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Letter from the Chancellor

My goal since I launched out into ministry over 35 years ago has always been to teach the Word of God to people who have a hunger for the Word to transform their lives. The mission of Faith Center Church is to reach the world with the message of victory by building strong families, equipping people for successful living and reaching out to the world. Every service, ministry, and event that we have is geared toward helping people get closer to God, live a victorious life, and overcome this world.



Faith Christian College is another avenue for that very thing to happen in people's lives but in an exponential way. Our college setting offers students the opportunity to explore the depths of relevant topics in a way that would seldom be available outside a college setting. Faith Christian College is a way to go beyond a typical church service, to an in-depth study of Biblical truths. Our students not only listen to quality lectures by passionate instructors, but they get the opportunity to have an active role in their learning and understanding of the Bible that cannot always happen on Sunday morning. They get to dive deeper into the Word and discover how it impacts their lives today.

At Faith Christian College our desire is to not just teach the Word of God but to teach it in such a manner that it will be easy for our students to implement Godly principles into their everyday lives. Personal growth is not measured in knowledge but in application of that knowledge. The academics at Faith Christian College are courses designed for this very purpose.

We want to be a school that is equipping students to be better individuals, who are capable of being better team players and leaders. This means being better individuals at home, work, church, and in the community. Faith Christian College is building people for a prosperous and successful life by first focusing on an individual's spiritual growth and development.

Pastor Glen Johnson
Chancellor, Faith Christian College

Letter from the President

Faith Christian College is designed to be a special academic experience for the students who accept the challenge to be committed to learning more about God's Word and applying it to their lives. Our desire is for our students to not just learn what the Bible says about how we should live, but to learn how to practically apply those lessons to their lives. This college is designed with the intent to disciple Christians to new levels of maturity in their belief and understanding of biblical truths.



Faith Christian College is not just about listening to awesome faith-based teachers of God's Word. Our classes are taught in a live classroom setting that implements active learning and brain-based learning techniques based on research by Eric Jensen. This modern-day teaching format makes the student's learning experience more enjoyable and the retention of information increases dramatically. For students who need to participate in classes online, we have innovative and unique ways to facilitate the creative learning process.

Faith Christian College is designed for busy people who desire to learn more about God's Word. We are conveniently structured so students can keep their jobs, stay involved in their local church, learn more of God's Word, put into practice what they learn, and if they desire, earn a Degree in Theology. Students who are not interested in a degree can enroll as an audit student.

Our goal is to enroll students who hunger for more of God in their lives and want to serve their family, community, and local church in a more effective manner. Some of Jesus' last words on this earth were directed at instructing those who believe in Him to make disciples of the nations. At Faith Christian College we believe discipleship starts with the people that surround us in our everyday lives. Being equipped to live a better life and help those around us is the perfect place to start impacting the world at large.

If Faith Christian College sounds like the type of college you are looking for, I want to invite you to join us and begin your adventure. I guarantee you will meet some wonderful people that will become great friends and enhance your life.

Pastor Jerry Dahlke
President, Faith Christian College

Statement of Faith

We believe the Bible is the inspired Word of God, a revelation from God to man, the living, infallible, and everlasting rule of faith and conduct, and is superior to conscience and reason.

We believe the triune Godhead is comprised of three separate and distinct personalities, The Father, The Son, and The Holy Spirit, who are eternally self-existent, self-revealed and function as one entity.

We believe man, by voluntary transgression, fell, and his only hope of redemption is in Jesus Christ the Son of God.

We believe man's only hope of redemption is through the shed blood of Jesus Christ.

We believe salvation is by faith in Jesus Christ and not by human works.

We believe all believers are entitled to, and should ardently expect and earnestly seek, the promise of the Father, the Baptism in the Holy Spirit, according to the command of our Lord Jesus Christ.

We believe the full consummation of the Baptism of believers in the Holy Spirit is evidenced by the initial physical sign of speaking with other tongues as the Spirit gives utterance and by the subsequent manifestation of spiritual power in public testimony and service.

We believe the Church is the body of Christ, the habitation of God through the Spirit, with divine appointments for the fulfillment of her great commission.

We believe Jesus is coming again to gather all His Saints to ever be with Him.

