VINTAGE BIBLE COLLEGE Bachelor Of Ministry Degree (Concentration In Pastoral Studies) Total Hours 60

Objectives

This program of study will provide a major in ministry with a concentration in pastoral studies. With a strong foundation of theology and a practical knowledge of Biblical ministry methods, this program of study will help prepare the student for more effective pastoral ministry. Upon completion of the program the student should demonstrate a good understanding of theological and Biblical interpretation, as well as the ability to effectively use the Word of God and his/her respective ministry gifts in pastoral ministry.

Course Requirements

In order to graduate with a Bachelor of Ministry Degree (B.Min.) with a concentration in Pastoral Studies, the student must have satisfactorily completed the following requirements:

- 1. Pre-requisite: Associate Degree (or Equivalent)
- 2. A minimum of 60 credit hours for program completion
- 3. Orientation Requirements
- 4. A minimum overall Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.0
- 5. All financial obligations settled with Vintage Bible College
- 6. Recommendation by the faculty for graduation upon application

Courses

The following courses of study are required:

Philosophy:

Biblical Philosophy of Ministry Introduction to Apologetics

Christian Counseling:

Marriage and Family Counseling: An Integrated Approach Sociology Pastoral Counseling

Biblical Studies:

The Major Prophets I The Gospels I & II Corinthians

Theology:

God's Plan For Man Theology I: A Study of God Theology II: Soteriology Grace & Law

Pastoral Ministry:

Marriage and Family II Personal Spiritual Development Introduction to Missions Church Administration Contemporary Issues Biblical Principles of Leadership II Pastoral Ministry Principles of Christian Character Ministry Ethics & Etiquette Speech & Communication II

Christian Education:

Christian Education History & Philosophy I Introductory English Research & Writing

Electives:

10 Credit Hours

*Up to seven Practical Application/Advanced Standing Credits may be awarded for hands-on experience based on educational and practical ministry related activities approved by Vintage Bible College.