

Christian Life Educators Network

PROGRAMS OF STUDY AND COURSE DESCRIPTIONS MANUAL

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PROGRAMS OF STUDY

The Christian Life School of Theology (CLST) certificates, diplomas and degrees listed below are made available to students in Christian Life Educators Network (CLEN) schools by way of an articulation agreement between the two parties.

Certificates	Various	15 Units
Diploma of Theology	Dip. Th.	30 Units
Associate of Theology	A. Th.	60 Units
Bachelor of Theology	B. Th.	126 Units
Master of Theology	M.Th.	171 Units
Master of Sacred Studies	M.S.S.	216 Units
Doctor of Sacred Studies	D.S.S.	261 Units
Doctor of Theology	D. Th.	300 Units

All degrees are earned by taking courses and accumulating units. Successful completion of one course earns three units.

Students must maintain a grade point average of 2.0 (C) or higher in order to receive a Certificate, the Diploma of Theology, the Associate of Theology, or the Bachelor of Theology.

Students must maintain a grade point average of 3.0 (B) or higher in order to receive the Master of Theology, the Master of Sacred Studies or the Doctor of Theology.

As for course content, students are required to pass at least one course in each of the six divisions of study for Bachelor of Theology through Doctor of Theology degrees. This requirement does not apply to Certificates, the Diploma of Theology, or the Associate of Theology

Courses may be taken at a network school, through the Distance Education Program, or a combination of both. This catalog contains the titles, descriptions and requirements for all courses. The names and backgrounds of the faculty are also included.

CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

Our Certificate Program packages courses into specialized areas of ministry. This enables students and/or schools to focus their studies, thereby receiving specialized training and equipping for practical ministry. Certificates of Ministry are earned by successfully completing the five courses listed within each particular area of study.

1. Each individual who is not already an active student at a CLEN school, or who has not taken a course during the last 12 months, must submit a CLEN Registration Form along with the appropriate registration fee.
2. Students may take as many certificate tracks during their course of study as desired to equip themselves with specialized training for practical ministry. Courses do not have to be completed in the order listed.

3. Courses taken toward the completion of a certificate will also apply toward earning a degree. This means that Certificates can be stacked in order to qualify students for the award of a degree. For beginning students, successful completion of their second certificate will also qualify them to apply for the first year Diploma of Theology. Successful completion of two more certificates (a total of four) would qualify the same beginning students to apply for the Associate of Theology Degree.
4. For selected courses in the Certificate Program to qualify toward the appropriate certificate, each student must attend all classes, hear all lectures, read the textbook and successfully complete the examination. He or she must receive a passing grade on each course and maintain a grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 or higher. While some courses may be listed in multiple certificate tracks, **No individual course may be used for credit toward more than two different certificates.**
5. Upon completion of the five courses in a certificate program, a Certificate Application Form must be submitted for each student who has completed the required courses. Please follow the instructions provided on the form. Submit one form for each certificate/degree requested to your Dean or CLEN Registrar as appropriate.
6. You may be awarded your certificate by your pastor during a special recognition service, church commencement service, or you can participate in the commencement ceremony at the CLEN annual conference.

Certificates of Ministry offer concentrated study in the following areas:

Certificate of Ministry in Lay Counseling

BICC250 You Can Be Emotionally Healed
 BICC176 Foundation of Christian Counseling
 BICC505 Healing the Wounded Heart
 BICC511 Interpersonal Relationships & Patterns
 BICC303 Road to Restoration

Certificate of Ministry in Lay Ministry & Leadership

BIPT322 Successful Leadership
 BIPT535 Practical Ministry Principles
 BIPT511 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership
 BIOT250 Training for Reigning
 BIPT350 Courage to Lead

Certificate of Ministry in Biblical Studies

BIOT115 Survey of the Old Testament I
 BIOT120 Survey of the Old Testament II
 BINT115 Survey of the New Testament I
 BINT120 Survey of the New Testament II
 BIBT505 Introduction to Biblical Studies

Certificate of Ministry in Family Studies

BICC525 Biblical Building Blocks for Marriage & Family
BICC555 Godly Foundations for Parenting
BICC451 A Portrait of Christian Marriage & Family
BICC560 Godly Communication in Everyday Life
BICC310 A Study of Christian Marriage and Child Training

Certificate of Ministry in Spiritual Disciplines

BIPT116 Christian Life and Witness I
BIPT120 Christian Life and Witness II
BIPT500 A Theology of Success
BIPT545 Biblical Discipleship
BIPT580 The Theology of Spiritual Development

Certificate of Ministry in Evangelism

BIPT301 Equipping for Evangelism
BIPT643 Reaching a Postmodern World
BIPT415 New Strategies for Evangelism
BIPT403 The Theology of Relationships
BIPT502 Theology of Missions

Certificate of Ministry in Teaching

BIPT340 Dynamics of Effective Communication
BIPT550 How to Study the Bible
BIPT201 Preaching
BIPT590 Teaching: A Biblical Perspective
BIBT451 Developing Sound Hermeneutics

Certificate of Ministry in Spiritual Giftings

BIBT217 Holy Spirit I
BIOT645 The Anointing
BIPT330 God's Manifest Presence
BIBT340 The Prophetic Church
BIBT515 Spiritual Gifts

Certificate of Ministry in Intercession

BIPT125 The Praying Church
BIBT225 Prayer: Its Power and Purpose
BIPT806 How to Hear the Voice of God
BIBT623 How to Pray the Father's Heart
BINT636 The Lord's Prayer

Certificate of Ministry in Church History

BIHT445 History of Christianity in America I
BIHT622 History of Christianity in America II
BIHT510 The History of the Early Church
BIHT700 Jewish Background of the New Testament
BIHT900 Graeco-Roman Background of the New Testament

Certificate of Ministry in God's Glory and Presence

BIPT680 The Glory of God
BIPT330 God's Manifest Presence
BIBT805 Holy Spirit II
BIPT446 God Hedge: The Fruit of the Spirit
BIPT335 Experiencing and Encountering the Holy Spirit

Certificate of Ministry in Praise & Worship

BIPT508 The Priority of Praise and Worship
BIPT605 The Philosophy of Worship
BIBT545 A Theology of Worship
BIOT214 Davidic Worship: Tabernacle of David
BIPT540 A Study of Biblical Worship

Certificate of Ministry in Eschatology

BINT540 The Book of Revelation
BINT921 The Book of Revelation II
BINT840 The Seven Churches of Revelation
BIOT610 The Book of Daniel
BINT625 Eschatology I: A Biblical Theology of the End Times

Certificate of Ministry in Biblical Prophecy

BINT540 The Book of Revelation
BIOT519 Major Prophets
BIOT520 The Book of Ezekiel
BIOT350 The Minor Prophets
BIOT399 The Book of Isaiah
Substitutions:
BIOT541 The Book of Jeremiah
BIOT610 The Book of Daniel

Certificate of Ministry in Pauline Studies

BINT560 Paul: The Man
BINT561 Paul: His Letters
BINT421 The Pastoral Letters
BINT313 The Book of Ephesians
BINT211 Romans I: Wrath to Righteousness
Substitutions: Course on Any of the Books Written by Paul

Certificate of Ministry in The Synoptic Gospels

BINT531 Synoptic Gospels I

BINT532 Synoptic Gospels II

BINT130 A Study of Matthew, I

BINT550 The Book of Mark

Either: BINT113 The Beatitudes or BINT636 The Lord's Prayer

Certificate of Ministry in New Testament Studies

BINT115 Survey of the New Testament I

BINT120 Survey of the New Testament II

BINT511 New Testament Theology

BINT224 The Book of First Corinthians I

BINT555 The Book of Acts

Substitutions: Course on a New Testament book

Certificate of Ministry in Old Testament Studies

BIOT115 Survey of the Old Testament I

BIOT120 Survey of the Old Testament II

BIOT314 The Ten Commandments

BIOT350 The Minor Prophets

BIOT542 The Book of Proverbs

Certificate of Ministry in Biblical Languages – Greek

BINT516 Greek I: Lexical Greek

BINT517 Greek II Lexical Greek

BINT518 Greek III Advanced Greek

BINT519 Greek IV Word Studies in the Greek Language

Certificate of Ministry in Biblical Languages – Hebrew

BIOT638 Hebrew I Lexical Hebrew

BIOT639 Hebrew II Introductory Hebrew

BIOT641 Hebrew III Advanced Hebrew

BIOT642 Hebrew IV Word Studies in the Hebrew Language

Certificate of Ministry in Bible Personalities

BINT560 Paul: The Man

BINT510 Peter: The Man and His Ministry

BIOT250 Training for Reigning: Life of David I

BIOT450 Training for Reigning: Life of David – Part II

BIBT610 Anonymous Women of Faith: A Theology of Faith

Certificate of Ministry in Systematic Theology

BIBT502 Systematic Theology I
BIBT503 Systematic Theology II
BIBT321 Christology
BIBT280 Soteriology
BIBT941 Ecclesiology: The Church

Certificate of Ministry in Biblical Counseling

BICC150 Introduction to Biblical Counseling
BICC176 Foundations of Christian Counseling
BICC250 You Can Be Emotionally Healed
BICC303 The Road to Restoration
BICC505 Healing the Wounded Heart

Certificate of Ministry in Advanced Counseling

BICC310 A Study of Christian Marriage and Child-Training
BICC510 Experiencing Father's Embrace
BICC513 No Longer a Victim
BICC520 Resolving Conflict and Anger God's Way
BICC560 Godly Communication in Everyday Life