We believe those who have not accepted the redemptive work of Jesus Christ will suffer eternal separation from the Godhead.

We believe the Scriptures promise the return of our Lord Jesus Christ with His saints from Heaven to rule and reign for one thousand years on earth.

We believe the Church shall only sanction or conduct marriages between a man and a woman. God instituted marriage between male and female as the foundation of the family, the basic structure of human society.

We believe God has wonderfully and immutably created each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God.

Mission Statement

Our mission at Faith Christian College is:

- To educate and help people gain knowledge of God's Word
- To equip people to share knowledge with others
- To change the student's attitude and appetite for learning
- To help the student find God's call for his or her life



Application Procedure

General Enrollment:

A qualified applicant is described as a person who meets the following general requirements:

- At least 17 years of age
- Complete and submit a Faith Christian College application with the following items:
 - 1) Full payment of registration fee
 - 2) Proof of graduation in the form of one of the following:
 - a) High School diploma
 - b) General Equivalent Diploma (GED)
 - c) Official and sealed high school or higher education institution transcript
 - Once the higher education transcript is received, an assessment will be conducted, and the granted credits will be transferred toward your degree
- Attend mandatory student orientation

Early Enrollment Students (still attending high school or pursuing GED):

- Must be at least 16 years of age
- Must attend an interview with the college administration, with a parent or legal guardian present if under the age of 18
- Complete all General Enrollment requirements except proof of graduation
- The student will receive their earned college diploma after college administration receives a copy of the student's high school diploma or GED

Statement of Non-Discrimination

Faith Christian College is an educational Christian institution that admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students of the organization. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admission policies, and other organization-administered programs.

Financial Information

In an attempt to make college available to all, we have made every effort to keep our costs accessible. It is our desire that students graduate with their education paid in full. To accomplish this goal, we require that students pay their tuition for each course in full before the course ends.

Payments can be made by cash, check, money order, or debit or credit card. A 3% processing fee will be charged to the student at the time of payment for paying with a debit or credit card; this is to cover the cost of fees charged to the college for processing such payments.

All textbooks required for courses at Faith Christian College are included in the cost of tuition and provided by the college.

Fees and Tuition

Registration Fee: \$50 per semester

| Program | Per Course | Annually (9 courses) | Complete Program |
|------------------|------------|----------------------|------------------|
| Audit | \$85.00 | \$765.00 | -- |
| Undergraduate | \$180.00 | \$1620.00 | \$6480.00 |
| Graduate | | | |
| In Class Courses | \$200.00 | \$1800.00 | |
| Masters Thesis | \$300.00 | | \$2100.00 |

Administrative Fees

Returned Check \$25.00

Official Transcript \$10.00

Life Experience in Ministry Fees

Application (non-refundable) \$50.00

Credit Tuition (per 3 Credits) \$30.00

Graduation Gown and Hood

Undergraduate Gown \$35.00

Master Gown with Hood \$70.00

Some tuition discounts are available through the college including:

Semester/Year Pre-payment: 10% off tuition

Multi-Family Member: Discount varies depending on # of family members enrolled at FCCollege

Financial Information

Payment Plans

Tuition is due on the first night of each new course. If the student is not able to pay tuition in full at the beginning of the course, a payment plan must be arranged with the college bursar. The payment plan will be written up and signed by the student and the bursar, with the student receiving a copy and a second copy going in the student's file.

Financial Aid

Faith Christian College is not a Title IV Accredited college, therefore Government Aid in the form of scholarships, grants, or loans is not available through the college. Students are welcome to privately seek out scholarships to help pay for their tuition.

Refund Policy

Students finding it necessary to withdraw from school will receive an adjustment in tuition paid. However, no fees will be refunded. The refunds for monthly tuition are as follows:

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| Before the first week of class: | 100% |
| Before the second week of class: | 50% |
| No refunds after the second week of class | |

Any discounts received for pre-paying for a full semester or year will be void upon early withdrawal and refunds will be adjusted to account for the full tuition amount for attempted or completed courses.

