINISTRY I & II
Application and use of the spiritual gifts in ministry.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT I,II

Developing Spiritual Leaders.

Qualifications of Leadership.

THEOLOGY OF PERSONAL MINISTRY I & II Personal Evangelism Training in

concepts and methods which lead to effectiveness in presenting Jesus on a person-to person basis.

SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY I & II A study of all the doctrines of the Church.

Ecclesiology

The doctrine detailing origin, nature and constitution of the church; organization, ministry, ordinances and future.

Hamartiology

A discussion of the sin question, it's origin, reality, extent, result and penalty

THEOLOGICAL ETHICS I - Standard of conduct for a believer in the world today.

B065.1 - Discipleship I

A study of the lives of the twelve disciples of Jesus Christ.

Discipleship II

A Study of the character of Jesus.

THEOLOGY OF THE NEW TESTAMENT I & II - Study of God as revealed in the personal manifestation through His Son, Jesus Christ.

Power of Prayer. Based on the Lord's Prayer, an in depth look on the manner in which Jesus Christ taught the church to pray.

Authority of the Believer. An examination of the teachings of Jesus and Paul as it relates to the rights and privileges of New Testament believers.

Faith in Christ

The message of faith and how it impacts the lives of believers today. Special look at the live of

Martin Luther.

WORSHIP OF GOD I & II - Worship, love and praise of God studies as a foundation of Christianity.

WORKS OF CHRIST I & II

Healing - The healing ministry of Jesus; Miracles of Jesus Christ

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

ADMINISTERING CHRISTIAN EDUCATION I

& II -What is the Church's teaching mission? What is the role of the teacher in the church today?

Sunday School Organization

Curriculum Development for Christian Education

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY I & II Using Biblical examples and taking a realistic look at life today for youth, this course addresses the challenges faced by the ministry, church and Christian education department in training children in the ways of the Lord. Emphasis on pre-teen age children.

ADV CHILDREN'S MINISTRY I & II

Child Growth and Development I. An examination of the child from prenatal stage to through 12years , developmentally, emotionally, socially and spiritually.

FAMILY MINISTRY I & II

MINISTERING TO YOUTH I & II

ADULT DEVELOPMENT I & II

MINISTRY TO SPECIAL NEEDS I & II

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIFE, I & II

COMPARATIVE RELIGIONS I & II Introduction to the Cults. A look into what is a cult, and how cults are created. An overview of several specific cults.

Chaos of the Cults

HISTORY OF THE CHRISTIANITY I,&II-Basic overview of how evangelism "making God known to human beings," began, expanded and is continuing today in modern times. How do evangelicals communicate the good news message? A study on the methods and the means.

Church History

A survey of men, movements and doctrines from the close of the New Testament to Christianity in America.

TEACHING THE WORD OF TRUTH I & II

Methods of Teaching Study in the basic principles of effective teaching based on the seven laws of the teacher.

UNDERSTANDING THE TRINITY I & II

WORLD RELIGIONS I & II -

APOLOGETICS I

A survey of the evidence, both internal and external upon which rests the Christian's faith in the authority of the bible

AND DISSERTATION

C H R I S T I A N O R G A N I Z A T I O N A L M A N A G E M E N T

(Bachelors Level)

Church Marketing I & II

Multi-media Evangelism. Using radio, television and the internet to spread the word.

E- Ministry I & II. - Computers in the Church. How to use a computer effective in ministry.

Masterplanning I & II. Basics of strategic planning and vision casting.

Church and the Law I & II

Adv Church and the Law I & II

Managing the Non-Profit Organization I & II. A review of all the aspects of managing a non-profit organization.

Bible and Business Ethics I & II. Using biblical principals and keys to conduct business in an successful and ethical manner. Values Based Business.

Christian Leadership I & II

Adv Christian Leadership I & II

CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

INTRO PRINCIPLES OF BIBLICAL COUNSELING I & II. - Introduction to Basic Biblical principals of counseling. Biblical teachings which to demonstrate purposes of counseling.

PRINCIPLES OF BIBLICAL COUNSELING I & II

Child and Adolescent Counseling. A study of the problems children may have and solutions based on biblical counseling.

Crisis Counseling I

A Course that gives students some basic skills needed for crisis intervention.

