NONTRADITIONAL EDUCATION OPTIONS 2015–2016

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This Nontraditional Educational Options catalog is for you if you are looking for a seminary program that will enable you to be equipped biblically, theologically, and practically in your present ministry or vocational context without having to uproot yourself or your family.

The options outlined in this catalog are designed around Trinity Evangelical Divinity School’s Master of Arts (Theological Studies) (MATS) degree program or the Certificate in Christian Studies, which enable you to engage in contextualized learning that you can immediately apply to your ministry or vocational context. Whether you desire a whole degree or to take occasional courses for refreshment or stimulation, or for satisfaction of a professional continuing education requirement, these educational options can further equip you for more effective ministry within church, parachurch, or Marketplace ministries.

This catalog outlines a number of flexible delivery formats that will enable you to complete Trinity’s Master of Arts (Theological Studies) or the Certificate in Christian Studies without having to relocate to Trinity’s Deerfield campus. These formats include TEDS Online courses, Church-based Seminary Extension sites, Campus Modular Courses, and Wrap-Around Intensive Courses. Our Flexible Delivery Formats page provides direction as to how these options might fit together for you in attaining your seminary education.

It is our privilege to serve you. Making seminary accessible to nontraditional students is our heritage. Whether you choose the Master of Arts (Theological Studies) degree or the Certificate in Christian Studies or decide to take courses for personal enrichment, we desire to assist you in designing a program of study that will enable you to be more effective in the ministry to which God has called you.

Please feel free to contact me or one of my staff at Trinity Extension with questions you may have about programs, courses, or extension sites or about how a course of study might be designed to suit your needs by dialing 800.588.7705. We look forward to hearing from you.

You are also able to access information about Trinity’s extension program, courses, and syllabi by logging onto our website. Our web address is teds.edu/extension

In His service,

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TRINITY’S NONTRADITIONAL OPTIONS

Trinity Evangelical Divinity School offers two ideal paths for nontraditional learners who are interested in pursuing a program marked by breadth, depth, and flexibility. For mature learners who are unable to relocate to Trinity’s Deerfield campus for theological education, Trinity offers the Master of Arts (Theological Studies) (MATS), and the Certificate in Christian Studies. Both the 42-semester-hour MATS and the 24-semester-hour Certificate enable you to deepen your biblical and theological knowledge base while broadening your ministry scope through relevant course work in any or all of our departments at Trinity. Your goals, effectiveness in ministry, and impact in the secular workplace will be significantly enhanced by the training you receive in these quality programs.

A most attractive feature of both the Certificate and the MATS is their flexibility. The Chicago Regional Center offers the 48-semester-hour Master of Arts (Urban Ministry) program (MA in UM) which is a tightly focused program as well as the MATS and the Certificate. These programs allow you either to devote your large number of Free Electives to concentrated study in one or two areas of interest or to develop a comprehensive program from Trinity’s broad selection of course offerings, which have been drawn from several master’s-level programs, including the MDiv. You will have the opportunity to pursue study of both theoretical and practical concerns, integrating the two for deeper Christian growth and ministry effectiveness.

Another appealing feature for many nontraditional learners is that either program can be pursued in a nontraditional educational format. All of the Certificate and a large amount of the MATS can be done through TEDS Online courses (DE). Further, if you are close to one of our Extension sites, you can complete the entire MATS degree program or the Certificate at any of our extension sites. Also, it is possible to complete both programs during summer sessions at our Deerfield campus. A program advisor is able to help design a plan for you to complete the program of your choice through a combination of these options. Call Trinity Extension at 800.588.7705 to begin your path to theological education.

WHAT YOU CAN DO WITH YOUR DEGREE

The MATS may be the ideal degree for you if you are

• Already involved in ministry and do not need a professional program such as the Master of Divinity
• Seeking seminary education but cannot leave your place of ministry or employment and move to Deerfield
• Desiring to start the MDiv degree, but cannot relocate to Trinity now
  Up to 50 percent of the MATS course work can be applied to your MDiv degree. (If you choose not to complete the MATS, a higher percentage may be applicable.)
• Seeking to be better equipped for lay leadership in the church
• Desiring to be a more effective witness in the marketplace
• Interested in specialized ministries both overseas and in the United States. The training you receive in the MATS will be most beneficial in reaching those ends.

The Certificate serves some of the same purposes as the MATS, yet on a smaller scale and with less extensive training. It is ideal if you desire a “trial year” in seminary to more clearly define your goals and to determine if you would like to pursue one of our degree programs in the future. Moreover, the Certificate is often earned by students who are preparing for missionary service and need to satisfy their mission board’s requirement for one year of seminary training.

FLEXIBLE OPTIONS TO EARN THE MATS AND CERTIFICATE

• All of the Certificate and the MATS program can be completed at any of our extension site locations throughout the country.
• Work on the MATS and Certificate through TEDS Online courses from the comfort of your home.
• Continue by taking our one-, two-, or three-week long modular summer sessions at the Deerfield campus.
• Take classes as a daytime or evening student on our Deerfield, Illinois campus during the regular academic year.
• Take advantage of occasional Wrap-Around Courses providing Trinity credit in conjunction with high-profile conferences such as Urbana, Spiritual Formation Forum, Xenos Summer Institute, etc.

To design a plan for you, please contact the Office of Extension and Affiliated Education at 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6550.
MASTER OF ARTS (THEOLOGICAL STUDIES) PROGRAM (MATS)

MATS Program Purpose
The MATS purposes to provide a basic understanding of Christianity for general educational purposes. Trinity’s MATS program draws from the breadth of the curriculum requiring substantive study in biblical, theological, and historical and global areas, combined with a significant number of hours in the student’s area of interest. The program is particularly suited for Christians desiring to better understand God’s revelation to humanity in the biblical and theological context of orthodox historic Christianity and who are engaged in nonchurch-related vocations or for those seeking a general theological degree to accompany a specialized master’s degree. As a seminary degree, its particular concern is to relate theological studies to the work of the church.

MATS course work is available at all TEDS extension sites, and may be completed in total at any of our extension sites or regional centers. Some course work may also be completed through TEDS Online.

