



# Masters Program

## Master of Divinity

Three-year program

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

### Second Year

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

### Third Year

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