ADV PRINCIPLES OF BIBLICAL COUNSELING I & II

Pastoral Counseling

A look at the pastor and his flock. Methods of Counseling and solutions to problems and conflicts.

Pre-marital and Marriage Counseling

Pre-marital counseling and its application can lay a solid foundation in the life of newlyweds.

Crisis Counseling II

Continuation of Crisis Counseling I with emphasis on application in real life experiences.

Marriage and Family Counseling. Basic course of marital conflicts and resolutions.

SACRED MUSIC

Hymnology I & II

Psalms I & II

Leading Worship I & I

History of Music in the Church I & II

Original Composition I & II

Sacred Music Seminars I & II

SUGGESTED TEXTS FOR COURSE STUDIES

BIBLE THEOLOGY

BIBLE DOCTRINAL STUDIES

*All the Doctrines of the Bible

*Foundations of Pentecostal Theology

Lockyer, Herbert
Duffield & Van Cleave

BIBLE SURVEY

*Compact Bible Survey

*Expanded Panorama Bible Study Course

*Dispensational Truth

*Ages and Dispensations

*New Testament Survey

A Popular Survey of the Old Testament

Balchin, John
Eade, Alfred
Larkin, Clarence
Boyd, Frank
ETA
Guthrie

CHRISTIAN BUSINESS

God is my CEO

Masterplanning

Christian Ministries and the Law

Church Marketing

Julian, Larry
Biehl, Bobb
House, Warren
Barna, George

CHRISTOLOGY - THE LIFE OF CHRIST

Cross of Christ

The Words and Works of Jesus Christ

The Teachings of Jesus

The Word of Life

Life of Christ

Stott, John R.
Pentecost
Lockyer
Oden, Thomas
Gill, A.L.

DISPENSATIONAL STUDIES

*Expanded Panorama Bible Study Course

*Dispensational Truth

Handbook of Biblical Chronology

Eade, Alfred Thomas
Larkin, Clarence
Finegan, Jack

ESCHATOLOGY

Things to Come

The Return of the Lord

Eschatology

Millennial Kingdom

Coming Events in Prophecy

*A New World Coming

All About the Second Coming

Heaven

Pentecost
Walvoord
Sauer, V.
Walvoord
Dehaan
Lindsey, Hal
Lockyer
Criswell, W.A.

EVANGELISM

*Master Plan for Evangelism

Evangelism and the Early Church

Coleman, Robert
Greene, Michael

GREEK

New Testament in Greek

Greek Lexicon

A Beginners Reader Grammar, for NT Greek

Colwell, Ernest

HOLY SPIRIT

*19 Gifts of the Spirit
Your Spiritual Gifts
All About the Holy Spirit

Flynn, Leslie B.
Wagner, Peter
Lockyer

MAJOR PROPHETS (AND MINOR)

Preaching from the Prophets
Prophets and the Promise
The Prophets
And the Prophets

Yates
Beecher, Willis
Blackwood, Andrew W.
Chappell, Clovis G.

NEW TESTAMENT THEOLOGY

Biblical Theology of the New Testament Ryrie
New Testament Theology
New Testament Theology
Introduction to Systematic Theology
History of Christian Doctrines
*Theology of the New Testament
Studies in Theology
Christian Theology
Baker's Dictionary of Practical Theology Turnbull
*Lectures in Systematic Theology
New Testament Survey
Systematic Theology
Systematic Theology
*New Testament Comes Alive 1,2,3
*New Testament Introduction
Birth of An Exciting Vision

Guthrie
Hasel, G.
Berkhof
Berkhof, Louis
Ladd, G.E.
Denney, James
Bancroft

Thiessen
Tenney, Merrill C.
Hodge, Charles
Strong, A.H.
Roberts, Oral
Guthrie
Swindoll, Charles

OLD TESTAMENT THEOLOGY

(Some of the above books)
Theology of the Older Testament
Theology of the Old Testament 1& 2
Theology of the Old Testament

Payne
Eichrodt, W.
McKenzie

PENTATEUCH

Pentateuch
Handbook on the Pentateuch
The Higher Criticism of the Pentateuch
A History of Israel: From Conquest to Exile

CETEC
Hamilton, Victor P.
Green, William Henry
Davis, John J. &
Whitcomb, Victor P.
DeHaan, M.R.
Ness, Alexander