MATS Program Objectives
The MATS will enable participants to
• Understand the biblical and theological constructs that form the foundation for the faith
• Think critically and constructively about the historic and global contexts of Christianity
• Examine closely an area of Christian studies of personal interest
• Articulate their Christian faith in light of their present vocational engagement
• Grow in personal and spiritual maturity

MATS Program Admission Requirements and Prerequisites
The admission requirements for the MATS are those described under the Admissions section of the catalog, and the following further requirements specific to the MATS program:
• Applicants must possess a baccalaureate degree, or the educational equivalent, from a recognized accredited institution. In some cases, admission with deficiencies is possible with fulfillment of those deficiencies at Trinity.
• The applicant’s undergraduate grade point average must be a minimum of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale; however, since GPA is not always an accurate indication of an applicant’s abilities for graduate work, those with a lower GPA are encouraged to consult with an admissions counselor.
• Scores from the Miller Analogies Test (MAT) (preferred) or the Graduate Record Exam (GRE) are required for applicants whose undergraduate GPA is less than 2.5, and for others upon request from the Admissions Office.

MATS Statute of Limitation
All MATS program requirements must be completed within eight years of matriculation into the program. Extension of the statute of limitation for up to two years may be granted by petition when a student has demonstrated consistent program progress toward the degree.

MATS Candidacy Requirements
Admission to the MATS program must be followed by achievement of candidacy for the degree. Program candidacy occurs when
• A minimum of 16 hours in the program are completed with a minimum GPA of 2.5 after admission to the program
• All entrance deficiencies and conditions are removed
• Formal action has been taken by the faculty to grant candidacy for the degree

MATS Graduation Requirements
1. Complete the General Graduation Requirements for all master’s programs.
2. Complete a minimum of 42 semester hours with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5, with no course work graded below a “C” applicable to the degree.
3. Complete two semesters of Field Education.
4. Complete the MATS capstone project in the form of an integrative paper, focused topical paper, or project for two hours.

MATS Curriculum

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MATS Residency Requirement and Program Duration
The residency requirement for the MATS degree is that a minimum of 24 hours must be completed through Trinity course work, with the final 8 hours taken through Trinity. The 24 hours may be completed in Deerfield, at an accredited extension site, or through TEDS Online courses as arranged with the program advisor.
MASTER OF ARTS IN URBAN MINISTRY (MA IN UM) PROGRAM

Note: TEDS, with the approval of the Association of Theological Schools, offers the Master of Arts in Urban Ministry degree program at the South Chicago Regional Center in Dolton. Although some urban-ministry-related courses are available in Deerfield, participants should plan to make the South Chicago Regional Center the center of their program activities.

MA in UM Program Purpose
The MA in UM serves students engaged in urban ministry who desire a graduate degree that provides knowledge and skills for effective ministry in an urban setting. The emphasis is designed for the mature student with significant experience in urban ministry. While the objectives of this emphasis focus on the specific needs of minority students in urban ministry, others with appropriate urban ministry background or vocational goals are encouraged to apply. The MA in UM has the following objectives:

• Professional Competence. The program will contribute to effectiveness as a pastor, preacher, and teacher.
• Educational Legitimization. The structures of a complex urban society often call on urban pastors to intercede with agencies such as the welfare department, courts, public schools, and social work systems. Adequate professional skill and academic credentials legitimizes the urban pastor’s ministry in these contexts.
• Theological Integration. The integration of social and spiritual responsibilities in urban ministry often lacks a clear framework. The MA in UM program provides a contextualized setting for engaging this integration.
• Marketable Skills. Professional competence and academic credentials enhance the opening of ministry opportunities for urban pastors.

MA in UM Design and Requirements
The MA in UM’s main campus in the city of Chicago offers classes at times conducive for persons engaged in full-time employment. The entire program may be completed at the South Chicago Regional Center; however, many courses are also offered on the Deerfield Campus.

The curriculum design enables completion of the required 48 hours in approximately three years when taking two courses (6–8 hours) per semester, making the emphasis accessible to those engaged in full-time ministry. Upon completion of course work, a written professional project is also required that reflects the engagement of the student’s academic training with ministry experience.

Currently, courses are offered in Dolton across the street from New Life Celebration Church of God at 14200 Dante Avenue. Updated course information may be obtained through Dr. Michael Reynolds, Assistant Dean of Extension and Continuing Education and Director of the MA in UM program at 312.952.0644.

MA in UM Admission Requirements and Prerequisites
In addition to the General Admission Requirements described in the Admissions section of the catalog, the following further requirements are specific to the MA in UM program:

• The applicant’s undergraduate grade point average must be a minimum of 2.5 on a 4.0 scale; however, since GPA is not always an accurate indication of an applicant’s abilities for graduate work, those with a lower GPA are encouraged to consult with our admissions counselors. Alternative evaluation is sometimes possible as is admission status that will permit the applicant to demonstrate the ability to do graduate work.

MA in UM Residency Requirement and Continuation
Residency requirements for the MA in UM degree:

• 24 hours must be completed through Trinity course work.
• The final 8 hours must be taken through Trinity.

Upon completion of all but 6 hours of course work in a program, continuous registration each fall and spring semester is required. If a student is not registered for remaining course work, a continuation fee is assessed each semester until all program requirements have been met. If the student has not completed the program after four semesters of continuation status, the fee amount is doubled for the next four semesters.

MA in UM Statute of Limitation
All MA in UM program requirements must be completed within five years of matriculation into the program for students enrolled on the Deerfield Campus. Students enrolled at extension sites must complete all requirements within eight years. Petition to extend the statute of limitation may be made by a student to the Academic Exceptions Committee.

MA in UM Candidacy Requirements
Admission to the MA in UM program must be followed by achievement of candidacy for the degree. Program candidacy occurs when

• A minimum of 16 hours in the program are completed with a minimum GPA of 2.5 after admission to the program.
• All entrance deficiencies and conditions are removed.
• Formal action has been taken by the faculty to grant candidacy for the degree.
MA in UM Graduation Requirements
The following requirements must be completed to earn the MA in UM degree:

• Complete the General Graduation Requirements for all master’s programs.
• Complete a minimum of 48 hours with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.5, with no course work graded below a “C-” applicable to the degree. A maximum of 33 percent of course work may be completed in an independent study format (Reading, Guided Research, and TEDS Online courses).
• Take three semesters of field education.
• Meet the general comprehensive requirements in Old Testament, New Testament, and three in Systematic Theology through either successful completion of the exams or parallel course work. See the Academic Handbook for details on these exams.