Certificate of Ministry in Marriage Counseling

BICC525 Biblical Building Blocks for Marriage and Family
BICC310 A Study of Christian Marriage and Child-Training
BICC640 New Beginnings in Marriage
BICC451 Portrait of Christian Marriage and Family

Certificate of Ministry in Christian Parenting

BICC555 Godly Foundations for Parenting
BICC540 Parenting Is for Everyone
BICC526 Raising a Righteous Generation
BICC310 A Study of Christian Marriage and Child-Training
BICC451 Portrait of Christian Marriage and Family

Certificate of Ministry in Christian Philosophy

BIBT725 Philosophy I
BIBT810 Biblical Anthropology
BIBT925 Philosophy II
BIBT926 Philosophy III
BIBT305 Creation: Our Foundation I

Certificate of Ministry in The Life of Jesus

BINT550 The Book of Mark
BIBT321 Christology
BIBT499 The Humanity of Jesus
BIBT713 The Covenants of God
BINT570 A New Testament Study of Grace

Certificate of Ministry as an Apprentice Teacher

BIPT550 How to Study the Bible
BIPT590 Teaching: A Biblical Perspective
BIBT105 Back to Basics
BINT115 Survey of the New Testament I
BIBT502 Systematic Theology I

Certificate of Ministry as a Teacher

BIBT451 Developing Sound Hermeneutics
BIPT340 Dynamics of Effective Communication
BIHT730 Great Christian Writers of the 20th Century
BINT120 Survey of the New Testament II
BIBT503 Systematic Theology II

Certificate of Ministry as an Advanced Teacher

BIBT901 Introduction to Christian Evidences
BIOT115 Survey of the Old Testament I
BIOT120 Survey of the Old Testament II
BINT510 Peter: The Man and His Ministry
BINT560 Paul: The Man

Certificate of Ministry as a Master Teacher

BIPT525 Stones of Remembrance
BIPT547 Applied Hermeneutics
BIPT600 Receiving Divine Revelation
BIPT643 Reaching a Postmodern World
BIHT915 The Teacher/Priest in Biblical History

Certificate of Ministry as an Apprentice Counselor

BICC150 Introduction to Biblical Counseling
BICC176 Foundations of Christian Counseling
BICC250 You Can Be Emotionally Healed
BICC303 Road to Restoration
BICC451 Portrait of Christian Marriage and Family

Certificate of Ministry as a Junior Counselor

BICC316 A Study in Christian Marriage and Child Training
BICC505 Healing the Wounded Heart
BICC511 Interpersonal Relationships and Personality Patterns
BICC520 Resolving Conflict God's Way
BICC660 You Can Have a Happy Family

Certificate of Ministry as a Senior Counselor

BICC510 Experiencing Father's Embrace
BICC513 No Longer a Victim
BICC525 Building Blocks for Marriage and Family
BICC526 Raising a Righteous Generation
BICC540 Parenting is for Everyone

Certificate of Ministry as a Master Counselor

BICC515 Restoring the Foundations I
BICC615 Restoring the Foundations II
BICC446 God Hedge: Fruit of the Spirit
BICC555 Godly Foundations for Parenting
BICC960 Journey Toward Wholeness

Certificate of Ministry as a Teaching Counselor

BICC560 Godly Communication in Everyday Life
BICC505 Covenant Marriage: Marriage Without Walls
BICC570 Biblical Approach to the Wounded Human Spirit
BICC580 Understanding Dreams and Visions
BIPT641 Spiritual Deception: A Biblical Study

Certificate of Ministry as a Supervisory Counselor

BIPT563 The Confidence Factor
BIPT567 Crisis: The Launching Pad for Success
BIPT580 Theology of Spiritual Development
BIPT521 Advanced Deliverance I*
BIPT721 Advanced Deliverance II*

* These are strong Spiritual Deliverance courses. Substitutions could include:

BIPT542 Theology of Biblical Freedom
BIPT585 A Theology of Purpose

Courses by Division and Course Number

This section provides a brief course description, the name of the instructor and the media available for each course. Courses are listed in numerical order and divided into six (6) divisions of study as listed below. Other related subjects may be offered as they are developed and approved. Courses marked by an asterisk (*) are available in Spanish and/or Russian.

Our desire is to provide various delivery systems to accommodate and meet the needs of our students worldwide. Therefore, we have made courses available on the following delivery systems: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3CD, Cassette Tape and Internet. The media availability for each course is indicated on the following pages.

COURSE PREFIX

BT

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DIVISION

Biblical Theology

Christian Counseling

Historical Theology

New Testament

Old Testament

Practical Theology

Biblical Theology Division (BT)

BIBT105: Back to Basics

Dr. Judson Cornwall

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet *

Description: A primer for understanding the Bible doctrines that shape Christian living. The basics of the Scriptures, salvation, Christian culture, the Holy Spirit, Christian ceremony, faith, worship, healing, our enemy, righteousness, peace, joy, prayer, giving, ministry, Heaven and Hell.

BIBT108: Theology: The Nature, Essence and Attributes of God

Dr. Mike Chapman

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The Christian doctrine of God. Emphasis on God's existence, biblical description of His nature and divine essence. The divine Trinity discussed as well as the biblical names of God and the unique works of God as outlined for us in Scripture.

BIBT110: The Bible and Hospitality

Rev. Doris Hardy Asbury

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Strengthen the foundation of hospitality in the local church through information and application. Jehovah's love and provision for the stranger under Mosaic Law is studied through biblical examples and application of the provisional laws given for the local church.

BIBT111: The Kingdom of God

Dr. Dwayne Lusk

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study of the Kingdom of God from a practical viewpoint. Emphasis is placed upon the Christian's opportunities and responsibilities to help advance God's Kingdom in and through his or her life.

BIBT210: A Study of Boundary Laws of the Bible

Dr. Patti Amsden

Availability: Live, Cassette, DVD, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: A study of boundaries as found in the Scripture. This course will establish who must observe boundaries, the consequence of violating them, and how to legally transfer boundaries. Boundaries will be analyzed in context of the Ten Commandments.

BIBT217: Holy Spirit I

Dr. Fuchsia Pickett

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study of the Third Person of the Trinity. Topics include the seven personalities, the seven moods, the seven offices and the seven powers of the Holy Spirit.

BIBT225: Prayer: Its Power and Purpose

Dr. J. Gordon Henry

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A foundational study of prayer. The course will focus on a scriptural and systematic study of spiritual warfare. Students will come to see that Satan has already been defeated and has no place to stand.

BIBT280: Soteriology**Dr. Mike Chapman**

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet *

Description: Examines the theology of redemption and salvation in the Holy Scriptures. Emphasis is placed on the Covenants of Redemption and Grace and on the Order of Salvation.

BIBT305: Creation: Our Foundation I**Dr. Grady McMurtry**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Introduction to the scientific method and a survey of the basic concepts of the biological, natural, and physical sciences. Related questions which confront the biblical Christian world view. Topics include scientific creationism, theistic evolution, Mt. St. Helens, physical evidences for Noah's Flood, dinosaurs, geochronometers and the origin of the races.

BIBT321: Christology**Dr. Sandra Kennedy**

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Study of Jesus Christ, God's perfect man, man's perfect God. This study includes His preexistence in eternity, His birth, His humanity, His crucifixion, and His resurrection.

BIBT340: The Prophetic Church**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study of prophets and prophecy in the New Testament and today. A renewed understanding of the gift of prophecy is presented. How churches today may experience one of the Holy Spirit's most edifying gifts while maintaining the supremacy of Scripture.

BIBT345: Our Glorious Inheritance I**Rev. Mike Shreve**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This is an exhaustive study of over 1000 names and titles God has given His people. Seeing this revelation of our God-given names is one of the most comprehensive ways of viewing the full spectrum of our inheritance as sons and daughters of the Most High.

BIBT410: Creation: Our Foundation II**Dr. Grady McMurtry**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A continuation of BIBT305. Topics include intellectual honesty, great questions in Genesis 1-11, the ark of Noah, science in the Book of Job, creation in the Psalms, 900 year-old people, the complexity of the universe, and environmental issues.

BIBT425: Apologetics**Dr. James Burkett**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course is designed to introduce students to Apologetics, that branch of theology that provides an intellectual answer for the truth claims of Christianity. Attention is given to the biblical worldview compared to other worldviews and the historical trustworthiness of the Christian Scriptures.

BIBT430: The Theology of Love**Dr. David Alsobrook**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: The purpose of this course is to teach believers the importance of loving each other and mankind in general. The student will study love from a theological basis, discovering what love is and how to demonstrate it.

BIBT440: God's Eternal Plan**Dr. Fuchsia Pickett**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: The eternal plan of God for mankind is revealed in the Scriptures. It includes a study of the relationship of time and eternity, the nature of the Godhead, man's creation and fall, the redemptive work of the Lamb, and the Servant ministry of the Holy Spirit.

BIBT451: Developing Sound Hermeneutics**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet *

Description: This course introduces students to the principles of biblical interpretation. Emphasis is placed upon the accurate interpretation of types, allegories, prophecy, and parables contained in Scripture.

BIBT499: The Humanity of Jesus**Rev. Mel Piper**

Availability: DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: This course is a study of Jesus as He appears in the Old and New Testament scriptures. His life and ministry are viewed from the vantage point of His human characteristics while remembering His divine characteristics. It also examines His prophetic office and portions of His present and future ministry.

