



Masters Program

Master of Divinity

Three-year program: 90 credits
Thirty courses: 90 credits
All M.Div. courses are 3 credit hours

Purpose

The Master of Divinity (M.Div.) is a three year professional degree program designed to train men and women preparing to serve Christ in pastoral and other Christian ministries. The Master of Divinity degree is designed to meet the needs of pastors or other full-time Christian workers, especially those who wish to improve their ability to study, understand, and proclaim the Word of God. It covers a traditional seminary curriculum including Biblical, Exegetical, Systematic, Historical, and Practical Theology.

Upon the completion of this program, graduates may work in marriage and family ministry, pastorate, missions, campus/collegiate ministries, biblical and theological studies, evangelism, doctoral studies, or teaching in a university or seminary.

Program Learning Outcomes

Graduates of this program will be able to:

- A. verbalize a general knowledge of the Bible, including a systematic understanding of the major books.
- B. evidence an understanding of the historical development of theology, and an ability to support their theological views and apply them to contemporary issues.
- C. demonstrate ability to do exegesis in the Hebrew and Greek texts of the Bible.
- D. evidence an understanding of the educational program of the local church and an awareness of the worldwide mission of the church.
- E. lead a local church or other group by means of biblical exposition, leadership skills, evangelism, and service.

Frequency of Course Offerings

All (first, second, and third year) Fall semester courses will be offered every Fall. All (first, second, and third year) Spring semester courses will be offered every Spring.

Master of Divinity Courses

First Year

Fall	Spring
NT 5101 Biblical Greek 1 OT 5102 Old Testament Introduction OT 5103 Pentateuch ST 5104 Prolegomena and Bibliology ST 7123 Apologetics	NT 5206 Biblical Greek 2 NT 5207 New Testament Introduction BT 5235 Biblical Theology ST 5209 Theology and Anthropology BT 5208 Biblical Hermeneutics

Second Year

Fall	Spring
OT 6111 Biblical Hebrew 1 OT 6112 Historical Books NT 6113 The Gospels: The Life of Christ ST 6114 Christology and Soteriology PT 6137 Expository Teaching and Preaching 1	OT 6216 Biblical Hebrew 2 NT 6218 Acts and Pauline Epistles PT 6236 Biblical Ethics ST 6219 Ecclesiology and Eschatology PT 6238 Expository Teaching and Preaching 2

Third Year

Fall	Spring
OT 7121 OT Poets OT 7139 Pre-exilic Prophets CH 7124 Church History 1: Apostles to Reformation NT 7122 General Epistles and Revelation OT 6115 Historical & Geographical Studies of Israel	PT 7228 Pastoral Theology OT 7240 Exilic to Post-exilic Prophets CH 7229 Church History 2: Reformation to Modern PT 6217 Introduction to Biblical Counseling PT 7227 Biblical Missions