MA in UM students may complete the general comprehensive requirement through TEDS Online courses (OT 5000, NT 5000, ST 5101, ST 5102, ST 5103) when available, which must be passed with a “C” or higher. Failure to pass at this grade level necessitates completion of the classroom course.
• Complete an MA in UM capstone project in the form of an Integrative Paper (ID 7480), demonstrating the relationship between your biblical and theological studies and your intended vocational objectives. MA in UM students must complete an approved professional project (PT 7471, PT 7472), reflecting academic training, practical experiences, and demonstrated ability in the practice of urban ministry.

MA in UM Curriculum

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Total hours required: 48

* One specialized urban ministry course in Educational Ministries, Homiletics, World Mission and Evangelism, Pastoral Theology, or Counseling may be substituted for one Urban Ministry Practicum course with the written consent of the MA in UM Director.
THE CERTIFICATE IN CHRISTIAN STUDIES PROGRAM

**Purposes of the Certificate**
The Certificate in Christian Studies is designed for persons who desire to take seminary course work but do not wish to enroll in a degree program. It is also an appropriate course of study for persons who have not yet decided on a degree program but who wish to experience seminary course work or to clarify their ministry calling. Admission to the Certificate does not ensure admission to a Trinity degree program. If a Certificate student later decides to enroll in a degree program, all program admission requirements must be met, and all residency requirements (those course hours that must be taken after a student has been admitted to a program) must be completed.

**Admission Requirements and Prerequisites**
Certificate in Christian Studies applicants should possess a baccalaureate degree, or the educational equivalent, from a recognized accredited institution. If an applicant has completed at least 60 semester hours of undergraduate work and possesses life experience that has prepared him or her for graduate study, admission may be granted.

**Completion Requirements**
The following requirements must be met to complete the Certificate in Christian Studies:

- Complete a minimum of 24 semester hours with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0, with no course work graded below a “C-” applicable to the Certificate.
- Application for Certificate completion should be made one calendar year prior to the intended May, August, or December completion date through the filing of the Intent to Graduate form in the Records Office. This initiates the processes related to completion and serves to advise you of the requirements necessary for Certificate completion.
- Evidence of Christian life and character and recommendation accordingly by the faculty.
- Completion of all requirements required by the catalog curricula in effect at the time of initial enrollment.
- Settlement of all financial obligations to Trinity and any other ACTS seminaries with the accounting office.

**Certificate Curriculum**
The Certificate in Christian Studies combines course work throughout the curriculum. Participants are encouraged to select a breadth of courses from the various departments at TEDS. The Certificate may be completed by two semesters of full-time course work or by part-time enrollment. Certificate courses are offered on the Deerfield campus, at TEDS extension sites, and through TEDS Online. All Certificate course work must be completed through Trinity. No specific courses are required for the Certificate in Christian Studies.

**Christian Studies Courses**

| Total | 24 semester hours |
FLEXIBLE DELIVERY

Flexible Delivery Makes a TEDS Education Accessible

Our desire is to make a TEDS education accessible to all-while maintaining our commitment to community building in a face to face context. We continue to work to create delivery options and plans which address the needs of students unable to enroll in regular semester-length daytime courses. While the availability of particular courses varies from semester to semester, courses applying to the Certificate in Christian Studies, a Master of Arts (Theological Studies), or a Master of Divinity (MDiv) may all be completed in a combination of non-traditional modes. One may complete a Certificate in two years, a MA (Theological Studies) in four years, and an MDiv in eight years by taking one or two courses each fall, spring, and summer semester. Visiting students and non-credit auditors who wish to attend courses for personal enrichment are also welcome.

Option One: Extension Locations
Church-based extension sites in:

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The above locations hold weekend and evening classes. Classes at these sites generally meet for three to five weekends per semester and enable the completion of all MA (Theological Studies) course work. Many of these sites also offer summer intensive classes. For more information contact site coordinators or the main Extension Office at 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6550 for current information or visit our website at: teds.edu/extension/

Option Two: TEDS Online Courses
Online Courses may be completed from anywhere in the world that has internet access. Courses require at least weekly internet access to watch video lectures, interact with others in discussion forums, and work on group assignments. Visit the TEDS Online website for more information at teds.edu/distanceeducation/.

Option Three: Conference Wrap-Around Courses
TEDS offers graduate credit in conjunction with a number of high profile conferences offered around North America. The Center for Bioethics and Human Dignity, the Urbana Conference, The Spiritual Formation Forum, Xenos Summer Institute, and the US Center for World Mission’s Perspectives on the World Christian Movement course are all available for academic credit. Each year additional conferences are also available for academic credit. Contact the Office of Extension and Affiliated Education at 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6550 for current information or visit our website at: teds.edu/extension/.

Option Four: Evening, Weekend, and Short-term Modules in Deerfield
The core MDiv curriculum with some Free Electives rotates through a four-year Evening-Weekend School schedule on the Deerfield Campus. Evening courses generally meet one night weekly for fifteen weeks during the fall or spring semester; or for three or four Friday night-Saturday weekends during the semester. This rotation enables completion of MDiv coursework over eight years for those taking four courses each year. Completion of short-term modules or summer school courses will lighten the load or accelerate the pace.

Some one- or two-week short-term modules are also offered during the semester. Short-term courses are taught by guest professors and regular TEDS faculty, and are sometimes offered off-campus as a conference wrap-a-round or intensive course.

Option Five: Summer School in Deerfield
The core MDiv curriculum with some Free Electives also rotates through summer school on the Deerfield campus. Summer courses are offered in one-, two-, or three-week short-term sessions. Courses are scheduled in two main sessions, Early Summer (May–June) and Late Summer (July–August) with a one-week summer break surrounding July 4.