Tax Information

Faith Christian College has not been independently approved by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) to issue 1098-T forms. The costs for attending FCCollege are not generally eligible for a tax deduction. Additionally, payments made to FCCollege for tuition cannot be considered donations and therefore cannot be written off as such. If in doubt, please seek advice from a professional tax preparer.

Academic Requirements

Degree Granting Status

The Washington Student Achievement Council has determined that Faith Christian College qualifies for religious exempt status from the Degree-Granting Institutions Act for the following programs: Associate of Theology (A.Th.), Bachelor of Theology (B.Th.), and Master of Theology (M.Th.). The Council makes no evaluation of the administration, faculty, business practices, financial condition or quality of the offerings by this institution. Any person desiring information about the requirements of the act or the applicability of those requirements to the institution may contact the Council at P.O. Box 43430, Olympia, WA 98504-3430.

Accreditation Status

In an effort to focus specifically on theological studies, we have chosen not to pursue accreditation from a nationally recognized accrediting agency. Accrediting agencies recognized by the U.S. Department of Education require students to take core classes such as Mathematics, Science, and Humanities, which are not subjects that our specific curriculum focuses on in an effort to give our students a quality education while maintaining their regular work and life schedules. We do, however, strive to maintain the standards of quality that are required by accrediting agencies.

Transfer of Credits

FCCollege will accept transfer credits from other colleges for courses within the general boundaries of its programs. Transfer credits are accepted for undergraduate programs only and are at the discretion of FCCollege. The following guidelines will be followed when granting transfer credits:

- 1) Transfer credits will be granted only when the Registrar's Office receives an official transcript from the other school. Unofficial transcripts will not be accepted.
- 2) Credits may be transferred from other institutions on a course-by-course basis.
- 3) FCCollege will accept up to 50% of transfer credits toward a degree. 30 of the required 60 credits must be completed at FCCollege to receive an Associate Degree and 60 of the required 120 credits must be completed at FCCollege to receive a Bachelor's Degree.
- 4) FCCollege will accept credit for courses in which a student attained a "C-" or better grade.
- 5) FCCollege will only accept courses that are above a 100 level (courses designated ENG 90, MAT 95, etc. will not be transferred in).
- 6) FCCollege will not accept AP course credit (credits granted by high schools).

Academic Requirements

Transferability of Credits

Due to Faith Christian College not being accredited by a U.S. Department of Education recognized accrediting agency, transfer of credits from FCCollege is determined by the college to which the student is submitting transfer credits.

Life Experience in Ministry

Life Experience in Ministry (LEM) credit is only available for the undergraduate level. A qualified applicant for LEM is a minister who meets the following requirements:

- 1) The minister has experience teaching or preaching the Word of God in formal classes as higher education, church services for adults, youth or children for a minimum of four years.
- 2) Most of the material the minister has taught has been a result of their own studies and not pre-printed material.
- 3) Sunday school teaching, life group teaching or leadership, home Bible studies, cell groups or support groups **do not** count toward LEM credit.
- 4) Applicant is required to pay the LEM application fee and for each LEM credit awarded by FCCollege, as referenced in the Financial Information section on page 6 of this catalog.

Academic Policies

Classification of Students

Freshman – A student who has completed less than 30 credits

Sophomore – A student who has completed between 30 and 60 credits

Junior – A student who has completed between 60 and 90 credits

Senior – A student who has completed between 90 and 120 credits

Graduate Student – A student who has received a Bachelor's Degree from FCCollege and is pursuing a Master's Degree

Audit Student – A student who is attending classes for knowledge only, not pursuing credits or a degree

Full-time Student – A student who is registered for 30 credits during the school year

Part-time Student – A student who is registered for less than 30 credits during the school year

Grading System

| | |
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| A | 100-94% |
| A- | 93-90% |
| B+ | 89-87% |
| B | 86-84% |
| B- | 83-80% |
| C+ | 79-77% |
| C | 76-74% |
| C- | 73-70% |
| D | 69-60% |
| F | 59-0% |
| AU | Audit |
| I | Incomplete |
| W | Withdrawal |

Grade Point Average

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|----|---------------------------------|
| A | 4.00 grade point credits earned |
| A- | 3.67 grade point credits earned |
| B+ | 3.33 grade point credits earned |
| B | 3.00 grade point credits earned |
| B- | 2.67 grade point credits earned |
| C+ | 2.33 grade point credits earned |
| C | 2.00 grade point credits earned |
| C- | 1.67 grade point credits earned |
| D | 0.00 grade point credits earned |
| F | 0.00 grade point credits earned |

*"C-" is considered a passing grade. Any courses completed with a grade below C- must be taken again for the student to be granted credit for the course.