BIBT502: Systematic Theology I**Dr. John Durden**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course is part one of a foundational study of the doctrines of the Bible concerning inspiration of scripture, God, Christ, the Holy Spirit, and angels.

BIBT503: Systematic Theology II**Dr. John Durden**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Part two of a foundational study of the basic doctrines of the Bible concerning anthropology, hamartiology, soteriology, ecclesiology, and eschatology. It also includes a survey of contemporary theology.

BIBT505: Introduction to Biblical Studies**Dr. Duane Christensen**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Introduction to the Christian Bible ("Completed Tanakh") that includes: 1) an overview of the content of the Bible in its historical and geographical context; 2) the Bible's development from ancient manuscripts to modern translations, including the history of the English Bible; 3) the authority of the Bible; and 4) an introduction to the method of Inductive Bible Study.

BIBT 510: Laying the Foundation**Dr. James Beall**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course examines the doctrine of salvation in terms of the “foundation stones” as outlined in Hebrews 6:1-3. We study these foundation stones in great detail in light of personal salvation.

BIBT515: Spiritual Gifts**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This is a study of all the gifts of the Holy Spirit in the Scripture. Special emphasis is placed upon the nine charismatic gifts presented in 1 Corinthians 12-14.

BIBT516: The Theology of the Blood**Dr. David Alsobrook**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: God views all blood as sacred, but man’s blood is most sacred because man was made in His image. Jesus’ blood, because of who He is, holds the highest place in the heart of God. This course shows all that the blood of Jesus has accomplished.

BIBT520: The Believer’s Authority**Rev. Randy Clark**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Examines the unseen forces at work in the world. Particular emphasis is given to the origin of Satan, his motivation for attacking God’s creation and Jesus’ victory to give believers authority over him. The origin, powers and limitations of demons are also explained.

BIBT527: Priesthood of the Believer**Dr. Sam Sasser**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course emphasizes our Christian privilege of being kings and priests unto God. Biblical and historical issues of priestly ministry to the Lord are discussed.

BIBT540: The Spirit World: A Christian Perspective**Rev. Harold Eberle**

Availability: Live

Description: A biblical understanding of spiritual, mystical and supernatural things. The student will gain insights to help him discern which spiritual manifestations are from God and which are not. It will give the student a greater sensitivity to spiritual operations and help him avoid many of the pitfalls common among Christians.

BIBT542: Let There Be Light: Creationism**Rev. Timothy Robinson**

Availability: DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: This course provides a comprehensive look at the creation/evolution debate highlighting the biblical necessity and the scientific evidence for a recent creation date. Topics include ancient man, the age of the earth, the myth of the scientific theory of evolution and the absolute authority of God’s Word.

BIBT545: A Theology of Worship**Dr. Fuchsia Pickett**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course demonstrates the pathway to a deeper, fuller, more satisfying relationship with God. It teaches you to embrace the heavenly Father in worship and experience the fullness of all He has for you. You will learn how pure spiritual worship positions you to receive God Himself and His blessings for you.

BIBT550: Restoration Theology**Dr. Kevin J. Conner**

Availability: DVD, MP3-CD, Internet, VCD, Cassette

Description: This course considers restoration from a truly biblical base. This course is a study that shows how the restoration of fallen mankind, natural and national Israel, and the Church can be affected only on the grounds of redemption that is found in Christ Jesus.

BIBT555: A Theology of Joy**Dr. Judson Cornwall**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course will explore the Bible theology of joy in three specific areas: the source of joy, the characteristics of joy, and the expression of joy. If joy is biblical, we should embrace it fully as a divine gift.

BIBT580: The Trinity**Dr. James Beall**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: The purpose of this course is twofold. First, relating to the knowledge of God in the Trinity, as a way to find spiritual peace, stability and immortality. Secondly, to gain knowledge of ourselves and our relationship to our awesome and all-encompassing heavenly Father.

BIBT602: Historical Christianity and Other World Views**Dr. Stanley Fleming**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet *

Description: This course provides an overview of various theological cults and occult groups that are at odds with the essential doctrines of historic Christianity. The basic tenants of Christianity, the authenticity of the Bible and various theological cultures are examined.

BIBT610: Anonymous Women of Faith: A Theology of Faith**Dr. Alvis Harthern**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A study of the lives of people who demonstrated supernatural faith. Learn what faith is, how to get faith, and how to live a faith-based life. The author uses descriptors to classify the types of faith exhibited by each of the women studied.

BIBT623: How to Pray the Father's Heart**Rev. Terry Mahan**

Availability: Live, DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: A practical examination of prayer in regard to biblical principles. Emphasis is placed on knowing and praying the Father's Heart revealed in Jesus' life and prayers.

BIBT625: Eschatology I: A Biblical Theology of the End Times**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live

Description: An introductory study of the end times using a biblical theology approach. Selected basic themes include the hope of Israel, the second coming of Christ, the afterlife, judgment, hell, and heaven.

BIBT642: The Work of the Holy Spirit**Rev. Richard Ronsisvalle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet *

Description: The work of the Holy Spirit in the believer's personal life and how the Holy Spirit leads the child of God are laid out in simple steps. The Holy Spirit's work in the Church through the ministry gifts, the spiritual gifts and the anointing are also shown.

BIBT650: Contemporary Theology I**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Internet

This course examines trends in modern theology. Included in this study is consideration of modern theological movements such as Liberalism, Fundamentalism, Neo-orthodoxy, Pentecostalism, Evangelicalism, Neo-Liberalism, Contemporary Catholic Theology, and Charismatic Theology.

BIBT713: The Covenants of God**Rev. James Hodges**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course deals with the various covenant relationships established between God and man in Scripture from Adam until Christ.

BIBT725: Philosophy I**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course is part one of an introduction to philosophy. Emphases include basic questions of Essentialistic philosophy and its major proponents. Criticism and review are from a Christian perspective.

BIBT726: Biblical Theology of the Kingdom**Rev. James Hodges**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD

Description: This is a study of the Kingdom of God and its relationship to the church and its mission in today's world. Topics include defining the Kingdom of God, the relationship between the Kingdom and the church, entering the Kingdom, extending the Kingdom, and locating the Kingdom.

BIBT750: Contemporary Theology II**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Internet

This course examines trends in modern theology. Included in this study is consideration of modern theological movements such as process theology, secular theology, theology of hope, success theology, and third wave theology.

BIBT751: Contemporary Theology III**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Internet

This course examines trends in modern theology. Included in this study is consideration of modern theological movements such as liberation theology, feminist theology, dominion theology, and postmodern theology.

BIBT805: Holy Spirit II**Dr. Fuchsia Pickett**

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course is a continuation of BIBT217. Topics include the gifts of the Spirit, the fruit of the Spirit, and what it means to walk in the Spirit.

BIBT810: Biblical Anthropology**Dr. Mike Chapman**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course is a doctrinal study of humanity. It explores the Christian understanding of the universe and the origin of the human role, human nature, the fall into sin and its consequences.

BIBT821: Law and Grace**Dr. Patti Amsden**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course is designed to point out the believer's view and obligation to the holy law of God. Topics include an examination of God's purpose in giving the law, man's responsibility toward the law, and the new covenant application of the law.

BIBT825: Spirit, Soul and Body**Dr. Dwayne Lusk**

Availability: Live, DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: A biblical study focusing upon the various words of scripture translated as spirit, soul and body. Emphasis is placed upon distinguishing between these aspects of man and their interrelationship.

BIBT860: The Father Loves You**Dr. Gary Stewart**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course is designed to increase one's understanding of Father God's love. Objectives include showing how Jesus came to make the Father known; understanding how to return the Father's love to Him; and receiving a sense of security, direction and destiny because of the Father's love.

BIBT901: Introduction to Christian Evidences**Dr. Mike Chapman**

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course is designed to help the student gain a basic understanding of the field of Christian apologetics. It answers legitimate questions concerning vital areas of Christian doctrine leading to a stronger faith.

BIBT925: Philosophy II**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course is part two of an introduction to philosophy. Emphases include basic questions of Existential philosophy and its major proponents. Criticism and review are from a Christian perspective.

BIBT926: Philosophy III**Dr. William Suttles**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The relationship between *faith* and *reason* from the Old Testament through today. We lay out “points of understanding and differences” between the Christian view and contemporary culture and philosophy.

BIBT941: Ecclesiology: The Church**Dr. Mike Chapman**

Availability, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Examines the theology of the church in the Scriptures. Emphasis is on the church’s origin, purpose, mission, and ministry. Church offices and ordinances are also studied.

Christian Counseling Division (CC)

BICC150: Introduction to Biblical Counseling

Dr. Mike Chapman

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Biblical principles of human personality and how personal change occurs. Special focus on the church as God's healing institution, the unique features of Christian counseling, and the development of a biblical approach to counseling.

BICC176: Foundations of Christian Counseling

Rev. Leroy Judd

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A fresh perspective on the role that counseling can play in the local church. Counseling theories are presented with a solid grasp of current trends both secular and Christian.. Theories and techniques in Christian counseling.

BICC250: You Can Be Emotionally Healed

Dr. Morris Sheats

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet *

Description: Explores biblical emotional healing. Subjects addressed include healing of the memories, broken dreams, suffering, fear, and depression. Solid, practical, biblical answers are presented.

BICC303: The Road to Restoration

Rev. Carol Fallaw

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This is a study of grief. It examines its causes and effects to gain a greater understanding of God's plan for restoring broken lives. It aims to provide a greater understanding of the grief process.

BICC310: A Study of Christian Marriage and Child-Training

Rev. Gary Beasley

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet *

Description: This course focuses on God's perspectives on relationships within families. It offers practical counsel in applying biblical principles to marriage and child-training.