The summer rotation enables completion of all MDiv coursework over six summers for those taking a full summer academic load or over four summers for those taking an additional two or three courses during fall and spring semesters.

Summer is often a convenient time for teachers and those involved in campus ministries to complete biblical and theological studies and provide opportunity for other students to accelerate their program completion. Students admitted for the fall semester may begin course work in the preceding summer term. Beginning Greek and Hebrew are offered each summer, enabling students to “jump-start” their fall program.

Option Six: Daytime Courses in Deerfield
Most Deerfield Fall and Spring semester courses meet one day each week–morning, afternoon, late afternoon, or evening. Biblical language classes and some other classes meet two days each week for pedagogical reasons.

View Course Schedules
Current and projected course schedules are available online at divinity.tiu.edu/academics/academic-catalog/.

A current list of TEDS Online courses can be found at teds.edu/distanceeducation/.

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1 TEDS is in the process of securing authorization from the Kansas Board of Regents to operate the site, followed by an application for accreditation by the ATS and HLC. Check with the Extension Office for the current status of this authorization.
FINANCIAL AID

Trinity Evangelical Divinity School offers a limited number of financial aid options to help students pay for expenses in the Extension program. Please review the options listed below carefully because each option may require the fulfillment of a number of criteria.

1. Extension and Site Discounts
In recognizing the financial constraints that nontraditional students are under in affording graduate-level education, courses taken through Trinity extension are discounted from the regular cost of tuition charged at the Deerfield campus. Also, a number of the church-based extension sites offer further site discounts to enable students to enroll in Trinity courses for academic credit.

The only requirement to receive the Extension and Site discount is to be enrolled for Trinity academic credit at one of the extension locations.

See Site pages in this catalog or contact the Extension site coordinator for tuition information.

2. Full-time Ministry Rebates
Trinity Extension offers financial aid as a rebate per semester hour for full-time ministry students taking courses at Extension sites who meet all of the eligibility requirements. Students who wish to apply for the full-time ministry rebate must pay the full tuition price to the sites and will be reimbursed the current rebate per semester hour amount from Trinity Extension at the end of the semester, providing all requirements are met and paperwork is in.

The full-time ministry rebate is available to all full-time persons (paid staff, at least 35 hours per week) in church or parachurch ministry positions enrolled in Trinity’s Master of Arts (Theological Studies) (MATS) or Master of Arts (Urban Ministry), (MA in UM) programs through a Trinity Extension site and is applicable to classes taken only at extension locations or through TEDS Online. This is a first-come, first-served financial assistance rebate, which means this rebate is available until funds that are set aside each year for this rebate are depleted. For more information regarding procedures to receive this benefit, please contact the coordinator at the extension site where you will be taking classes or, if taking TEDS Online courses, please contact the TEDS Online Office for details and an application.

For the 2015–2016 academic year:
- This rebate is either $17.50 or $35 per semester hour, depending on the site location for all eligible full-time persons in ministry positions who have applied to and been accepted into the MATS Program through an Extension site. You must be fully accepted into the MATS program before applying for this rebate. This does not apply to those who are taking courses as Visiting Students or for Deerfield students.
- For MA/UM students, please contact the South Chicago regional Center for details on their rebate program.

3. Federal Student Loans
Degree-seeking students enrolled at Extension sites may apply for federal student loans, including William D. Ford Direct Loan and Direct GradPlus. For information on this (what criteria must be met, how to apply, when to apply and how loan funds will be disbursed), students should check with the TIU Financial Aid Office at: 847.317.8060 or 800.435.8805 or finaid@tiu.edu
TEDS ONLINE COURSES

TEDS Online offers distance education courses for graduate credit. Online courses provide additional scheduling flexibility to students. These courses may be applied to any Trinity degree program or transferred to another institution. Students should check the Academic Catalog for specific requirements and limitations applicable to their degree program. Further information, including a current course listing and syllabi, is available at our website (TEDSONline.tiu.edu/).

Distance education courses may be taken as a visiting student, an extension student, or a part- or full-time Deerfield campus student. Students may take online courses up to the limit designated for their degree program.

For Information
Further information regarding DE studies may be obtained from the Office of Extension and Affiliated Education. Call 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6554, go to our website at teds.edu/de, or visit our office in the Veenstra Wing of the Kantzer Center.

Enrollment
Look over the selection of courses available through TEDS Online and choose a course. Courses can be viewed at our web site:
• Register for TEDS Online courses through the myTIU Dashboard.
• If you are not already admitted to a Trinity program, submit a Visiting Student Application (VSA) online, and request a transcript to be sent to us to show your eligibility for graduate credit. You may submit a VSA online at teds.edu/apply/.
• View the syllabus for your course and purchase course resources (textbooks, etc.).

Proceed to take the course and enjoy the benefits of Distance Education!

Tuition
Tuition for extension and online-only students for the 2015–2016 academic year is $420 per semester hour of credit (paid through Student Accounting). The tuition for a full-time, Deerfield student is $635/semester hour. Cost for course materials is in addition to tuition cost.

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Completion Time
All TEDS Online Courses are tied to the regular semester schedule. All students begin and end the course at the same time and must complete assignments according to a set schedule. In the case of a severe disruption in a student’s life, students may request course extensions through the Dean of Students Office. A course that is not completed will be assigned a failing grade.

Visiting Student Status
Enrollment in TEDS Online courses is available to those who have earned a bachelor’s degree. Students may enroll as a Visiting Student, which allows them to take graduate-level courses without being accepted into a degree program at Trinity. Courses taken may be applied to degree programs at Trinity (although permission to take TEDS Online courses does not imply or guarantee acceptance) or transferred to other institutions.

Note that before any grade can be recorded on official Trinity transcripts, students must do the following: (1) submit completed Visiting Student Application; (2) provide an official transcript showing that a bachelor’s degree has been earned (this should be sent directly to Trinity from the degree-granting institution); and (3) make complete tuition payment for the course.

Withdrawals and Refunds
All TEDS Online courses are subject to the course withdrawal policies set by Trinity Evangelical Divinity School. Students should refer to the Academic Catalog for the details of this policy.