Academic Policies

Course Information

Each course consists of four weekly classes.

Weekly classes are held on Tuesday, from 7:00pm to 9:45pm.

Vancouver classes are located at the Faith Center Church Vancouver campus and Kelso classes are located at the Faith Center Church Kelso campus.

Class Attendance

Class attendance is emphasized because studies have shown that learning and retention is greatly increased when a student is actively involved in their education. A portion of the student's grade each course is based on their participation in class. If a student is going to be absent from class, he or she must contact the school before class starts to report his or her absence. Classes are recorded and uploaded to the student website for students who miss classes. Students are required to listen to the missed class and submit make-up participation before the next class.

Grading

Tests taken on time will be graded within one week of their due date. Papers will also be attempted to be returned to the student in this time-frame, but may take longer depending on the number of students and length of paper.

Late Assignments

If the student misses class on the night an assignment is due, he or she will have one extra week to submit the assignment.

Late assignments will have a grade reduction as follows:

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| 1 week late | assignment grade drops 10% |
| 3 weeks late | assignment grade will be 0% |

Academic Policies

Academic Ethics

Academic dishonesty is taken seriously at FCCollege and the consequences may range from a failing grade for the assignment or exam to a loss of course credit. Plagiarism is claiming the work of others as your own without specific acknowledgement. Using the MLA Citation Style on papers avoids this issue. A student should assume that the final form of required work being turned in is meant to represent their own efforts and written in their own words.

Withdrawal Procedures

A withdrawal request must be submitted to the college in writing. The date of the withdrawal is the date that the signed request is received in the FCCollege office. When the withdrawal is processed, the student will be given a final grade of W (withdrawal) and any tuition refunds will be processed. A student who fails to notify the college of an intent to withdraw will not receive any tuition refunds for registered courses.

Graduation Requirements

To qualify for graduation, the student must meet credit and course requirements for their specified degree program (see Program Degree Requirements). Students must have no outstanding financial obligations to FCCollege to graduate. Students are required to submit a "Request to Graduate Form" by May 1 the year they intend to graduate.

Graduating with Honors

Full-time students that earn a grade point average of 3.50 or above attain superior academic standing.

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| Cum Laude | 3.50 – 3.64 |
| Magna Cum Laude | 3.65 – 3.89 |
| Summa Cum Laude | 3.90 – 4.00 |

Program Degree Requirements

Associate of Theology

This program is suited for the student wanting more training in his or her knowledge of the Bible to help with their servanthood in the local church. This program includes the foundational courses for studying Theology.

Requirements for this program are as follows:

- Two year program
- Complete 60 credits
- All students begin in Track 1, regardless of transfer credit status, and must complete 30 credits in the Track before moving on to Track 2
- Must complete Strategic Service Practicum each semester

Bachelor of Theology

This program is suited for the student wanting to increase his or her church involvement to a leadership role. This program provides a broad selection of topics for further Theological education.

Requirements for this program are as follows:

- Four year program
- Complete 120 credits
- All students begin in Track 1, regardless of transfer credit status, and must complete 30 credits in the Track before moving on to Track 2, and the same up through the subsequent Tracks
- Must complete Strategic Service Practicum each semester

Program Degree Requirements

Master of Theology

This program is suited for the student interested in pastoring or teaching and a deeper knowledge in Theology, including a specific topic chosen by the student for an in-depth research thesis.

Requirements for this program are as follows:

- 1 ½ year program
- Must complete the Faith Christian College Bachelor of Theology program before entering the Master of Theology program
- Complete 36 credits
- Must complete Strategic Service Practicum each semester
- After the student completes the in-class courses, he or she will register for the Masters Thesis course (6 credits) to research and write his or her Masters Thesis

Audit

This program is suited for the student who desires to increase his or her knowledge of the Bible, but does not want to pursue a degree in Theology. A student who is registered in the Audit program attends classes and contributes to class participation, but is not required to complete assignments or the Strategic Service Practicum. Audit students who complete 9 courses during the school year will receive a Certificate of Completion for the Track they completed during the year. Any courses that are completed as an Audit course must be taken again if the student chooses to pursue a degree in Theology.