BICC451: Portrait of Christian Marriage and Family

Dr. Michael Murray

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course paints a scriptural portrait of marriage and family. Topics include family roles in a Christian family, Christian parenting, God's resurrection power in marriage, and communication.

BICC505: Healing the Wounded Heart**Rev. Jack Frost**

Availability: DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet, VCD

Description: This course is designed to bring light to hidden areas within you so that you may allow Christ's love to transform you, thus bringing a change to all your relationships.

BICC510: Experiencing Father's Embrace**Rev. Jack Frost**

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course is designed to lead you deep into Father's presence where you can receive an experience in Father's loving embrace and a restoration of childlike innocence and intimacy.

BICC511: Interpersonal Relationships and Personality Patterns**Dr. David Baldwin**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Based on Romans Chapter 12, students will conduct a survey that will help identify their own personality patterns. Improve interpersonal communication skills. Learn to "read people" quickly and accurately. Enhance relationships at home, work, and church.j

BICC513: No Longer a Victim**Rev. Lynn Lucas**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Equips the Christian to minister to people suffering from abuse, addictions, compulsions, and rejection. Emphasis is upon basic counseling skills, the principle of iniquity, and the specific needs of people suffering in these areas.

BICC515; Restoring the Foundations: An Integrated Approach to Healing Ministry, Course I

Availability: Live, DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Dr. Chester/Betsy Kylstra

Description: This is course one of a two part series. An overview of the Integrated Approach to Healing. Includes foundational areas that undergird healing, two of the four primary problem/ministry areas, Sins of the Fathers, Curses, and Ungodly Beliefs.

BICC520: Resolving Conflict and Anger God's Way**Dr. William Graybill**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Conflict is unavoidable; however, we often avoid handling it due to fear, lack of skill, and a lack of understanding of the Word of God. This course will alleviate the fear, give the skills, and help each person see the mandate of scripture to manage conflict.

BICC525: Biblical Building Blocks for Marriage and Family**Rev. Scott/Cheryl Scheer**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course establishes a scriptural understanding of relationship, marriage, propagation, and parenting.. Explores problems that cause the destruction of the family and helps to establish strong, godly families.

BICC526: Raising a Righteous Generation**Rev. Scott/Cheryl Scheer**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course gives a better understanding of why parents do what they do and why children react the way they do. The premise of this course is that if you raise kids right, they will remain steadfast in their faith throughout their lives.

BICC530: Stress Management**Dr. Michael Ronsisvalle**

Availability: Live

Description: This course is designed to provide an overview of how to minimize the effects of stress in the life of ministry leaders, ministry teams, and lay people. Emphasis is given to a biblical understanding of stress and to well researched strategies of stress management, including relaxation, cognitive restructuring, stress reducing lifestyle choices and change. This course is highly interactive and includes lecture as well as hands-on practice with new stress management techniques.

BICC540: Parenting Is for Everyone**Dr. Diane McIntosh**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course is a study of parenting according to the precepts, statutes and commandments found in God's holy Word. Special emphasis will be on what is a biblical parent, effective parenting styles, conflict resolution skills, hearing the heart of a child, step family issues, emotional and mental development of a child, abuse and the family altar.

BICC555: Godly Foundations for Parenting**Dr. Larry Keefauver**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Biblical truths and principles that lay Godly foundations for parenting. These principles are accompanied by practical examples so that the students can teach and apply them within a Christian family and home.

BICC560: Godly Communication in Everyday Life**Dr. Michael Sedler**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Effective daily communication patterns. Emphasizes communication between family members, friends, colleagues, supervisors, and church members. Strategies to avoid peer pressure, how to "ask questions" without questioning, how to present our viewpoint without creating a defensive atmosphere, and more..

BICC580: Understanding Dreams and Visions

Rev. Katrina Wilson

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A biblical and scientific study of dreams and visions. Emphasis is on dreams, and special attention is given to dream symbols to help one understand and interpret his own dreams. Balanced teaching to help the student see how dreams are vital today.

BICC615: Restoring the Foundations: An Integrated Approach to Healing Ministry, Course II
Dr. Chester/Betsy Kylstra

Availability: Live, DVD, MP3-CD, Cassette, VCD, Internet

Description: This is course two of a two-part series. Presents the second two problem/ministry areas: Soul/Spirit Hurts and Demonic Oppression. Includes two specific super strongholds: the Control-Rebellion-Rejection Stronghold and the Shame-Fear-Control Stronghold.

BICC640: New Beginnings in Marriage

Monica Hill

Availability: Live

Description: Will you marry me? Do we understand what we have asked and what we responded “yes” to when we start making wedding plans? Truly understanding what the commitment of marriage is, and what the covenant of marriage is designed to do.

BICC660: You Can Have a Happy Family

Dr. Morris Sheats

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Biblical principles to guide a Christian family. Topics include: the role of the husband, the role of the wife, parenting skills and family finances. A solid, biblical model of effective family living is presented.

BICC960: Journey toward Wholeness

Rev. Don Crossland

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A spiritual and emotional growth model with an emphasis on restoration. Topics include replacing false belief systems with truth, replacing wrong relationships with healthy ones, replacing immature human response with God’s wisdom

Historical Theology Division (HT)

BIHT445: History of Christianity in America I

Dr. Stephen Mansfield

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: Traces the origin and growth of Christianity in America beginning in fifteenth century Europe and concluding with the Revolutionary War. More than dates and dead people, history is the result of God's rule over the affairs of men and nations.

BIHT510: The History of the Early Church

Dr. Stan Fleming

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A history of the early Church from its origins to the Council of Chalcedon in A.D. 451. Along with general overview, special attention will be paid to notable people, movements, and traditions that have created a rich heritage for the modern day Church.

BIHT530: Our Full-Gospel Heritage

Dr. Jefferson Thompson

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course will provide a general overview of the history of the Pentecostal and Charismatic Movements. Major events and the people, such as Charles Parham, William Seymour, Smith Wigglesworth, C. H. Mason, William Branham, Oral Roberts and A. A. Allen are studied.

BIHT602: World Religions in Christian Perspective

Dr. Stephen Mansfield

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Overview of the primary religions shaping our world and an evaluation of them from a Christian perspective. An apologetic approach to each religion is provided.

BIHT622: History of Christianity in America II

Dr. Stephen Mansfield

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The origin and growth of Christianity in America beginning with the American Revolution and ending with the 1980s. Emphasis is placed upon significant events and times as viewed from a biblical and Christian perspective.

BIHT630: Heresy and the Development of Christian Doctrine

Dr. Stephen R. Crosby

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The development of orthodox doctrine during the first 500 years of Church history. Doctrinal disputes the Church fathers handled during this time, from both within and without the "orthodox" Church.

BIHT640: A Study of Faiths and Religions**Dr. Stanley Fleming**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course provides students with a knowledge of world religions and biblical Christianity. Distinguish religious strengths from weaknesses, break down doctrinal components, categorize and evaluate overriding motifs of each religion in comparison to biblical Christianity.

BIHT700: Jewish Background of the New Testament**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course deals with the Hebrew-Jewish world into which the Gospel, the Church and the Scriptures came. Influences of the political, religious and social developments of various groups during the first century upon the New Testament are emphasized.

BIHT720: The Apostles' Creed**Dr. Patti Amsden**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Examine the Apostles' Creed for its historic significance in establishing Church truth. By processing each phrase, we gain an appreciation of the creed and embrace God's plan from creation to consummation.

BIHT730: Great Christian Writers of the Twentieth Century**Rev. Gary Beasley**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: The theological and historical impact of ten books identified by Christianity Today magazine as the best Christian books of the twentieth century. This course highlights the lessons contained in each of the ten books.

BIHT900: Graeco-Roman Background of the New Testament**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course is a study of the background of the New Testament in the light of Graeco-Roman cultural, historical and archaeological data. Emphasis is placed on non-biblical history, religion and the judicial system of Rome.

BIHT915: The Teacher/Priest in Biblical History**Rev. Charles W. Clark**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course seeks to grow the student's understanding of the importance God places on teaching and learning by following the Levitical Priesthood through history and focusing on the teaching function of that priesthood.

New Testament Division (NT)

BINT113: The Beatitudes

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD*

Description: This course provides an in-depth study of each of the profound declarations of Jesus to his disciples in Matthew 5. Each is analyzed for its eternal value to us today.

BINT115: Survey of the New Testament I

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: Overview of the historical, political and social contents of the Gospels. Attention is given to authorship, dates, canonicity, structure, styles, and themes with emphasis and exposition of key passages and their doctrinal significance.

BINT120: Survey of the New Testament II

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: Overview of the historical, political and social contents of Acts – Revelation. Attention is given to authorship, dates, canonicity, structure, styles, and themes with emphasis and exposition of key passages and their doctrinal significance.

BINT124: The Book of Galatians

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD*

Description: This course is an exegetical study of Galatians. The English text is used with insights from the Greek. Special emphases include law vs. grace, defining the apostle, flesh vs. spirit; and sowing and reaping.

BINT211: Romans I: Wrath to Righteousness

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course is a study of Romans 1-3. The English text is used with insights from the Greek. Emphasis is placed upon the power of the Gospel, faith, the wrath of God, and righteousness.

BINT224: The Book of First Corinthians I

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The theological and moral problems dealt with by Paul in the first six chapters of First Corinthians. Topics include church divisions, lawsuits, and morality issues. The course is rich with insights from the original Greek.