Residency Requirements
Each TEDS degree program has a residency requirement. Students should consult the TEDS Academic Catalog for the requirements that apply to their program.
TEDS Online courses provide a virtual classroom experience, while still allowing students to fit their studies around their own schedule. Students watch lectures and complete assignments on a weekly basis, interacting with other students to deepen their understanding of the subject. Courses follow the same semester schedule as courses offered at the TEDS Deerfield campus including registration, adds/drops, and withdrawal.

TEDS Online offers the following courses on a rotating basis, with new courses being added as they are available. Please consult the TEDS course schedule on myTIU.edu or TEDSOnline.tiu.edu for the list of courses available in a given semester.

**EM 5210** **CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP AND ADMINISTRATION**

Consideration of the nature and responsibilities of leadership for church and Christian ministry organizations. Case studies will be used to assist participants in applying leadership theory to practice. Two or three hours.

**HM 5000** **THEOLOGY AND METHODOLOGY OF BIBLICAL PREACHING**

Theological foundations for preaching and sermon preparation with emphasis on biblical integrity and structural soundness. Lecture sessions—must be taken concurrently with HM 5001. Two hours.

**ME 8230** **GLOBAL CHURCH PLANTING AND DEVELOPMENT**

This course examines both theologically and practically the planting and development of healthy, reproducing congregations in various cultural settings. Methods, models, strategies, and particular challenges are discussed. Three hours.

**NT 4030** **BEGINNING GREEK I** *(UNDERGRADUATE CREDIT ONLY)*

Introduction to phonology, morphology, and grammar of New Testament Greek, with readings in the Johannine literature or the Thessalonian correspondence and vocabulary development. Designed for students with little or no background in beginning Greek. Not for graduate credit. Four hours.

**NT 4031** **BEGINNING GREEK II** *(UNDERGRADUATE CREDIT ONLY)*

Further study in phonology, morphology, and grammar of New Testament Greek, with readings in the Johannine literature or the Thessalonian correspondence and vocabulary development. Not for graduate credit. Four hours.

**NT 5000** **INTRODUCTION TO THE NEW TESTAMENT**

Introductory survey of the New Testament, including the life and ministry of Christ, apostolic history, New Testament literature, principal critical issues, and the unity and diversity of New Testament theology. This course meets the NT General Comprehensive requirement for MA students and the English Bible competency requirement for MDiv students, who must meet the SBCT requirement. Not for credit in the MA/NT or MA/OT programs. Elective credit in MDiv program. Auditors are not permitted in General Comp courses unless they have taken previous undergraduate course work in the subject or are not intending to complete the MA program. Four hours.

**OT 5000** **INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT**

An introduction to the literature of the Old Testament, the history of Israel, critical issues of Old Testament formation, method in Old Testament study, and the theology of the Old Testament. This course meets the OT General Comprehensive requirement for MA students and the English Bible competency requirement for MDiv students, who must meet the SBCT requirement. Not for credit in the MA/NT or MA/OT programs. Elective credit in MDiv program. Four hours.

**PT 5000** **PERSONAL ASSESSMENT AND MINISTRY ORIENTATION**

Designed to assist in personal assessment of character temperament, learning style, talents, abilities and gifts, ministry and relational skills, and other traits relevant to ministry. Based on these assessments, students will develop a personal plan to accomplish their goals through course work and an integrative paper. A materials fee will be charged for this course. One hour.

**PT 7280** **CHRISTIAN WORSHIP**

The importance, basic meaning, and historical background of Christian worship, with attention to principles, plans, methods, and resources for worship planning. Two hours.

**ST 5101** **THEOLOGY I: INTRODUCTION TO THEOLOGY**

This course begins by clarifying the nature, method, and necessity of theology. Discussion then moves to the doctrine of Scripture, including revelation, inspiration, illumination, and inerrancy. This course concludes with the study of the existence and nature of God (including the Trinity), God’s works of creation (including angels), and providence. This course meets one ST General Comprehensive requirement for MA students. Three hours.

**ST 5102** **THEOLOGY II: CHRIST, MAN, SIN, AND SALVATION**

This course covers the study of the person and work of Christ. It treats the nature of man both as a creature and as a sinner, including original sin, imputation of sin, and the nature and consequences of individual acts of sin. Discussion focuses on both the atoning work of Christ and on the application of the work of Christ by the Holy Spirit that runs from election through conversion and justification all the way to glorification. This course meets one ST General Comprehensive requirement for MA students. Three hours.

**ST 5103** **THEOLOGY III: HOLY SPIRIT, CHURCH, LAST THINGS**

This course begins with the study of the person and work of the Holy Spirit. Focus then shifts to the doctrine of the church. Topics include the nature, mission, function, organization, and ordinances of the church, the use of the gifts of the Holy Spirit in ministry, and the relation of Israel to the church. The course concludes with a treatment of the Last Things in relation to individuals (including the intermediate state and the resurrection of the body) and in relation to the following corporate groups: the church, Israel, and the nations. This course meets one ST General Comprehensive requirement for MA students. Three hours.
THE EXTENSION PROGRAM

Through Trinity’s Office of Extension and Affiliated Education we provide educational services that are accessible for learners whose life situations are characterized by being rooted in communities other than Deerfield, Illinois. Our extension sites in the United States are primarily in the Midwest. Through the Extension program, we seek to enable more students to take advantage of Trinity’s resources and services.

Extension Sites provide the opportunity for students to study locally with regular Trinity faculty and extension adjunct faculty. Classes are scheduled to be compatible with the rooted lives of mature learners. The following three formats are used:

1. Evening classes consisting of class one night per week.
2. Weekend classes consisting of instruction on Friday evening and all day Saturday every two to four weeks.
3. Modular classes allowing a student to attend all classroom sessions within a short period of time. Reading assignments are completed ahead of these classes, and writing assignments follow.

First Night Seminars

Many of our extension sites offer First Night Seminars where the first night of most courses is open to the public, free of charge, as an opportunity to sample Trinity. If you choose to do so, you may continue in the course by registering before the start of the next day of the class.

Extension Sites

At all sites, the Master of Arts (Theological Studies) degree and the Certificate in Christian Studies can be pursued in their entirety.