Missions Opportunities

And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Amen.

Matthew 28:18-20 NKJV

During the Spring Semester, a group of students will go on a missions trip for approximately 10 days. This trip is organized by the college and can be located within the United States or international. Students will go beyond their classroom learning and actively use what they have been learning about the Word of God. Students will engage with local believers and non-believers and experience different cultures while spreading the Word to *all the nations*.

This opportunity is available to students who have completed at least two years at Faith Christian College and is limited to a small number of students each year.

The mission trip will replace the course the students would normally take during the month they go on their mission and will be worth 3 college credits.

The cost of going on the missions trip will vary depending on the location and will be paid for by the student.

Students interested in applying to participate in this year's mission trip can pick up an application from the college. If you have questions regarding the location, cost, timeframe, or nature of the missions trips, please do not hesitate to ask the college for more information!

Academic Calendar

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| August 20, 2019 | Fall Semester Application Deadline |
| August 20, 2019 | Fall Semester Registration/Orientation Night |
| September 3, 2019 | 1st Day of Fall Semester (Course 1) |
| October 1, 2019 | 1st Day of Course 2 |
| October 29, 2019 | 1st Day of Course 3 |
| November 26, 2019 | 1st Day of Course 4 |
| December 3, 2019 | Spring Semester Registration Night (choose 1) |
| December 10, 2019 | Spring Semester Registration Night |
| December 17, 2019 | Spring Semester Registration Night |
| December 17, 2019 | Last Day of Fall Semester |
| December 23, 2019 | Spring Semester Application Deadline |
| Dec 24 - Dec 31, 2019 | Christmas Break |
| January 7, 2020 | 1st Day of Spring Semester (Course 5) |
| February 4, 2020 | 1st Day of Course 6 |
| March 3, 2020 | 1st Day of Course 7 |
| March 31, 2020 | Spring Break |
| April 7, 2020 | 1st Day of Course 8 |
| May 1, 2020 | Request to Graduate Application Deadline |
| May 5, 2020 | 1st Day of Course 9 |
| May 26, 2020 | Last Day of Spring Semester |
| June 16, 2020 | Graduation |

Tracks of Study

All students begin at FCCollege in Track 1. Once a student completes 30 credits in a Track, including the required Strategic Service Practicum course, they move up to the next Track.

| Track 1 | Track 2 | Track 3 | Track 4 | Track 5 |
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| TH101 God's Righteousness | TH201 The Four Gospels | TH301 The Book of Acts I | TH401 The Book of Acts II | TH501 The Book of I Corinthians |
| TH102 New Testament Survey | TH202 Hearing the Voice of God | TH302 The Art of Communication | TH402 The Book of Philippians | TH502 The Book of II Corinthians |
| TH103 How to Study the Bible | TH203 Strategic Service | TH303 Pastoral Epistles | TH403 Fruit of the Holy Spirit I | TH503 The Books of I & II Thessalonians |
| TH104 Believer's Authority | TH204 Communing with God | TH304 Survey of the Pauline Epistles | TH404 Fruit of the Holy Spirit II | TH504 Your Thought Life |
| TH105 Healing I | TH205 Healing II | TH305 Attributes of the Believer | TH405 Christian Leadership I | TH505 Christian Leadership II |
| TH106 Who I Am in Christ | TH206 The Gifts of the Holy Spirit | TH306 General Epistles | TH406 Personal Destiny | TH506 A Study of Angels |
| TH107 Stewardship | TH207 Blood Covenant | TH307 New Age Cults & Religions | TH407 The Book of Romans I | TH507 The Book of Romans II |
| TH108 The Epistles of John | TH208 Basic Bible Doctrine | TH308 The Book of Galatians | TH408 The Book of Hebrews | TH508 Fulfilling Your Purpose |
| TH109 Live & Walk by Faith | TH209 Old Testament Survey I | TH309 The Books of Ephesians and Colossians | TH409 Old Testament Survey II | TH509 Ekklesia |
| SSP101/102 Strategic Service Practicum | SSP201/202 Strategic Service Practicum | SSP301/302 Strategic Service Practicum | SSP401/402 Strategic Service Practicum | SSP501/502 Strategic Service Practicum |

*Courses subject to change based on schedule availability.