BINT225: The Book of Hebrews**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course looks at the historical context of the Book of Hebrews. It explores the overwhelming superiority of Christ. It applies to our own lives, insights, and principles taught in Hebrews.

BINT421: The Pastoral Letters**Rev. Jim Hodges**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course presents a topical and exegetical introduction to 1 and 2 Timothy and Titus. Special attention is given to the subject of biblical leadership in the New Testament Church.

BINT422: Romans II: New Life in Christ**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: An exegetical study of Romans 5-8. The English text is used with insights from the Greek. Emphases include the new life of the believer, righteousness by faith, justification, and the law of sin and death.

BINT510: Peter: The Man and His Ministry**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Simon Peter was a devoted disciple, a cowering coward, and a powerful proclaimer of the resurrected Christ. This course unfolds how Jesus transformed Simon into Peter, the first “rock” upon whom He could build His Church.

BINT511: New Testament Theology**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course is a study of the methodology and selected basic themes of New Testament theology, their relation to the Old Testament, and their relevance for the mission and message of the contemporary church.

BINT516: Biblical Languages: Greek I: Lexical Greek**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course enables one to study, understand, and use the New Testament in its original language. Objectives include learning the Greek alphabet, vocabulary, and some grammar. Lexical tools are introduced and explained. A unique technique for studying the Greek New Testament is taught.

BINT517: Biblical Languages: Greek II: Lexical Greek

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Other

Description: A continuation of BINT516 Greek I. Provides more training to enable the student to study and use the New Testament in its original language. There are no lectures for this course; the student will get extensive practice in using the tools learned in Greek I.

BINT518: Biblical Languages: Greek III: Advanced Greek

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Internet, Cassette

Description: This is the third in a series of four courses on the Greek Language. The courses are: BINT516, which teaches lexical Greek; BINT517, this course; and BINT519, Advanced Greek. This course further focuses on using the tools for effective exegesis and exposition of the New Testament.

BINT519: Biblical Languages: Greek IV: Word Studies in the Greek Language

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Internet, Cassette

Description: This is the final course in a series of courses on the Greek language. The courses cover lexical, introductory, and advanced Greek. This course emphasizes the use of electronic tools in the exegesis and study of the Greek language.

BINT525: The Letters of John

Dr. Ian Bond

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: An in-depth study of the Letters of John, which were written to believers uncertain about their spiritual status. An unsettling conflict with the teachers of a false doctrine, Cerinthianism, which was a forerunner of second century Gnosticism, is emphasized.

BINT531: Synoptic Gospels I

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: Part One of a two-part course which will examine and synthesize Matthew, Mark, and Luke. The Synoptic Problem and Mark will be examined individually and in relation to each other.

BINT532: Synoptic Gospels II

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Part Two of a two-part course which will examine and synthesize the Gospel accounts of Matthew, Mark, and Luke. Matthew and Luke will be examined individually and in relation to each other and to Mark. Commonalities and distinctions between the Synoptic Gospels and the Fourth Gospel are also featured.

BINT540: The Book of Revelation**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This is a course designed to assist the student to develop a sound end-time doctrine which is scriptural and well-balanced. The strengths and limitations of the major schools of eschatological thought are presented. Practical points of application are also developed.

BINT550: The Book of Mark**Rev. Terry Mahan**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This is a study of the Gospel according to Mark. It is the Good News of Jesus Christ, the Son of God. This study highlights Mark's short, fast-paced, and to-the-point interpretation of the life of Jesus.

BINT555: The Book of Acts: The Spirit and the Mission of the Church**Dr. Jerry W. Horner**

Availability: Live, DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet, VCD

Description: A study of the beginnings and expansion of the early Church, with particular attention given to the role of the Holy Spirit and to apostolic ministry.

BINT560: Paul: The Man**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Part one of a two-part study of the life, conversion, and travels of the Apostle Paul based upon the biblical evidence from Acts and certain Epistles. It includes an analysis and overview of several of Paul's letters studied chronologically.

BINT561: Paul: His Letters**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Part two of a two part study of the life, conversion and travels of the Apostle Paul. It includes an analysis and overview of several of Paul's letters. These are studied chronologically.

BINT570: A New Testament Study of Grace**Dr. Larry W. Linkous**

Availability: Live, DVD, MP3-CD, VCD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The study centers on reformation (Hebrews 9:10) and challenges the student to discard cumbersome religious irrelevances that would entangle the believer's life in old covenant law and external fleshly regulations.

BINT636: The Lord's Prayer**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet *

Description: A study of the prayer Jesus taught His disciples to pray. Emphasis is placed upon the overall purpose of prayer. Each petition is analyzed for its deepest meaning and application for today.

BINT670: The Book of Jude

Dr. Mark Allen

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: An exegetical and interpretive study of the Book of Jude. We search out its richness of meaning by an examination of the original language, historical backgrounds, and parallel passages.

BINT840: The Seven Churches of Revelation

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A study of the seven churches of Revelation (Chapters 1-3). These churches represent the Church of all ages and those of the first century. This course gleans the eternal principles in the words of Jesus and applies them to contemporary Christians.

BINT921: The Book of Revelation II

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: An exegetical study of the English text of selected major passages of Revelation 4-11. Topics include the adoration of God in Heaven, the adoration of the Lamb, the seven seals, the seven trumpets, and the two heavenly witnesses.

BINT930: The Book of First Corinthians II

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A study of chapters 7-16 of 1 Corinthians. Focus is on direct questions asked of Paul in a letter from the members of the church at Corinth. Topics are: marriage, eating meat offered to idols, fornication, spiritual gifts, the resurrection, and Apollos.

Old Testament Division (OT)

BIOT113: The Book of Esther

Dr. Fuchsia Pickett

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet *

Description: Illuminates the stream of revelation found in Esther. Topics include the providential care of God, understanding the crucified life, the timing of destiny, coming into the King's presence and the plan of God for the Church.

BIOT115: Survey of the Old Testament I

Dr. Charles H. Gaulden

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A study of the first half of the Old Testament. Emphases include: major geography of the Old Testament and its impact on the Scriptures, the introduction to the Pentateuch, the introduction to the historical books, and seventeen Old Testament books.

BIOT120: Survey of the Old Testament II

Dr. Charles H. Gaulden

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: A study of the second half of the Old Testament. Emphases include: major archaeological discoveries and their impact on the Scriptures, the introduction to Hebrew Poetic and Wisdom Literature, the formation to the Old Testament Survey; and the introduction to the Prophetic Literature.

BIOT214: Davidic Worship: Tabernacle of David

Dr. Paul Harthern

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet*

Description: A study of the Tabernacle of David with special emphasis upon praise and worship. The student will learn how to employ and enjoy the privilege and principles of Davidic worship.

BIOT250: Training for Reigning: Life of David I

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet*

Description: Principles of leadership and training based upon the calling, training, and rule of David. Special emphasis is placed upon David's life and the classrooms of preparation through which he walked. Also studied are David's call, his anointing, his character, and his faithfulness to God.

BIOT314: The Ten Commandments

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: The Ten Commandments contain the basis for the faith of the Old and New Testaments. Modern Western civilization can be traced to these ten precepts. This course analyzes their meaning, sees their expression in the teaching of Jesus and the New Testament, and applies their principles to today.

BIOT350: The Minor Prophets**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet*

Description: A survey of the last twelve books of the Old Testament known as the minor prophets. The history of God's people from 800 – 500 B.C. Highlights include the historical background, the primary message, and the application of each of the books.

BIOT399: The Book of Isaiah**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3CD, Internet

Description: A study of the great truths and principles of the Book of Isaiah. Emphasis is placed on reasoning together with God, seeing the Lord, waiting on the Lord, comforting people and seeing a great light. Many practical applications are made.

BIOT401: The Bible as a Whole**Dr. Duane Christensen**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The development of Scripture from the time of Moses, to the death of John (96 C.E.). The structure, content, and unity of the Bible is shown in terms of the ancient Jewish concept of *Tanakh* (= Torah + Prophets + Writings), with the Christian Bible emerging in the hands of John as the "Completed Tanakh."

BIOT410: The Tabernacle of Moses**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: A study of the tabernacle in the wilderness. The construction of the tabernacle, the basic symbolism and significance of the materials, layout and furnishings. Emphasis is on requirements for entering the holiest of all-God's intimate, personal presence.

BIOT414: The Book of Nehemiah**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Selected studies from Nehemiah, especially the first four chapters. Special emphases include the history of Nehemiah, spiritual principles of restoration, principles of church order and ministry, and how to apply these to our lives today.

BIOT450: Training for Reigning: Life of David - Part II**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A continuation of BIOT250. This course covers David's life and reign as King of Judah and Israel. Special emphasis on people and events that shaped David's reign.

BIOT519: Major Prophets**Dr. Charles Gaulden**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course is a study of the major prophets Isaiah and Jeremiah.

BIOT520: The Book of Ezekiel**Dr. Charles Gaulden**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course covers the Babylonian exile, the call of Ezekiel, unique features of his calling and ministry, messages to Judah and surrounding nations, prophecies concerning Israel, and principles of ministering during difficult times.

BIOT525: Old Testament Theology**Dr. Ian Bond**

Availability: Live, Cassette, DVD, MP-3CD, VCD, Internet

Description: A study of the methodology and selected basic themes of Old Testament theology, their relation to New Testament theology, and their relevance for the mission and message of the contemporary Church.