Akron, Ohio

- Courses held at The Chapel
  - 330.315.5910 or trinity@thechapel.life
  - Ms. Debbie Cardy, coordinator

Columbus, Ohio

- Courses held at Xenos Christian Fellowship
  - 614.823.6510 x1226 or benadumj@xenos.org
  - Mr. Josh Benadum, coordinator

Indianapolis, Indiana

- Courses held at College Park Church
  - 317.532.8610 x 132 or kalexander@yourchurch.com
  - Mrs. Kelly Alexander, coordinator

Madison, Wisconsin

- Courses held at High Point Christian Study Center
  - 608.836.3236, X155 or bellis@highpointchurch.org
  - Mr. Brandon Ellis, coordinator

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

- Courses held at Elmbrook Christian Study Center
  - 262.364.5334 or sberry@elmbrook.org
  - Ms. Susie Berry, registrar

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

- Courses held at North Way Christian Community
  - 724.935.6800 x3104 or jmathieu@northway.org
  - Jon Mathieu, coordinator

For site information, call the local number of the site or call Trinity’s Office of Extension and Affiliated Education at 800.588.7705 or 847.317.6550 or visit us on the web at teds.edu/extension

The Chicago MA in UM Program

The entire Master of Arts (Urban Ministry) program (MA in UM), as well as the general Master of Arts (Theological Studies) and Certificate in Christian Studies are available at our Chicago Regional Center. For course and tuition information about this program, please contact Dr. Michael Reynolds, assistant dean and director of the Master of Arts (Urban Ministry), program at 312.952.0644 in Dolton, Illinois or on the web at: divinity.tiu.edu/extension-site/dolton-il/

The South Florida MATS Program

The entire Master of Arts (Theological Studies), as well as the Certificate in Christian Studies, may be earned at the Trinity Evangelical Divinity School (TEDS) extension location at the regional center of Trinity International University in South Florida. The Director for the MATS program is Dr. Steven C. Roy. For course and tuition information about this program, please contact him at sroy@tiu.edu or our South Florida Regional Center at 954.382.6400, or 1.877.477.4TIU, or simply visit us on the web at: florida.tiu.edu/

Enrollment in the Extension Program

If you desire to be admitted to Trinity’s Master of Arts (Theological Studies) program, the Master of Arts (Theological Studies) with an emphasis in Urban Ministry, or Certificate in Christian Studies program, please complete the online application at teds.edu/apply/ or call TEDS Admissions at 800.345.TEDS.

If you have not already been admitted, must complete a Visiting Student Application, at teds.edu/apply/ shortly after the first night of the course. Since Trinity offers graduate-level courses, you must send a transcript showing your bachelor’s degree to the TEDS Records Office to be eligible to earn credit.

Students who are not eligible or who do not wish to earn graduate credit may take the course on a noncredit basis. They also must complete the Visiting Student Application mentioned above but do not need to send undergraduate transcripts at this time.

MATS Capstone Project/Integrative Paper

MATS candidates must complete an MATS Integrative Paper in order to graduate. Approval for this paper must be completed by at least the semester prior to graduation through the Director of Extension and Affiliated Education (800.588.7705). Registration for the MATS Integrative Paper is to be completed during the semester of graduation through the Extension Office.

The MATS Capstone Project/Integrative Paper is to be submitted to the Director of Extension and Affiliated Education six weeks prior to graduation.

Please contact the Office of Extension and Affiliated Education for all appropriate approval and registration forms.
Field Education
Every MATS student must complete two semesters of Field Education. There is great flexibility in how this Field Education requirement is completed. The registration deadline by which approval forms, covenants, and plan sheets must be turned into the Field Education Office is the third week of the semester. It is the responsibility of the student to register for Field Education at the site (the site will then forward the registration on to the Extension Office) and to submit all necessary forms to the Field Education Office by the third week of the semester.

For information regarding approving field supervisors, field education registration, and evaluation forms or a response to your questions about Field Education, contact Trinity’s Field Education Office at 847.317.8032 or fielded@tiu.edu. 
divinity.tiu.edu/academics/field-education-internships/

Deerfield Modular and Evening Courses
Nontraditional students may also avail themselves of modular courses on the Deerfield campus. Those students within driving distance of the Deerfield campus may enroll in evening classes. Modular courses are in one-to-three-week modular formats during the fall, spring, and summer semesters. Evening courses meet during weeknights after 6:30pm.
For complete information on fall 2015 and spring 2016 modular and evening courses, log on to Trinity at divinity.tiu.edu/academics/academic-catalog/ You may also get course information from Trinity Records at
AKRON, OHIO

Course Location: The Chapel, 135 Fir Hill, Akron OH 44304-1561

For Information: Ms. Debbie Cardy at 330.315.5910 or trinity@thechapel.life or Trinity’s Extension Office at 800.588.7705

Course Times: Weeknight classes meet as indicated under course descriptions. Weekend classes normally meet 7:00–9:30pm on Fridays & 8:30am–4:30pm on Saturdays.

Course Enrollment: For registration instructions go to: divinity.tiu.edu/extension-site/akron-oh/

Tuition: Regular tuition for the 2015–2016, academic year is $420 per semester hour of credit. Tuition for noncredit (those not earning graduate-level credit) is $225 per course. Complete payment for courses is expected by the first class meeting. Checks should be made payable to “Trinity.”

Course Rotation: As an aid to help you map out a plan to complete your degree, the following is a schedule of courses that the Akron site will offer on a two-year rotation.