*The Tabernacle
A Pattern for Living

THE POETICAL BOOKS

Exposition of Psalms

Leupold

SOTERIOLOGY - THE PLAN OF SALVATION

Essentials of Evangelical Theology -
"God, Authority & Salvation"

Dloesch

SPIRIT WORLD

Angels of Light
Demonology

Freeman
Koch

*Angels on Assignment
*Angels, God's Secret Agents
Demonism
*Angels, Elect and Evil
*The Ministry of Angels
All About the Angels in the Bible

Buck
Graham
Swindoll
Dickason, C. Fred
Narciso, Leonor V.
Lockyer

THANATOLOGY

The Bible and the Life Hereafter
Life and Death in the New Testament
Death, Graduation to Glory
Death, The Final State of Growth

Hendriksen
Dufour; Leon
Lovett, C.S.
Kubler, Ross

STUDY OF GOD

All about God in Christ
Knowing God
The Living God
God and His Covenants

Lockyer
Packer
Oden, Thomas
Gruits, Patricia Beall

WORKS OF CHRIST

The Anointing
Jesus the Healer
Christ the Healer

Kendall, R.
Osborn, T.L.
Bosworth, F.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION - CE**BIBLE ATLAS**

Atlas of the Bible Lands
Atlas of the Bible Lands
*Baker's Bible Atlas
Atlas of the Bible And Christianity

Frank, H.
Hammonds
Pfeiffer
Donley

BIBLE ARCHAEOLOGY

Burroughs on the Dead Sea Scrolls: An
Omnibus of Two Famous Volumes
Archaeological Backgrounds to Bible People
The Biblical World: A Dictionary of Biblical
Archaeology
Biblical Archaeology in Focus
The Stones and the Scriptures: An Introduction
to Biblical Archaeology
*Dead Sea Scrolls and the Bible

Burroughs, Millar
Lewis, Jack P.
Pfeiffer, Charles F.
Schoville, Keith N.
Yamauchi, Edwin M.
Pfeiffer, Charles

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

^Biblical Christian Education
A History of Christian Education
7 Laws of the Teacher
7 Laws of the Student
Becoming a Teacher
Applied Psychology to Teaching

Graendorf, Werner
Edge, Findley
Hendricks, Howard
Wilkerson, Bruce
Parkay, Forest
Snowman, Biehler

CHURCH AND RACISM

*Heaven for Whites Only

Ornguze, John

CHURCH HISTORY

*Sketches from Church History
Story of Christianity I
Story of Christianity II
Church History

Houghton, S.M.
Gonzalez, Justo
Gonzalez, Justo
ETA

COMPARATIVE RELIGIONS

CULT STUDIES

*Kingdom of the Cults

Martin, Walter

EVANGELISM

*Power Evangelism
*Master Plan of Evangelism
*Evangelism Then and Now
*The Personal Evangelist
^Lifestyle Evangelism
*Evangelism Explosion

Wimber, John
Coleman, Robert
Green, Michael
Ellis, Joe
Aldrich, Joseph
Kennedy, James

HOMILETICS

*How to Prepare Bible Messages
*How to Prepare Sermons
Art of Preaching

Braga, James
Evans, William

MULTI-CULTURAL MINISTRY

Creating Understanding
Christianity in Culture

Smith, Donald
Kraft, Charles

NEW TESTAMENT EDUCATION

Exploring Christian Education

Sanner, Elwood
Harper, A.F.

OCCULT

The Challenge of the Cults
*Confronting the Cults
Cults and Isms: Twenty Alternatives to
Evangelical Christianity

Burrell, Maurice C.
Lewis, Gordon

Spittler, Russell P.

OLD TESTAMENT EDUCATION

Educational Ideals in the Ancient World

Barclay

SCIENCE AND CREATIONISM

TEACHING

Creative Bible Teaching

Richards, Lawrence O.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Called to Care

Stevens, Doug

WOMEN IN MINISTRY

WORLD RELIGIONS

Religions of Man
Religions of the World

Smith
Shipper, E.

Religions

Langley, M.

