



MASTER OF DIVINITY (M.Div.)
 PASTORAL COUNSELING
 72 CREDIT HOURS

2016-2017 DEGREE COMPLETION PLAN

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<i>Biblical Studies (21 Credit Hours)</i>	<i>HRS</i>	<i>Semester</i>	<i>Grade</i>
BI 501 Old Testament Foundations	3	_____	_____
BI 511 New Testament Foundations	3	_____	_____
BI 520 Biblical Interpretation	3	_____	_____
BI 641 Introduction to Biblical Hebrew OR BI 651 Introduction to New Testament Greek	3	_____	_____
BI 642 Hebrew II OR BI 652 Greek II	3	_____	_____
BI 661 Luke-Acts	3	_____	_____
Book Study Elective: _____	3	_____	_____
<i>Biblical Theology (9 Credit Hours)</i>			
BT 501 Systematic Theology I	3	_____	_____
BT 502 Systematic Theology II	3	_____	_____
PT 605 Pastoral Theology	3	_____	_____
<i>Practical Theology (15 Credit Hours)</i>			
PT 501 Personal Spiritual Disciplines	3	_____	_____
PT 502 Mission of the Church	3	_____	_____
PT 661 Christian Ethics	3	_____	_____
PT 611 Introduction to Preaching	3	_____	_____
PT 621 Introduction to Pastoral Care	3	_____	_____
<i>Historical Theology (6 Credit Hours)</i>			
HT 503 Story of Christianity	3	_____	_____
HT 601 Modern Pentecostal Movements	3	_____	_____
<i>Pastoral Counseling Emphasis (18 Credit Hours)</i>			
PT 621 Introduction to Pastoral Counseling	3	_____	_____
PT 520 Professionalism and Ethics in Pastoral Counseling	3	_____	_____
Pastoral Counseling Studies Elective: _____	3	_____	_____
Pastoral Counseling Studies Elective: _____	3	_____	_____
Elective in Any Discipline: _____	3	_____	_____
Elective in Any Discipline or Thesis: _____	3	_____	_____
<i>Field Education (2 years; no credit)</i>			
PT 691 Field Education	0	_____	_____
PT 692 Field Education	0	_____	_____
PT 693 Field Education	0	_____	_____
PT 694 Field Education	0	_____	_____



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Capstone (3 Credit Hours)

PT 689 Research Methods in Practical Theology	3	_____	_____
Capstone: Portfolio OR Thesis (Thesis students will complete the Portfolio up to the Middler.)	0	_____	_____

Total Hours 72

Graduation Requirements

- Successfully complete 72 credits in the required areas of study.
- Successfully develop field education ministry portfolio according to program guidelines: Thesis option students will complete the portfolio up to the middler.
- Fulfill financial and library obligations.
- Maintain a 2.5 grade point average for the total course of study.
- Demonstrate integration of biblical study and theological reflection enabling the student to address ministry challenges in an ever-changing world.