Although variations may occasionally occur, every attempt is made to follow this schedule:

YEAR “A”

HM 5000 Theology and Method. of Biblical Preaching (2)
PT 6000 Pastoral Functions (3)
OTS100 English Bible: OT Book (3)
NT 5100 English Bible: NT Book (3)
ST 5101 Introduction to Theology (3)
ST 5102 Christ, Man, Sin and Salvation (3)
ST 5200 Christian Ethics (3)
ST 7395 Hermeneutics (3)
PT 5000 Personal Assessment/Min. Orientation (1)
PT6000 Pastoral Functions (3)
EM 6000 Instructional Methodology (3)

YEAR “B”

OT 5000 Introduction to the Old Testament (4)
NT 5000 Introduction to the New Testament (4)
ST 5103 Holy Spirit, Church and Last Things (3)
PR 6000 Apologetics (3)
CH 5060 American Church History (3)
PT 5000 Personal Assessment/Min. Orientation (1)
PT 6000 Organization and Admin. (3)
ME 5001 Foundations of Evangelism (2)
ME 6963 Principles of Discipleship (3)

COURSES OFFERED*

(presently following Year “B”)

FALL 2015

NT 5000 INTRODUCTION TO THE NEW TESTAMENT
David Sloan, PhD

MATS Biblical Studies • 4 semester hours
Aug 21–22; Sept 11–12; Oct 9–10, 16–17; Dec 11–12
Fridays, 7:00pm–9:30 pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30 pm

PT 5000 PERSONAL ASSESSMENT AND MINISTRY ORIENTATION
Phil Sell, PhD
Designed to assist in personal assessment of character temperament, learning style, talents, abilities and gifts, ministry and relational skills, and other traits relevant to ministry. Based on these assessments, students will develop a personal plan to accomplish their goals through course work and an integrative paper. Should be taken during first or second semester of enrollment. A materials fee will be charged for this course.

MATS/MDiv core • 1 semester hour
November 13–14
Friday, 7:00pm–9:30pm, Saturday, 8:30am–4:30pm

CM 6572 PASTORAL COUNSELING FOR MARRIAGE AND FAMILY
Donald Lichi, PhD
This course will focus on marriage and family counseling in a pastoral setting. An overview of systems theory and its implications for problem formation, maintenance, and resolution is reviewed. The course will also include an examination of premarital counseling styles and plans. In addition, specific issues of divorce, remarriage, and blended families will be examined. Finally, the course will discuss the role of the church in matters related to the family and marriage.

MATS Elective/MDiv elective • 3 semester hours
September 8–November 24
Tuesdays, 6:00pm–9:00pm

ST 5103 SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY III: ECCLESIOLOGY & ESCHATOLOGY
Henry Knapp, PhD
Study the doctrine of the church, particularly in light of the crucial theological questions of the day, the doctrine of the last things, and the person and work of the Holy Spirit.

MATS Theological Studies/MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Fridays, 7:00pm–9:30 pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30 pm
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HM 5000  THEOLOGY AND METHODOLOGY OF BIBLICAL PREACHING
David McClellan, PhD
Study the theological foundations for preaching and a critical analysis of the process of sermon preparation with an emphasis upon biblical integrity and structural soundness.
MATS Elective/MDiv core • 2 semester hours
Sept 18–19, Oct 30–31, Nov 20–21,
Fridays, 7:00pm–9:30pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm

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ME 5001  FOUNDATIONS OF EVANGELISM
Jay Halley, DMin
This course will provide the graduate student with the content and the context for developing a biblical and theological understanding of evangelism. Through lecture, open discussion, small group interaction, and field experience, the student will develop convictions, skills, and confidence in communicating the gospel while learning how to reproduce these in a local setting, whether it be church, a university or high school campus, or in a multicultural context. Additionally, there will be a strong emphasis on encouraging the student to develop a biblical philosophy of ministry that reflects a balance of both the theoretical and practical perspectives of evangelism.
MATS Historical and Global Studies /MDiv core • 2 semester hours
January 14 – March 24
Thursdays, 5:30pm–8:00pm

CH 5010  HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY
Alice Ott, PhD
A survey of the development of Christianity from the patristic period to the present including the ecumenical councils, medieval period, Reformation, and modern Protestantism.
MATS Historical and Global studies / MDiv core • 4 semester hours
Jan 8–9, Feb 5–6, Mar 4–5, Apr 1–2, Apr 29–30
Friday, 7:00pm–9:30pm, Saturday, 8:30am–4:30pm

ST 5101  THEOLOGY I: INTRODUCTION TO THEOLOGY
Henry Knapp, PhD
This course begins by clarifying the nature, method, and necessity of theology. Discussion then moves to the doctrine of Scripture, including revelation, inspiration, illumination, and inerrancy. This course concludes with the study of the existence and nature of God (including the Trinity), God’s works of creation (including angels), and providence.
MATS Theological Studies / MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Jan 15–16, Feb 12–13, Mar 11–12, Apr 22–23
Friday, 7:00pm–9:30pm, Saturday, 8:30am–4:30pm

OT 5000  INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT
May Young, PhD
Study the literature, history, theology, and criticism of the Old Testament. Build a firm foundation for understanding God’s Word.
MATS Biblical Studies • 4 semester hours
Jan 22–23, Feb 19–20, Mar 18–19, Apr 15–16, May 13–14
Friday, 7:00pm–9:30pm, Saturday, 8:30am–4:30pm

* Courses offered may be subject to change
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
Course Location: 14200 Dante Avenue, Dolton IL
For Information: Dr. Michael Reynolds at 312.952.0644

Course Times: Weeknight classes meet as indicated under course descriptions. Weekend classes normally meet 7:00–9:30pm on Fridays & 8:00–4:00pm on Saturdays.

Enrollment: To register for courses, call Avril Logan at 312.287.9241

Tuition:
Regular tuition for the 2015–2016 academic year is $420 per semester hour of credit. Tuition for noncredit (those not earning graduate-level credit) is $225 per course. Contact Dr. Michael Reynolds for Urban Ministry scholarships.
Complete payment for courses is expected by the first class meeting. Payment schedules can be arranged with prior approval by Dr. Reynolds. Checks should be made payable to “Trinity.”

