



CERTIFICATE IN PASTORAL MINISTRY (CPM)

30 Classes. 60 Credit-Hours. Three-years full time.

Purpose: To train men for effective and skilled pastoral leadership.

Description: This three-year certificate (full-time) advances the student to an advanced level understanding of biblical and theological concepts, disciplines, and information. The heart as well as the head is the focus of the study. Successful completion of the CPM will fulfil the ordination requirements of most churches.

Enrolment Requirements: Students must be able to read, research, and write at a university level.

Cost: There is no cost to enrol. Students should consult the website for individual class fees.

Length of study: Three-years full-time, seven-years part-time.

Pathways: Graduate students may cross-credit to the Birmingham Theological Seminary *Master of Arts in Ministry*

CODE	CLASS DESCRIPTION	
	REQUIRED CLASSES	
OT151	Hebrew Language 1	
NT251	Greek Language 1	
NT252	Greek Language 2	
BT605	Introduction to Biblical Theology	
BT611	Pentateuch (Genesis)	
BT633	Prophets (Isaiah)	
BT644	Writings (Psalms)	
BT651	Gospels (Mark)	
BT659	Pauline Writings (Ephesians)	
BT660	Johannine Writings (Revelation)	
ST301	Survey of Confessional Belief (WCF)	
ST302	Systematic Theology: Revelation & God	
ST303	Systematic Theology: Humanity & Christ	
ST304	Systematic Theology: Holy Spirit & Salvation	
ST305	Systematic Theology: Church & Last things	
HT401	Early & Medieval Church History	
HT402	Reformation & Modern Church History	
PT501	Spiritual Development & Discipleship	
PT522	Ministry of the Word 1: Hermeneutics for preaching	
PT523	Ministry of the Word 2: Exegesis and exposition	
PT524	Ministry of the Word 3: Preparing and delivery	
BC7501	Introduction to Pastoral Counselling	
ST331	Biblical Ethics	
PT531	Pastoral Life & Skills	
PT511	Apologetics & Evangelism	
		50-CREDITS
	OPTIONS (Choose 5 from the following options)	
PT5521	Introduction to Theological Studies (recommended) (Taken with BTS)	
PT551	Reformed Worship: Understanding and leading public worship	
PT541	Reformed Polity & Practice	
PT580	Church Planting & Vitality	
OT152	Hebrew Language 2	
OT155	Hebrew Bible Exegesis	
NT255	Greek Bible Exegesis	
HT451	Christianity in Aotearoa	
PT657	Christian Conciliation	
BT671	Biblical Theology of Missions (or, MS6631 with BTS)	
BC7603	Marriage and Family Counselling	
PT591	Practicum in Ministry	
TOTAL		60-CREDITS

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