BIOT527: Psalms: A Hebrew History**Dr. Charles Gaulden**

Availability: Live, MP3-CD, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A topical study of the Book of Psalms. The purpose of Psalms, various views of authorship, and principles which will enable believers to experience victorious Christian living.

BIOT530: A Study of the Song of Solomon**Rev. Louis Goszleth**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: The Song of Solomon can be studied from various viewpoints. We shall look at it as an allegory describing the love relationship that the Lord desires with us as His bride. We will apply it on an individual basis.

BIOT541: The Book of Jeremiah**Dr. Charles Gaulden**

Availability: Live

Description: An expositional study of the Book of Jeremiah. and its impact on and relationship to the scripture as a whole. The call of Jeremiah and the prophecies to Judah and the Gentiles and the fall of Jerusalem are emphasized.

BIOT542: The Book of Proverbs**Dr. Charles Gaulden**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: An in-depth analysis of selected Proverbs. In this course we will study Solomon's aphorisms as a guide to practical and successful living that enriches and brings glory to God.

BIOT561: The Book of Joshua**Dr. Paul Harthern**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: An exegetical and theological study of the Book of Joshua. Outlines the major episodes in Israel's regaining of their inheritance, and discusses principles of victorious Christian living.

BIOT 570: Song of Solomon I**Dr. Ron Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This is Part One of a two part study of the Song of Solomon. An exposition of the book on a verse-by-verse basis Chapters 1 – 4. Includes an analysis and overview of several of the best known approaches to the book.

BIOT610: The Book of Daniel**Rev. Greg Hinnant**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: The life, times, trials, and character of Daniel. Daniel is a type of the overcomer shining in the darkness of apostasy. Expounds the principle visions and prophecies of the Book of Daniel, linking them to other biblical writings.

BIOT 611: Pearls of Wisdom from the Proverbs**Rev. Greg Hinnant**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: An in-depth exposition of twenty selected proverbs touching a broad range of vital subjects—motives, conscience, attitudes, speech, laziness, parenting, judgment, gifts, teaching, leadership, and faithfulness.

BIOT620: Feasts of the Old Testament**Dr. Grady McMurtry**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study of the Jewish Holy Days and Feasts. The Jewish calendar, Jewish catechism, God's plan for man, and how we are to approach His presence. Emphasis is placed on the messianic significance of the Feasts of Israel.

BIOT638: Biblical Languages: Hebrew I: Lexical Hebrew**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A study of principles of word study applicable to the Old Testament. Hebrew alphabet, pronunciation, and certain special rules of grammar. Use of various tools of study in translating and interpreting selected Old Testament passages.

BIOT639: Biblical Languages: Hebrew II: Introductory Hebrew**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Other

Description: A continuation of BIOT638. There are no lectures for this course. The student will use various tools of study in translating and interpreting selected Old Testament passages.

BIOT641: Biblical Languages: Hebrew III: Advanced Hebrew**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A third course in the development of Hebrew language lexical skills acquired in BIOT638. This course will further focus on using tools for effective exegesis and exposition of the Old Testament.

BIOT642: Biblical Languages: Hebrew IV: Word Studies in the Hebrew Language

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A continuing course in the development of Hebrew language lexical skills acquired in BIOT638, BIOT639, and BIOT641. This course will focus on using electronic tools for effective exegesis and exposition of the Old Testament.

BIOT645: The Anointing: It's Nature and How to Receive It

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet*

Description: A study of spiritual anointing based on Elijah and Elisha. Topics include the three winds of God, the nature of the anointing, birthing a new move of God, phases of development, the double portion anointing, and steps into the anointing.

BIOT660: Genesis and the Grace of God

Dr. Charles Gaulden

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: God's grace in confrontation with man's sin, from Adam to Jacob. Physical geography, biblical archeology, and typology from Adam to Joseph will be discussed. The presence of Christ will also be studied in the appearance of the angel of the Lord.

BIOT670: The Pentateuch: Part I

Dr. Duane Christensen

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Part one of a study of the first five books of the Old Testament. Attention is given to the historical and geographical context in which the biblical narrative takes place. Understanding of geography, history and cultural considerations. Key foundational concepts: creation, covenant, redemption, law, and sacrifice.

BIOT675: The Pentateuch: Part II

Dr. Duane Christensen

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Part two of a study of the first five books of the Old Testament with emphasis on the text itself and the historical and geographical context in which the biblical narrative takes place. Key theological concepts are discussed: creation, covenant, redemption, law, and sacrifice.

BIOT714: The Book of Ruth

Dr. Fuchsia Pickett

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Illuminates the stream of revelation found in Ruth that foreshadows the coming of Jesus and the restoration of the Church. Emphasis is upon the causes of spiritual famine, the disciplining hand of God, the power of choice, obedience and the Kinsman-Redeemer.

BIOT826: Rebuilding with Nehemiah

Rev. Terry Mahan

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course answers the questions, “Does God Recycle? Does He give us a second chance?” The life principle of restoration is traced in this Old Testament study.

Practical Theology Division (PT)

BIPT116: Christian Life and Witness I

Dr. Ian Bond

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Course 1 of 3 courses. Emphasis on person-to-person witnessing, focusing on methods of practicality and biblically sharing our faith in Christ with others.

BIPT120: Christian Life and Witness II

Dr. Ian Bond

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Course 2 of 3 courses. Emphasis is on the biblical ingredients for a healthy spiritual life. Elements of effective witnessing are also covered.

BIPT 124: Christian Life and Witness III

Dr. Ian Bond

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Course 3 of 3 courses. The emphasis on person-to-person witnessing, methods of sharing our faith in Christ with others is continued. The biblical ingredients for a healthy spiritual life are also continued in this course.

BIPT125: The Praying Church

Dr. Sue Curran

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study of God's purpose for corporate prayer in the church as demonstrated in Scripture. Topics include the principle of agreement, having the spirit of prayer, going over the wall, knowing He hears us, and the why, who and how of leading in corporate prayer.

BIPT136: Leaders under Construction

Dr. Mark Allen

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Facets of ministry and leadership in today's church. Topics include team ministry, discipline and restoration, promotion in the kingdom, reproducing leadership, the nature of leadership, the leader's preparation, and the call of leadership.

BIPT201: Preaching

Dr. Ronald E. Cottle

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: The development of skills and resources for effective biblical preaching. Students will be exposed to various methods of sermon preparation and delivery such as expository, topical, textual, and narrative preaching.

BIPT213: Spiritual Fathering**Dr. Ken Sumrall**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: This study reveals the importance of fathers to the home and church. It also inspires spiritual fathers, sons, and daughters to assume their biblical responsibilities. It shows how God is restoring Apostolic fathers to the Church and His purposes in relation to fatherhood.

BIPT221: Mystique of Human Leadership**Dr. James Beall**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study of church leadership with emphasis upon principles, styles, and theories. Topics include the idea of progress, eight important characteristics of the leader, how leadership callings are made known, mentoring, and self-esteem.

BIPT235: A Biblical Understanding of Leadership**Dr. Ray Shackelford**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Perspectives on the rudiments of leading people. The definition of Christian (and secular) leadership, the things leaders do, vision, character, power, self-insight for leaders, contextual analysis, organizational culture, and conflict management.

BIPT255: Leadership Principles I**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Students will evaluate contemporary leadership challenges. They will propose solutions to develop the thinking processes and skills needed to transform organizations through effective leadership.

BIPT301: Equipping for Evangelism**Rev. Gary Beasley**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: Instruction on how to communicate the faith of Jesus Christ to others. This is an extensive and practical plan of personal evangelism. Emphasis is placed on following-up and establishing new converts into the local church.

BIPT320: Practice and Function of the Fivefold Ministry**Rev. Harold Eberle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A thorough study of the fivefold ministry and how it functions in the present day church.

BIPT322: Successful Leadership I**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: A study of principles of successful church leadership. Emphases include requirements to be a successful leader, integrity in ministry, the shepherd-rancher model of pastoring, church government, the set man, and solutions to common leadership problems.

BIPT330: God's Manifest Presence**Dr. Philip Goodson**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: This course is a study of times of refreshing when the Holy Spirit moves with unusual manifestations in the Body of Christ. Objectives include examining the Church's response to the manifestations of the Spirit and stirring the flames of revival.

BIPT335: Experiencing and Encountering the Holy Spirit**Dr. Larry Keefauver**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3CD, Internet

Description: Biblical truths and principles for understanding the person and work of Holy Spirit. How to. encounter Him personally through exploring the Word, examining one's present relationship, and moving toward deepening one's experiences with Him.

BIPT340: Dynamics of Effective Communication**Dr. Randal Langley**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: A comprehensive study targeted for both beginning and veteran speakers in the art of public speaking and communication. Students are taught the SCORRE system—a creative and relevant communication model used by leaders to effectively penetrate today's culture.

BIPT341: Crucified Life**Dr. Sam Drye**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study of scriptural self-denial. It helps the student to gain a greater understanding of the centrality of the cross, and identification with the death of Christ as the means to a victorious life.

BIPT350: Courage to Lead**Dr. Morris Sheats**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Principles of Kingdom leadership. Attention is given to the development of leaders in the local church.

BIPT403: The Theology of Relationships**Dr. Gary Stewart**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course teaches students how to be effective in a sin-infected world. Many do not possess the ability to build quality relationships in the home, church, and market place. Biblical truths and practical lessons for building quality relationships are presented.

BIPT410: The Israel Tour**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course is based on a twelve-day trip to the Holy Land led by Dr. Cottle. Actual sites are visited and teaching by a professional guide (Israeli) and Dr. Cottle are emphasized. Information about a future live tour may be obtained by contacting the national CLEN office.