Course Descriptions

SSP101 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 1, Fall Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Students will perform and document 35 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP102 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 1, Spring Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Students will perform and document 40 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP201 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 2, Fall Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Students will perform and document 35 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP202 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 2, Spring Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Students will perform and document 40 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP301 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 3, Fall Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Students will perform and document 35 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP302 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 3, Spring Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Students will perform and document 40 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

Course Descriptions

SSP401 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 4, Fall Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Students will perform and document 35 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP402 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 4, Spring Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Students will perform and document 40 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP501 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 5, Fall Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Students will perform and document 35 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP502 Strategic Service Practicum, Track 5, Spring Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Graduate students will perform and document 40 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP5501 Strategic Service Practicum, MTh Program, Fall Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Graduate students will perform and document 75 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP5502 Strategic Service Practicum, MTh Program, Spring Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Graduate students will perform and document 75 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

Course Descriptions

SSP5503 Strategic Service Practicum, DTh Year 1, Fall Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Graduate students will perform and document 75 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP5504 Strategic Service Practicum, DTh Year 1, Spring Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Graduate students will perform and document 75 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP5505 Strategic Service Practicum, DTh Year 2, Fall Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Graduate students will perform and document 75 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP5506 Strategic Service Practicum, DTh Year 2, Spring Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Graduate students will perform and document 75 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP5507 Strategic Service Practicum, DTh Year 3, Fall Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Graduate students will perform and document 75 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

SSP5508 Strategic Service Practicum, DTh Year 3, Spring Semester

This course provides students with the opportunity to practice what they are learning to fulfill God's purpose for their life. Graduate students will perform and document 75 volunteer hours in the local church or faith-based community services.

1.5 credits

Course Descriptions

TH101 God's Righteousness

Students will learn about the human being's spirit, soul, and body as well as how Jesus has provided legal justification and right standing with our Creator.

3 credits

TH104 Believer's Authority

Students will examine the authority of the believer, what it is, and how to apply it. They will also review the relationship between having authority and being under authority. The practical result is to walk in that authority daily.

3 credits

TH102 New Testament Survey

This course offers an overview of the books of the New Testament. Students will learn the author, to whom it was addressed, and the general theme of each book.

3 credits

TH105 Healing I

This is course one of two courses on healing. Students will learn what the Word of God says about healing, how to pray to receive their healing, and what may hinder them from receiving it.

3 credits

TH103 How to Study the Bible

Students will learn the importance of journaling, how to do topical studies, book studies, character studies, specific words of the Bible studies, and in-depth studies within the framework of a research paper.

3 credits

TH106 Who I Am in Christ

This course teaches who we are in Christ as new creatures and how to experience the power of walking daily in these truths; moreover, to understand the transformation work Jesus has performed in our lives.

3 credits

Course Descriptions

TH107 Stewardship

This course will guide the students to a full understanding of God's will relating to money and stewardship of resources within their spheres of influence. They will learn the law of sowing and reaping leading to further enjoyment of God's favor in their lives. Students will learn practical steps to live a balanced lifestyle.

3 credits

TH108 The Epistles of John

Students will learn the importance of having a personal relationship with God; understand His love for us, and the importance to abide in the faith. These books clarify how Jesus was both God and Human at the same time.

3 credits

TH109 Live & Walk by Faith

This course builds a firm knowledge of faith's foundation in God's Word and increases faith through practical application.

3 credits

TH201 The Four Gospels

This course will give students an overview of the four Gospels; the life of Jesus Christ while here on earth. It will also cover and discuss specific subjects the Lord taught His disciples and the people.

3 credits

TH202 Hearing the Voice of God

This course will help each student have deeper intimacy with the Lord and be able to recognize His voice.

3 credits

TH203 Strategic Service

The ministry of helps is an appointed and anointed ministry of the Lord. It is how the Lord's plans are put into action. Understanding and working under authority is God's plan for the Church and our personal lives. This course addresses both concepts and their preferred interaction.

