

ADVANCED CERTIFICATE IN PASTORAL EDUCATION (27 Hours)

Overview

The Advanced Certificate in Pastoral Education offers a concentrated study of the Bible and practical Christian ministry. This program meets the requirements of The Southern Methodist Church for ordination as an Elder. **In order to enroll in this program a student must have a Bachelor of Arts degree in Bible or related field or have completed the Basic Certificate in Pastoral Education.**

Objectives

The graduate of this program will be able to

1. Demonstrate a foundational knowledge of Bible content and doctrine
2. Continue personal Bible study and application.
3. Employ practical ministry skills.

FIRST SEMESTER		CR	SECOND SEMESTER		CR
Hi 313	History of the Christian Church I	3	Hi 314	Hist. of the Christian Church II	3
CM 312	Advanced Sermon Preparation	3	Hi 300	History of Methodism	3
CM 231	Missions & the Local Church	3	Bi 410	Modern Theological Trends	3
Bi 411	Intro. to Systematic Theology	3	CM 441	The Church Facing the 21 st Cent.	<u>3</u>
CM 440	The Purpose Driven Church	<u>3</u>			
	SEMESTER TOTAL	15		SEMESTER TOTAL	12