

BETHESDA TEMPLE BIBLE INSTITUTE

Spring 2023 Schedule & Fees

January 23, 2023 – May 5, 2023

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- All classes will be held via Zoom
- Classes begin the week of January 23, 2023
- Late Registration ends January 30, 2023
- Ministers' Academy Saturday Seminar
 - Classes begin Saturday, January 21, 2023
 - 10 am-12pm CST
 - Classes meet 2nd & 4th Saturday each month
- Spring Break: Week of March 13, 2023
- Final exams: Week of May 1, 2023
- General Course Fee: \$125.00
- General Courses Registration Fee: \$25.00 (*per semester*)
- Ministers' Academy Saturday Seminar Fee: \$25.00 per semester
- Advance Ministry Development Courses \$200.00 (one x a year):
- Advanced Ministry Development Course Registration Fee: \$50.00 per semester (January & September)
- Ministerial Introduction License Course Fee \$279. 00
- Ministerial Introduction License Course Registration Fee \$100.00
- Ordination Course Fee \$546.00
- Ordination Course Registration Fee \$100.00
- Graduation June 3, 2023
- Graduation Fee: \$50.00

PROGRAM FOR NEW MINISTERS

MA 100-Ministers' Academy

9 CR. HRS.

The Ministers' Academy is a one-year program (two-semesters Fall/Spring). It is designed to provide foundational ministry instruction. It is open to all ministers regardless of their level of ministry or ministerial development. The objective of this program is to prepare and equip ministers for beginning service to the church community. A Certificate of Completion is presented to the student at the end of the one-year program during the summer graduation.

Courses included in the Ministers' Academy are:

Spring Semester:

Spiritual Discipline: 1.5 CR. HRS. Monday 6:00pm (6 weeks)

How to Study the Bible: 1.5 CR. HRS. Monday 6:00pm (6 weeks)

Ministry Seminar Class: 1.5 CR. HRS. Saturday 10am -12pm (2nd & 4th Sat.)

SPRING 2023 GENERAL COURSE OFFERINGS

BNT 214 - The Sermon on the Mount / Matthew Chapters 5– 6-7 3 CREDIT HRS.

Tuesday 6-8:30pm

A study of Jesus' teachings on life and conduct in the newly established Kingdom of God. This course answers frequently asked questions about the moral and ethical conduct of Christians: What is a Christian? Does the Law of God have application for the Christian in the 21st century? This course also examines Jesus' model for prayer and methods for developing self-discipline.

BNT 311 - Paul and His Letters

3 CREDIT HRS.

Tuesday 6-8:30pm

This course is an analytical study of each Epistle with examination of historical content and setting. Application for today Christian life.

MIN 102 - Spiritual Disciplines (6 WEEKS)

1.5 CR. HRS.

Monday 6-8:30pm

Emphasis is placed upon how maturity in Christ can be achieved through the disciplines of Bible reading, fasting, meditation and worship.

PT 102 - How to Study the Bible (6 WEEKS)

1.5 CR. HRS.

Monday 6-8:30pm

This course is designed to teach the basic principles for effective Bible study.

PT 360 - Sermon Preparation & Delivery

3 CR. HRS.

Monday 6-8:30pm

Emphasis on developing biblical sermons. This class teaches how to develop a Bible passage into a sermon and how to deliver it effectively. PRE-REQUISITE: ST 310 Hermeneutics.

MIN 210 - Evangelism

3 CR. HRS.

Tuesday 6-8:30pm

This course examines methods of effective witnessing and soul winning. It provides students with practical experience in recognizing evangelistic opportunities and determining appropriate approaches. The philosophy, methods, message and objectives of personal evangelism are presented. Special attention is given to motivation, initiating conversation, presenting the Gospel, and inviting decision.

ST 102 - Bible Doctrines

3 CR. HRS.

Thursday 6-8:30pm

This course introduces the basic doctrines of the Christian faith with an emphasis on the Scriptural foundation for each doctrine.

MNA 100 - Ministers' Academy (Spring Session)

1.5 CR. HRS.

Saturday Seminar Classes (18 two-hour sessions)

Saturday 10:00 am – 12:00am (2nd & 4th Sat)

- Discovering Spiritual Gifts
- The Ministers' Manual (Pastoral Epistles)
- The Ministers' Personal Handbook

- Pulpit Etiquette

LICENSURE COURSES

LC 201 - Ministerial Introduction Course

3 CR. HRS.

Thursday 6-8:30pm

A study in the fundamental principles of the Apostolic Faith. Attention is given to basic Bible overview and content. Emphasis on the principal doctrines of the Bible. (Required course for licensure by the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World, Inc.)

- **Ministerial Introduction License Course Fee \$279.00**
- **Ministerial Introduction License Course Registration Fee \$100.00**

LC 301 - Ordination Preparation Course

6 CR. HRS.

(FALL & SPRING SEMESTERS)

Thursday 6-8:30pm

Two (2) semesters - Five components: Understanding People, Birth of the Spirit, Your Ministry of Evangelism, Christian Pastorate, and History of Pentecost. (Required course for Ordination with the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World, Inc.)

- **Ordination Course Fee \$546.00**
- **Ordination Course Registration Fee \$100.00**

ADVANCED MINISTRY DEVELOPMENT COURSES

Advanced Classes, Workshops & Seminars

January 2023 to December 2023

Zoom Classes

Two (2) Semesters: January to May & September to December

Course Fee \$200.00 (one time fee)

Registration Fee: \$50.00 (per session: Spring & Fall)

Coordinator/Instructor: Dr. Lawrence Morganfield III

The Bethesda Temple Bible Institute is committed to having clergy who are life-long learners. We believe that the life of a clergy person is a spiritual journey of renewal and excellence in Jesus Christ. This life-long learning is threefold:

- **Spiritual Formation**
- **Professional Development**
- **Practical Theology**

ADVANCED MINISTRY DEVELOPMENT COURSE Spring Session 2023

Advanced Classes, Workshops & Seminars (January -May)

CH 211 - Church History I

3 CR. HRS.

Thursday 6-9:00pm

A study of the history of the Christian Church from its inception on the Day of Pentecost as recorded in the Book of the Acts of the Apostles through the time of the Reformation of the sixteenth. The course will survey the major movements, doctrines, persons and institutions that arose within the church and affected its development during this time.

Registration Fee: \$50:00

January -May

History and Theology (1st 8 weeks)

- Theological Foundations (origin)
- The nature of the church
- Purpose as identified in Lukan Documentary
- Organizational Structure

Proclamation of Various Councils and Rise of Church Division (2nd 8 weeks)

- Church Councils
- Council Theories and Methods
- Biblical Hermeneutics and Criticism of Christology
- Lutheran's Influence

ADVANCED MINISTRY DEVELOPMENT COURSE Fall Session 2023

Advanced Classes, Workshops & Seminars (September – December)

CH 312- Church History II

3 CR. HRS.

Thursday 6 – 9:00pm

THE CHURCH DIVIDED

The emphasis of this session will be the development of doctrinal understanding in the Church as well as careful study of the selected key individuals whose lives should inspire us to biblical faithfulness today.

Registration Fee: \$50:00

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