BIPT413: The Theology of Praise**Dr. Roy Roberts**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study of how effective praise will produce a victorious life for every Christian and for Christ's Church. A special emphasis is placed upon the actions, the meanings and the purposes of praise and its relevance for today.

BIPT415: New Strategies for Evangelism**Dr. Gerald Johnson**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A biblical study on how to speak the truth in love. Special emphasis includes: the basic New Testament principles of communicating Christ to the lost world, and "the engaging of the Culture" with a coherent gospel through the power of the Holy Spirit.

BIPT420: Strengthening Leaders**Dr. Paul Estes**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study focusing on God's leaders beginning with Abraham to the present day. The successes and failures of leadership are analyzed in order to profit from their example. Practical methods of accomplishing God's purposes are presented.

BIPT446: God Hedge: Fruit of the Spirit**Dr. Mike Murray**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: An in-depth study of the Fruit of the Spirit and how it affects the life of the Church. Encourages the New Testament Christian to walk daily inside the hedge of God.

BIPT500: A Theology of Success**Dr. Ken Gaub**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Tools and tips for "walking by faith." Anecdotes dealing with miracles wrought by the power of God because of the faith of the believer. The course builds faith, challenges the believer to accomplish more for God, and provokes one to a reliance on God's power through faith.

BIPT501: Expository Preaching**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course focuses on the development of skills and resources for effective biblical preaching. Special emphasis is placed on the role of expository preaching, how to prepare for it, how to outline it, how to deliver it.

BIPT502: Theology of Missions**Dr. David Shibley**

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The role of world evangelization in fulfilling our Lord's Great Commission. The theology and history of Christian missions. Helps the student find his or her place in God's global drama to see His Son worshiped by all people and nations.

BIPT503: Transformers: Local Congregations as Agents of Community Transformation

Dr. Larry Asplund

Availability: Live

Description: An examination of local congregations as salt, light, and leaven in their communities. Using Revelation 1-3, the redemptive mission of the church to represent Christ and the Kingdom of God in their communities is examined and encouraged.

BIPT504: Battles of Joshua: A Theology of Courage

Dr. David Baldwin

Availability: Live

Description: Theology of Courage is a study of the believer's calling to overcome in life. Every person is fighting a battle either physically, emotionally, mentally, socially, or spiritually. This course targets seven battles Israel fought in conquering Canaan, (Joshua 6-24).

BIPT 505: Covenant Marriage: Marriage without Walls

Dr. Larry Keefauver

Availability: Live

Description: Instructs and equips people with a biblical understanding of covenant marriage. It identifies the spiritual walls that block intimacy, prayer and communication in marriage. It teaches the discipline of effective prayer in covenant marriage. It builds communication and relational skills that strengthen covenant marriage.

BIPT508: The Priority of Praise and Worship

Ronald K. Kenoly

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Elements and dynamics of effective praise and worship in the local church for pastoral leaders, musicians, and others in worship. Understanding of the worship experience, the practice of praise and worship for a congregation, and the biblical foundations for becoming worshipers of the living God.

BIPT510: First Corinthians 13: The Love Chapter

Rev. Gary Beasley

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: First Corinthians 13, often called "the love chapter," explores the meaning of love from God's perspective. Nine aspects of love are examined in depth during the course. The students are challenged to find the rich meaning behind each of the nine and to put them into practice

BIPT511: The 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership

Dr. Randal Langley

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Based on John Maxwell's internationally acclaimed, The 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership. Clear, practical and life-changing. Wealth of practical insights on what it takes to be an effective leader.

BIPT 512 Preparing for Revival**Dr. Larry Asplund**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: An exploration of how to prepare for a sovereign visitation of the Spirit of GOD to the Church. The meaning and significance of revivals. Stories of revivals, both from history and from the present.

BIPT515: Ecclesiology II: A Study of the Church**Dr. Larry Pyle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This is a study of the Church (*The Ekklesia*) designed to compare the original Church introduced by Jesus Christ with our contemporary version.

BIPT516: God's Plan for Financing the Ministry**Rev. F. Nolan Ball**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: The biblical plan for the financial support of those whom God calls into the ministry. Keys for releasing the local church into all of the financial resources it needs to carry out its mission. Topics include the three tithes and their uses, the place of tithes and offerings in Israel's revivals, and financing the ministry in the New Testament.

BIPT517: Character Determines Destiny**Dr. Jennie Newbrough**

Availability: Live

Description: A study of the definition and dynamics of personal character including character strengths and weaknesses. An understanding of how character choices shape the life and future of an individual. Personal examination as well as biblical case studies.

BIPT520: Advanced Study in Church Hospitality **Rev. Doris Asbury**

Availability: Live

Description: This course is a biblical study of the ethics, responsibilities, and results of ministering to church guests. It covers three New Testament methods for welcoming and assimilating newcomers into the church body, and the seven levels of involvement.

BIPT522: Beyond Great: An Introduction**Larry Meeker**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Beyond Great is based on a set of principles that can bring transformational truths to corporate leaders and their businesses. This is an introductory course into these principles.

BIPT525: Stones of Remembrance**Dr. Fuchsia Pickett**

Availability: DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: This course is autobiographical. The text traces the powerful visitations of the Holy Spirit in the life of Fuchsia Pickett, the simplicity of her childlike obedience to her "Teacher," and her heart's desire to know God. Embodies many of the revelatory truths that Dr. Pickett taught, relating the way she received them in sacred times of personal encounters with God.

BIPT528: Apostolic Ministry**Dr. John Kelly**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: Practical application of the modern day ministry of apostles. The theology of apostolic ministry, how apostles are developed, what authority they have, how they relate to others, what is their main focus, the different types of apostles, etc. The New Apostolic Reformation is explained and emphasized by one of its premier leaders.

BIPT530: Jewish Roots of Christianity**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A study of the Jewish roots of Christianity. This course focuses on the relationship between Jews and Christians, the history of the Jewish people, and key words and practices of the Jewish faith.

BIPT535: Practical Ministry Principles**Dr. Ken Gaub**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: Clear-cut dreams to accomplish things for God, for His Kingdom and for our personal lives. Examples of those who have achieved great things. Practical ways to chart our progress and attain the goals we have set through planning.

BIPT540: A Study of Biblical Worship**Rev. Paul Freeman**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet, VCD

Description: Insight into the nature of a worshiper. Various key words on worship in the English text will be examined in light of the original Hebrew and Greek. Special interests include the first worship leader, a biblical pattern for worship, and the benefits of worship.

BIPT542: The Theology of Biblical Freedom**Dr. Michael Sedler**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The foundations of biblical freedom. What does freedom mean for a Christian? Barriers to freedom. Develop a personal plan for walking in freedom throughout our lives.

BIPT544: The Ministry of Angels**Rev. Katrina Wilson**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: The doctrine of angels is Bible-based and will correct common misconceptions. Counters the New Age philosophy and traditions concerning angels. Sound biblical teaching that will help the student discover the purpose and importance of angels from a biblical perspective.

BIPT545: Biblical Discipleship**Rev. Greg Hinnant**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Major spiritual disciplines that make up the lifestyle of a true Christian and enable the Holy Spirit to transform one into a “disciple indeed.” The course will help the student prepare for the appearing of Jesus Christ.

BIPT547: Applied Hermeneutics: The Ministry of the Word**Dr. William Suttles**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: How to bring God’s Word to others in preaching and teaching. Ways in which the word we preach and teach becomes the Word of God. Preparation of the minister and of the hearer, and the process by which true ministry takes place.

BIPT550: How to Study the Bible**Dr. Dwayne Lusk**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Proven methods to study the Word of God. Emphasis on preparation for study, tools for study, hermeneutics, and methods of biblical study. Designed to enrich one’s personal study habits.

BIPT555: Leadership Principles II**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Numerous principles of leadership are studied. Emphasis is on techniques of problem solving, handling criticism and forging goals and objectives.

BIPT563: The Confidence Factor**Dr. Keith Johnson**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Explores, explains and demonstrates the factors that contribute to an individual’s confidence level. Factors that help build or destroy confidence. How to put specific practices in place to help maximize one’s life’s potential.

BIPT567: CRISIS: Your Launching Pad to Success**Dr. Keith Johnson**

Availability: Live

Description: Explores, explains and demonstrates how God prepares every leader for greatness during crisis times in the stockades of struggle. The process every great leader must go through. Practical principles on how to successfully lead yourself and others out of crisis times.

BIPT570: Biblical Approach to the Wounded Human Spirit**Rev. Carol Fallaw**

Availability: DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: This course is a study of the wounded spirit. We will examine reasons a person's spirit becomes wounded and gain a greater understanding of how God restores. Included are practical tools to minister to hurting people.

BIPT580: The Theology of Spiritual Development**Dr. David Baldwin**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Spiritual formation and discipleship. Forgiveness, belief systems, restoration, perceiving God as Father, personal ministry, developing a prayer life, becoming a student of the Word, journaling, fasting, and personal worship are emphasized.

BIPT585: A Theology of Purpose**Dr. David Baldwin**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Finding and following God's purpose for life. How to prepare the heart to hear from God, establish a biblical philosophy of purpose, build a Godly guidance system, and discover personal spiritual gifts.

BIPT589: The Theology of Serving**Dr. David Baldwin**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A strategy for believer ministry development in the local church. Explores service from several perspectives: law of service, service revolution in America, ten biblical concepts, servant leadership, the heart of a healthy church, and "The New Reformation." Every member is a minister and the fivefold ministry are equippers and trainers.