3 credits

Course Descriptions

TH204 Communing with God

This course will help students communicate with God in a more personal way and learn about different types of prayer. Jesus reconciled our relationship with God the Father; therefore, we are able to be in the presence of Abba Father, Jesus Christ, and the Holy Spirit.

3 credits

TH207 Blood Covenant

Students will learn what a blood covenant is and what it means for us to be in blood covenant with God. This course will permanently, positively impact your view of salvation, communion, baptism and the passionate, personal relationship you have with our Creator.

3 credits

TH205 Healing II

This is course two of two courses on healing. Students will learn what the Word of God says about healing, how to pray to receive their healing, and what may hinder them from receiving it.

3 credits

TH208 Basic Bible Doctrine

This course covers: the inspired Scripture, one true God and the Trinity, the Deity of Jesus Christ, the fall and rescue of man, the present day ministry of the Holy Spirit, divine healing, Jesus Christ's return for His church, and heaven and hell.

3 credits

TH206 The Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Students will learn the principles and purpose of the New Testament spiritual gifts, how to use them in their daily lives, and how they operate within the church. It will stir a desire to understand the anointing working through the body of Christ and the value of flowing in it.

3 credits

TH209 Old Testament Survey I

This is course one of two courses covering the Old Testament. It covers the first 17 books. These courses are an overview of the books of the Old Testament. Students will know each book's author, to whom it was addressed, and its general theme. They will see how Christ is portrayed in the Old Testament and perceive the value of studying the Old Testament.

3 credits

Course Descriptions

TH301 The Book of Acts I

This is course one of two courses covering the book of Acts. This course will study the importance and dynamics of the Holy Spirit within the early church and draw positive correlations to current events in the Church. This course covers the first half of the book of Acts.

3 credits

TH304 Survey of the Pauline Epistles

This course provides an overview of the other 10 epistles written by the Apostle Paul. It is a study of the audience, the purpose, and the effect of each epistle.

3 credits

TH302 The Art of Communication

The student will learn the art of public speaking/communication. Students will also learn different styles of communication and how to write and perform different styles of sermons.

3 credits

TH305 Attributes of the Believer

Students will learn how to follow the example of Jesus Christ and His character, drawing strength from the relationship with the Father.

3 credits

TH303 The Pastoral Epistles

This course covers the letters to Timothy and Titus through the books of I & II Timothy and Titus. It examines scriptural qualifications for pastors and ministers and advice and encouragement for situations pastors face. It also shows that even though not everyone is called to the fivefold ministry, all believers are ministers of the Gospel of Christ.

3 credits

TH306 The General Epistles

This course is an overview of the books of James, Peter, John, and Jude. Students will learn why the books were written and what it means to believers today.

3 credits

Course Descriptions

TH307 New Age Cults & Religions

This course is designed to give the students a working knowledge of religions and cults. The students will be more equipped to discern the difference between sound doctrine and false doctrine.

3 credits

TH401 The Book of Acts II

This is course two of two courses covering the book of Acts. This course will study the importance and dynamics of the Holy Spirit within the early church and draw positive correlations to current events in the Church. This course covers the second half of the book of Acts.

3 credits

TH308 The Book of Galatians

This study of the book of Galatians encourages students to learn how Jesus bought freedom for every human being and replaced living under the Law with living under Grace.

3 credits

TH402 The Book of Philippians

This course is an in-depth study of the Apostle Paul's letter to one of his favorite churches. This epistle is very unique and filled with nuggets for modern day life.

3 credits

TH309 The Books of Ephesians and Colossians

This course unveils the mystery of the church; it reveals God's will to unite the Jew and the Gentile and to equip and empower Christians.

3 credits

TH403 Fruit of the Holy Spirit I

This is course one of two covering the fruit of the Holy Spirit. These courses discuss and explore the importance of a true understanding of the nine fruits of the Holy Spirit.

3 credits

Course Descriptions

TH404 Fruit of the Holy Spirit II

This is course two of two covering the fruit of the Holy Spirit. These courses discuss and explore the importance of a true understanding of the nine fruits of the Holy Spirit.

