



## CERTIFICATE IN BIBLICAL STUDIES (CBS)

10 Classes. 20 Credit-Hours. One-year full time.

**Purpose:** To train church members and ministry volunteers for more effective ministry.

**Description:** The one-year certificate (full-time) introduces the student to biblical and theological concepts, disciplines and information that will start them on a pathway of learning. Through study, it will give the student increased confidence in using their ministry skills. The heart as well as the head is the focus of the study.

**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:** One-year full-time, five years part-time.

**Pathways:** Student may upgrade to the Certificate in Christian Ministry (CCM).

*Any Ten Classes From the list Below*

	CODE	CLASS DESCRIPTION
1	PT525	Introduction to Theological Studies
2	BT605	Introduction to Biblical Theology
3	BT611	Pentateuch (Genesis)
4	BT633	Prophets (Isaiah)
5	BT644	Writings (Psalms)
6	BT651	Gospels (Mark)
7	BT659	Pauline Writings (Ephesians)
8	BT660	Johannine Writings (Revelation)
9	ST302	Systematic Theology: Revelation & God
10	ST303	Systematic Theology: Humanity & Christ
11	ST304	Systematic Theology: Holy Spirit & Salvation
12	ST305	Systematic Theology: Church & Last Things
13	PT501	Spiritual Development & Discipleship
14	PT511	Apologetics & Evangelism
15	HT401	Early & Medieval Church History
16	HT402	Reformation & Modern Church History
17	PT522	Ministry of the Word 1: Hermeneutics for preaching
18	BC7501	Introduction to Pastoral Counselling
	<b>OPTIONS THAT REQUIRE PRIOR APPROVAL</b>	
	OT151	Hebrew Language 1 (ACT LA003)
	OT152	Hebrew Language 2 (ACT LA003-B)
	NT251	Greek Language 1 (ACT LA005, or Greek Mastery Level 0.5)
	NT252	Greek Language 2 (ACT LA005-B, or Greek Mastery Level 1)
	ST301	Survey of Confessional Belief (WCF)
	PT523	Ministry of the Word 2: Exegesis and Exposition
	PT524	Ministry of the Word 3: Preparing and delivery
	PT531	Pastoral Life & Skills
	PT551	Reformed Worship: Understanding and leading public worship
	PT541	Reformed Polity & Practice
	BC7603	Marriage and Family Counselling
	HT451	Christianity in Aotearoa
	BC7201	Counselling and Conciliation
	ST331	Biblical Ethics
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>20-credit hours</b>