BIPT590 Teaching: A Biblical Perspective**Rev. Charles Clark**

Availability: Live, DVD, Cassette, MP-3CD, VCD, Internet

Description: Biblical mandates of what makes for good teaching practice. We survey the methods, models, and understanding of teaching put forth in scripture, and we seek to apply them to teaching in the home, workplace, school, and church.

BIPT591: Living by Faith**Dr. Frederick Wilson**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Three major areas of faith are highlighted: the biblical, the theological and the practical. God's master plan of faith, the eternal perspective, the importance and power of faith, the believer's relationship to God and His word, the home, the church and the market place are emphasized.

BIPT595: The Emerging Missional Church

Dr. Greg Williamson

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Rekindles the apostolic imagination at the heart of biblical faith. Encourages the student to daring missional engagement for our time—living the Gospel within its cultural framework rather than perpetuating an institution..

BIPT600: Receiving Divine Revelation

Dr. Fuchsia Pickett

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD *

Description: This course enables students to invite the Holy Spirit to teach and guide them through Scripture. Topics include the basis of true revelation, the process of revelation, hearing God’s voice, hindrances and helps to receiving revelation.

BIPT 603: The Armor Bearer

Dr. Laurel A. Roth

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: The role and responsibility of the Armor Bearer. His relationship with the leader. Emphasizes servanthood, and the priority of maintaining a servant’s heart.

BIPT605: The Philosophy of Worship

Dr. Judson Cornwall

Availability: DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet *

Description: A study of the attitude and act of worship. The philosophy of preparation to worship, prayer in worship, and praise in worship will be discussed. The philosophy of worship in the Old and New Testaments and as actively practiced in Heaven right now will also be discussed.

BIPT606: The Theology of Spiritual Authority

Dr. Gary Kisner

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: A study of spiritual authority. Special emphasis is placed upon God’s direct and delegated authority, and the correct response to each. Rebellion against and obedience to God’s authority, suffering and authority, the importance of being under authority, proper attitudes of authorities, and relationships governed by authority are all discussed.

BIPT608: The Nature and Dynamics of Revival

Dr. John D. Shiver

Availability: Live

Description: Overview of revival throughout the history of the Church. Examines revival from the following perspectives: Church history as it relates to times of revival, a definition of what historical revival is, the necessity of revival in the Church, the dynamics of revival when it comes, and what the Church must do to cooperate with the revival that God is seeking to send in our generation.

BIPT610: A Study of Church Growth**Rev. Gary Beasley**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: This course teaches how to work with the Holy Spirit and other church members to see the local church grow by adding new converts.

BIPT615: Dynamics of Church Growth**Dr. C. Peter Wagner**

Availability: MP3-CD, Internet, DVD, VCD, Cassette

Description: Secrets of the fastest growing churches in all areas of the world, the New Apostolic Reformation Churches. What the Bible means when it says that the foundation of the church is apostles and prophets with Jesus Christ being the chief cornerstone.

BIPT616: Spiritual Warfare**Dr. Milford Gamble**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: This course is designed to teach the nature and character of our enemy and the battle that we as Christians are involved in today. In addition you will come to understand the weapons that God has provided for us, their purpose, and how to use them.

BIPT620: Mindset for Success: A Biblical View**Dr. Ken Gaub**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, Cassette, MP3-CD, Internet

Description: Break old negative thought patterns and habits of attitude and speech which keep us from accomplishing our goals. Examples, both from the scriptures and from modern history, to help us in our quest to achieve a greater life.

BIPT623: Prayer in Another Dimension**Dr. Sue Curran**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Overview of the current powerful, supernatural move of God in many nations of the earth. Evaluate the cause of the general lack of power in the American church. Discover the keys to releasing the miraculous power of God today.

BIPT625: Success with People**Rev. Ken Gaub**

Availability: Live, DVD, MP3-CD, VCD, Cassette, Internet

Description: Winning and working with pre-Christians. Guidelines and suggestions to help evangelistically-minded Christians speak the right language to their audiences. Emphasizes recognizing and working with different personality types.

BIPT626: Studies in the Book of James: Hanging the Pirates**Dr. Charles Gaulden**

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: A study of the hidden pirates that attempt to rob our treasure of peace and joy. The course is based on key New Testament principles of achieving spiritual success.

BIPT630: Building Better Churches: Building Blocks That Matter

Dr. Morris Sheats

Availability: Live

Description: Necessary building blocks for creating and maintaining better churches. Insights that better prepare individuals to be more effective leading and working in a church. What to do to build or improve the church.

BIPT633: God's Systems on Success

Dr. Zonnya

Availability: Live, DVD, VCD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet

Description: John 10:10 says "I have come that you might have life and have it more abundantly." "Are the majority of God's people experiencing more abundant life?" Research shows that a majority of God's people are not even experiencing abundant life, much less more abundant life. Learn how to have more abundant life through God's System on Success.

BIPT640: Freer Than You Ever Dreamed

Dr. Sue Curran

Availability: Live, DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: This course explores the subject of authority over the power of the enemy and establishes the student in this authority. Upon this foundation of authority, the full scope of deliverance is taught.

BIPT641: Spiritual Deception: A Biblical Study

Dr. Michael Sedler

Availability: Live, DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: The impact upon a life involved in listening to or spreading gossip, slander, or other forms of evil reports. Emphasis upon the repercussions that occur within a life, and how it impacts those around us. Levels of defilement that lead to deception will be investigated.

BIPT643: Reaching a Postmodern World

Dr. Greg Williamson

Availability: Live, DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: This course is designed to familiarize the student with the prevalent shift in thought and culture commonly referred to as "postmodernism," as it relates to expanding the kingdom of God. Equips each student to be relevant in communicating the Gospel to a changing world.

BIPT644: Effective Evangelism for the 21st Century

Rev. Jerry Brandt

Availability: Live

Description: A fresh look at "Kingdom of God witnessing" and how Jesus is the New Testament pattern for evangelism today. Practical, contemporary tools for evangelism that work in the 21st century.

BIPT645: Apostle and the Church**Dr. Ronald E. Cottle**

Availability: DVD, Cassette, MP3-CD, VCD, Internet

Description: A study of the nature and role of apostles in the church. Biblical evidence is treated and the lives and opinions of five current apostolic leaders are studied. A lecture and an interview by the instructor of each well-known apostolic figure is featured.

**BIPT 662 Family Therapy
Ronsisvalle****Rev. Richard**

Availability: Live

Description: Birthing God's vision for you and your family. What it means to produce a family that functions according to the will of God. The scriptural chain of command in leadership, discipline, and love. Proper relationships between husband and wife and parents with children. How to abandon the status quo and embrace radical change to realize God's new vision for your family.

BIPT665: Soteria: God's Plan for Health**Dr. Scott VanLue**

Availability: Live

Description: Traditional medicine vs functional medicine Other topics include hormone balance, stress, exercise, nutrition, supplements and specific diseases—all in light of scripture. The course concludes with getting F.I.T., a tool for individual evaluation and growth.

BIPT670: The Twenty-Third Psalm: A Summary of the Times of David**Dr. Alvis Harthern**

Availability: Live, DVD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet, VCD

Description: This course analyzes in full detail the Twenty-third Psalm. In addition, events in the times of David and additional writings of David are submitted as the basis for including each idea in this Psalm.

BIPT675: Cultivating Kingdom Champions**Dr. David Baldwin**

Availability: Live, DVD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet, VCD

Description: Basic ministry and management skills. A spiritual tool for mentoring future champions. Students will learn the characteristics, attitudes, mindset, core competencies, and positive practices of champions serving in God's Kingdom.

BIPT678: Healing and Restoring the Heart**Mrs. Denise Boggs**

Availability: Live

Description: The process of healing the hurts of the past, and identifying areas that need healing. We will look at Scripture to see the progression from healing to restoration and why it is important to embrace our own identity in Christ.

BIPT680: The Glory of God**Dr. John D. Shiver**

Availability: Live, DVD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet, VCD

Description: The revelation of the Glory of God in scripture and in historical revivals of the past. God desires to reveal Himself in the Church and in the earth increasingly in the near future. Leaders must be prepared to cooperate with Him in all that He desires to do.

BIPT690: Relational Teambuilding**Dr. David Baldwin**

Availability: Live, DVD, MP3-CD, Cassette, Internet, VCD

Description: Building synergistic relationships in the workplace and in the Church. A biblical pattern of team-based ministry. Practical benefits and reasons why teams succeed or fail.

BIPT816: How to Hear the Voice of God**Dr. Drew Rousse**

Availability: DVD, VCD, Cassette, Internet, MP3-CD

Description: Discerning the voice of God. Topics include preparing to hear God, the voice of the Spirit, observation and notation, revelation of dreams, and numerology. Emphasis is placed on distinguishing between the right voice and the wrong voices.

BIPT912: The Forgiving Church**Dr. Sue Curran**

Availability: DVD, Cassette, Internet, MP3, VCD

Description: A biblical study of forgiveness as Jesus taught it. The vertical aspect of forgiveness between man and God and the horizontal between man and man. The negative aspect of the impact of collective unforgiveness that hinders the church from fulfilling the purposes of God.

BIPT 950: Principles of Spiritual Promotion**Dr. David Baldwin**

Availability: Live

Based on the first five chapters of Joshua. Ten principles offer a practical approach for believers to position themselves where promises are realized, prayers answered, and prophecies come to pass. These principles also apply to promotion at work, ministry, and for life.