3 credits

TH407 The Book of Romans I

This is course one of two courses covering the book of Romans. This course provides an in-depth study of Paul's letters to the Christians in Rome. This is Paul's greatest theological declaration of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

3 credits

TH405 Christian Leadership I

This is course one of two covering Christian leadership. There are many ideas about leadership but what does God's Word teach us about it and how do we become the leader God has called us to be?

3 credits

TH408 The Book of Hebrews

The book of Hebrews demonstrates the authority and dominion Jesus has over the law, prophets, and angels, and encourages believers to stand strong in their faith.

3 credits

TH406 Personal Destiny

Everyone has a personal destiny, not just those called to the Fivefold Ministry. This course will help students find out who God has called them to be.

3 credits

TH409 Old Testament Survey II

This is course two of two courses covering the Old Testament. It covers the last 22 books. These courses are an overview of the books of the Old Testament. Students will know each book's author, to whom it was addressed, and its general theme. They will see how Christ is portrayed in the Old Testament and perceive the value of studying the Old Testament.

3 credits

Course Descriptions

TH501 The Book of I Corinthians

The city of Corinth was a major commercial city full of diverse people. The wide range of backgrounds and moral beliefs made this a prime mission field for the Apostle Paul. Paul addresses man's sinful ways and the importance of sanctification so the Church would live differently than the world.

3 credits

TH504 Your Thought Life

The student will learn how to overcome and overpower negative thoughts, lies, fear, condemnation, and discouragements through the Word of God. Our thought life on its own will create bigger problems. God has promises, when applied, that will help us to live above those deceptions.

3 credits

TH502 The Book of II Corinthians

This is a follow-up letter from Paul to the church in Corinth, defending his authority and position with the church. He addresses criticism and challenges to his authority.

3 credits

TH505 Christian Leadership II

This is course two of two courses covering leadership styles and development. This course will help students identify more fully what they need to do to become the leader God has called them to be and how to help others develop their leadership skills as well.

3 credits

TH503 The Books of I & II Thessalonians

This course covers the books of I & II Thessalonians. In these books of the New Testament students will see a different side of the Apostle Paul from many of his writings. The Thessalonian Church is doing very well in their new life in Christ and Paul writes to encourage them to excel even more by increasing their love for one another, and to rejoice, pray, and give thanks always.

3 credits

TH506 A Study of Angels

This course will study the biblical history of angels interacting with individuals in the Bible and explore the possibilities of angels' interaction in our own lives today.

3 credits

Course Descriptions

TH507 The Book of Romans II

This is course two of two courses covering the book of Romans. This course provides an in-depth study of Paul's letters to the Christians in Rome. This is Paul's greatest theological declaration of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

3 credits

TH5520 Masters Thesis

The student will prepare a comprehensive research on a theological subject. It is to be chosen by the student and approved by the administration of the school.

6 credits

TH508 Fulfilling Your Purpose

This course will help the student learn how to achieve his or her goals. God has given you a destiny, which we learned about in the Personal Destiny course. This course will give you practical steps to realizing your destiny.

3 credits

TH509 Ekklesia

What is church? This course will bring a whole new dimension into what church was biblically meant to be. This will be an eye-opening, new experience for every student.

3 credits

Course Descriptions

MT300 Mission Trip, Track 3

Students will go beyond their classroom learning and actively use what they have been learning about the Word of God. Students will engage with local believers and non-believers and experience different cultures while spreading the Word to *all the nations*. This course is for students going on their trip while in Track 3.

3 credits

MT400 Mission Trip, Track 4

Students will go beyond their classroom learning and actively use what they have been learning about the Word of God. Students will engage with local believers and non-believers and experience different cultures while spreading the Word to *all the nations*. This course is for students going on their trip while in Track 4.

3 credits

MT500 Mission Trip, Track 5

Students will go beyond their classroom learning and actively use what they have been learning about the Word of God. Students will engage with local believers and non-believers and experience different cultures while spreading the Word to *all the nations*. This course is for students going on their trip while in Track 5.

3 credits

Additional Information

For additional information regarding academic policies, student conduct, etc., please see the Faith Christian College Student Handbook.

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