WORD STUDIES

Alford's Greek Testament: An Exegetical
and Critical Commentary
*An Expository Dictionary of New Testament
Words
*Wuest's Word Studies
New Testament Words
*Hebrew Honey
Word Study of the Old Testament
Word Meanings in the New Testament

Alford, Henry

Vine

Wuest
Bailey, W.M.
Hickey, Marilyn
Zodhiates
Earle

CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

CHRISTIAN PSYCHOLOGY

Christian Psychiatry

Minirth, Frank & Byrd

CHRISTIAN FAMILY

American Family
***Basic Principles of Biblical Counseling**
(Effective Pastoral Counseling)
*Pre-Marital Counseling
*Inside Out
*Love, Acceptance and Forgiveness
*The Joy Filled Life
*Becoming One
*When Caring is Not Enough
*Christian Counselor's Manual
*Introduction to Biblical Counseling
*Psychology of Counseling

Quayle, Dan
Crabb, Lawrence
Collins, Gary
Wright, H. Norman
Crabb, Lawrence
Cook, Jerry
Schlink, M. Masilea
Meredith, Don
Augsburger, David
Adams, Jay

Narramore, Clyde

DEPRESSION

*Power of Joy

Nichols, John

ETHICS

*Choices of the Heart (Out of Print)
*Spiritual Living in a Secular World
*Church at Risk
^Mere Christianity
*Turning Toward Ethics
The Absolutes
Hanging By a Thread

Webster, Douglas
Fernando, Ajith
Dean, William W.
Lewis, C.S.
Jeremiah, David
Robinson, James
Ruthland, Mark

MARRIAGE COUNSELING

Making Love Last Forever

Smalley, Gary

MENTAL HEALTH

MINISTRY TO THE DIVORCED

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The Challenge of the Cults

Burrell, Maurice C.

*Confronting the Cults
Cults and Isms: Twenty Alternatives to
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Lewis, Gordon

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PASTORAL THEOLOGY, CHURCH ADMINISTRATION & MISSIONS

CHURCH ADMINISTRATION

*Effective Church Board
*Church Leadership

*Art of Management for Christian Leaders

*Church Administration Handbook
*After Due Order
*How to Mobilize Church Volunteers
*Managing the Non-Profit Organization

Anthony, Michael J.
Richards, Lawrence &
Hoeldtke, Clyde
Engstrom, Ted
Dayton, Edward

Powers, Bruce
Gordon, Larry
Wilson, Marlene
Drucker, Peter F.

CHURCH AND CONFLICT

*Incense & Insurrection
*Antagonists in the Church
*When the Saints Come Storming In

Cornwall, Judson
Haugk, Kenneth
Flynn, Leslie B.

HERMENEUTICS

*Handbook of Preaching

Van Cleave, Nathaniel

CHURCH GROWTH

*Your Church Can Grow
*The Complete Book of Church Growth
*Beyond Church Growth
*Growing Plans
*Pattern for a Total Church
*Let It Grow
*Building up One Another
*How to Break the Growth Barriers
Purpose Drive Church

Wagner, C. Peter
Towns, Elmer
Logan, Robert E.
Schaller, Lyle E.
Palmer, Bernard
Rickard, Marvin
Getz, Gene A.
George, Carl F.
Warren, Rick

COUNSELING

*Basic Principles of Biblical Counseling
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*Pre-Marital Counseling
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*Love, Acceptance and Forgiveness
*The Joy Filled Life
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*Master Plan of Evangelism
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*The Personal Evangelist
*Evangelism Explosion

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Coleman, Robert
Green, Michael
Ellis, Joe
Kennedy, James

MISSIONS

PASTORAL MINISTRY

*The Penquin Principles

*Dear Pastor
The Senior Minister
*The Heart of a Great Pastor
*Pastor and the People
You Don't Have to Quit
*Shepherding the Church
*Letters to Timothy
Leadership Handbook of Preaching and
Worship

Belasic, David &
Schmidt, Paul
Ness, A.W.
Schaller, Lyle E.
London, H.B.
Schaller, Lyle E.
Ortland, Anne & Ray
Stowell, Joseph
Bisagno, John
Berkley, James

PASTORAL CARE

*Mastering Pastoral Care

Larson, Bruce

PASTORAL COUNSELING

*Shepherding God's Flock: A Preacher's Hand-
book on Pastoral Ministry
The Ministry of Pastoral Counseling
A Manual of Pastoral Problems and Procedures

Adams, Jay E.
Hamilton, James D.
Perry, Lloyd M.
Lias, Edward J.

CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP

LEADERSHIP

*Perils of Leadership
*The Making of a Leader
*Spiritual Leadership
*Strength in Servant Leadership
*Seven Laws of Christian Leadership
*Developing the Leader within You
*Developing the Leaders Around You
*Christian Leadership
*Be a Leader People Will Follow
*Leadership Style of Jesus
*Path of Leadership
*Becoming a Leader
*God is My CEO
*Great Commandments for Business
*A Fish Out of Water

Prior, Kenneth
Mahoney, Ralph
Sanders, J. Oswald
Cedar, Paul A.
Hocking, David
Maxwell, John C.
Maxwell, John C.
Turner, J.J.
Hocking, David
Youssef, Michael
Le Peau, Andrew T.
Towns, Elmer L.
Julian, Larry
Ferguson, David
Barna, George

STATEMENT OF FAITH

What we believe... (INTERDENOMINATIONAL - BIBLE BASED)

THE HOLY SCRIPTURES

We believe the Bible is inspired of God (2 Timothy 3:16,17).

THE ETERNAL GODHEAD

We believe in the one true God, creator of heaven and earth, redeemer of mankind, a triune God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit (2 Corinthians 13:14).

THE FALL OF MAN

We believe that man was created in the image of God, but that by voluntary disobedience he fell from perfection (Romans 5:12).

THE DIETY OF THE LORD JESUS CHRIST

We believe Jesus Christ is the eternal son of God, born of a virgin, who led a sinless life, worked many miracles, died on the cross for the sins of the world, resurrected from the dead, and is exalted to the right hand of God making intercession for on our behalf. (Matt. 1:23, Heb. 7:26, I Cor. 15:3, Acts 1:9)

THE PLAN OF SALVATION

We believe that while we were yet sinners Christ died for us, signing the pardon of all who believe on Him (John 3:16; Romans 5:8).

SALVATION THROUGH GRACE

We believe that we have no righteousness and must come to God pleading the righteousness of Christ (Eph. 2:8). We believe that upon sincere repentance, and a whole-hearted acceptance of Christ, we are justified before God (I John 1:9).

THE NEW BIRTH

We believe that the inward evidence of salvation is the direct witness of the Spirit (Rom. 8: 16). The outward evidence to all men is a life of righteousness and true holiness. (Eph. 4:24, Titus 2:12)

WATER BAPTISM AND THE LORD'S SUPPER

We believe that baptism by immersion is an outward sign of an inward work (Matt. 28:19). We believe in the commemoration of the Lord's Supper by the symbolic use of the bread and juice of the vine (I Corinthians 11:24, 25).

BAPTISM WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

We believe that the Baptism with the Holy Spirit is to endue the believer with power; and that His incoming is after the same manner as in Bible days (Acts 2:4).

THE SPIRIT-FILLED LIFE

We believe that it is the will of God that we walk in the Spirit daily (Ephesians 4:30-32). We believe that the Holy Spirit has gifts to bestow upon the Christian; and that we should show spiritual fruit as evidence of a Spirit-filled life (I Corinthians 12:1-11; Galatians 5:22).

MODERATION

We believe that the experience and daily walk of the believer should never lead him into extremes of fanaticism (Philippians 4:5).

DIVINE HEALING

We believe that divine healing is the power of Christ to heal the physically sick in answer to the prayer of faith (James 5:14-16).

THE SECOND COMING OF CHRIST

We believe that the second coming of Christ is personal and imminent (I Thessalonians 4:16, 17).

CHURCH RELATIONSHIP

We believe it is our sacred duty to identify ourselves with the visible Body of Christ (Acts 16:5; Hebrews 10:25).

CIVIL GOVERNMENT

We believe that rulers should be upheld at all times except in things opposed to the will of God (Romans 13:1-5).

THE FINAL JUDGMENT

We believe that all shall stand some day before the judgment seat of God, and there receive eternal life or death (2 Corinthians 5:10).

HEAVEN

We believe that Heaven is the glorious eternal home of born-again believers (John 14:1-3; Revelation 7:15-17).

HELL

We believe that hell is the place of eternal torment for all who reject Christ as the Savior (Revelation 20:10,15).

EVANGELISM

We believe that soul winning is the most important responsibility of the Church (James 5:20).

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

We believe that the method ordained of God for the support and spread of His cause is by giving of tithes and free-will offerings (Malachi 3:10; 2 Cor.9:7).