Course Rotation:
As an aid to help you map out a plan to complete your degree, the following is a schedule of courses that the Chicago site will offer on a two-year rotation. Although variations may occasionally occur, every attempt is made to follow this schedule:

YEAR “A”
OT 5000 Introduction to the Old Testament (4)
NT 5000 Introduction to the New Testament (4)
ST 5102 Christ, Man, Sin and Salvation (3)
ST 5103 Holy Spirit, Church and Last Things (3)
CM 5000 Introduction to Pastoral Counseling (3)
HM 6715 Hermeneutical & Homiletical Found. (3)
PT 7451 Urban Ministry Practicum II (3)
PT 7452 Urban Ministry Practicum III (3)
OT 5000 Introduction to the Old Testament (4)

YEAR “B”
NT 5000 Introduction to the New Testament (4)
ST 5101 Introduction to Theology (3)
CH 6000 History of the Urban Church (3)
ME 5140 Mission of the Urban Church (3)
EM 5150 Urban Educational Ministries (3)
PT 5175 Intro. to Urban Structure & Context (2)
PT 7450 Urban Ministry Practicum I (3)

COURSES OFFERED*
(presently following Year “B”)

FALL 2015

ST 5103 SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY III:
Bruce Fields, PhD
Study the doctrine of the church, particularly in light of the crucial theological questions of the day, the doctrine of the last things, and the person and work of the Holy Spirit.
MATS Theological Studies/ MA in UM/ MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Oct 30–21, Nov 20–21, Dec 11–12
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

NT 5100 ENGLISH BIBLE: JAMES
TBD
Demonstration of inductive Bible study method and treatment of the special teaching of James of the New Testament based on the English text.
MATS Biblical Studies / MA in UM core • 3 semester hours
Sept 11–12, Oct 30–31, Nov 20–21
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

OT 7090 OLD TESTAMENT THEOLOGY
Willem VanGemeren, PhD
A study of the approaches to the theology of the Old Testament in the last two hundred years with an emphasis on the motifs of creation and redemption as integrative themes and as anticipatory of the coming of Jesus Christ.
MATS Biblical Studies • 3 semester hours
Aug 28–29, Sept 18–19, Oct 9–10
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

ST 5200 CHRISTIAN ETHICS
TBD
Study biblical teaching on standards of personal conduct and integrity in relation to the sanctification process. Attention is given to biblical perspectives on issues such as abortion, euthanasia, capital punishment, sexual ethics, divorce and remarriage, racism, etc., and the Christian’s relation to society and state.
MATS Theological Studies / MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Sept 25–26, Oct 23–24, Nov 13–14, Dec 11–12
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

NT 5000 INTRODUCTION TO THE NEW TESTAMENT
Sigurd Grindheim, PhD
MATS Biblical Studies / MA in UM core • 4 semester hours
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm
PT 7471 URBAN MINISTRY PROJECT DESIGN/RESEARCH
Michael Reynolds, DMin
Research and design for professional projects involving pastoral ministry
and outreach in an urban context. Includes a careful statement of specific
project activities, measurable objectives, and evaluation procedures. Pre-requisite: completion of all classroom studies for the MA Urban Ministry.
Enrollment limited to MA UM students in this program emphasis.
MA in UM core • 2 semester hours
Starting Sept 10
Thursdays, 7:00pm–8:00pm

PT 7472 URBAN MINISTRY PROJECT REPORT
Michael Reynolds, DMin
Implementation of the project designed in PT 7471, including adjustments
as necessary to meet the needs of participants. Prerequisite: PT 7471.
MA in UM core • 3 semester hours.
Starting Sept 10
Thursdays, 8:00pm–9:00pm

EM 5150 URBAN EDUCATIONAL MINISTRIES
Timothy Baldwin, MA
Introduction to the special educational program needs of administration
and teaching in an urban context. Particular attention is given to the aims,
principles, organizations, and development of a local church educational
program, with focus on the aims, methods, media, and evaluation of the
Teaching process. Offered only at the South Chicago Regional Center.
MA in UM core / MATS elective • 3 semester hours
Sept 18–19, Oct 23–24, Nov 13–14
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

PT 7280 CHRISTIAN WORSHIP
Michael Reynolds, DMin
The importance, basic meaning, and historical background of Christian
worship, with attention to principles, plans, methods, and resources for
worship planning.
MATS Practical Elective / MDiv core • 2 semester hours
Oct 2–3, Nov 6–7
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

CH 6000 AFRICAN AMERICAN CHURCH HISTORY
David Daniels, PhD
General introduction to the emergence of Christianity among Americans
of African ancestry as reflected in the development of an independent reli-
gious institution known as the Black Church.
MA in UM Church History Elective /
MATS Historical and Global Studies • 3 semester hours
Mondays, September 14 – December 14
7:00–10:00pm

PT 7450 URBAN MINISTRY PRACTICUM
Michael Reynolds, DMin.
Focus: urban church education. A practicum that aims to develop skills in
structuring Christian education curricula for a particular urban church set-
ing. Opportunities for the student to acquire or increase practical experi-
ence and skill in working in, or restructuring, such areas as Sunday school
evaluation, curriculum evaluation and selection, and adult education
programming with the unique opportunities and problems of the city in
mind. Enrollment limited to MA UM students in this program with empha-
sis in Urban Ministry.
MA in UM core • 3 semester hours
Starting Thursdays, September 14 – December 14
5:00–7:00pm

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ST 7395 HERMENEUTICS
Sigurd Grindheim, PhD
The art and science of biblical interpretation through the study of various
interpretive approaches. The skills necessary for proper Biblical inter-
pretation will be taught and developed through the examination of select
passages of Scripture.
MATS Theological Studies / MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Jan 22–23, Feb 19–20, Mar 11–12
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

OT 5100 ENGLISH BIBLE
TBD
Demonstration of inductive Bible study method and treatment of the spe-
cial teaching of a particular book or books of the Old Testament based on
the English text.
MATS Biblical Studies / MA in UM core • 3 semester hours
Jan 15–16, Mar 18–19, Apr 23–24
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

ST 5101 SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY I
Bruce Fields, PhD
This course begins by clarifying the nature, method, and necessity of
theology. Discussion then moves to the doctrine of Scripture, including
revelation, inspiration, illumination, and inerrancy. This course concludes
with the study of the existence and nature of God (including the Trinity),
God’s works of creation (including angels), and providence.
MA in UM / MDiv core / MATS Theological Studies • 3 semester hours
Jan 22–23, Feb 19–20, Mar 18–19
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

OT 5000 INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT
Willem VanGemeren, PhD
An introduction to the literature of the Old Testament, the history of Israel,
critical issues of Old Testament formation, method in Old Testament study,
and the theology of the Old Testament. Build a firm foundation for under-
standing God’s Word.
MA in UM core / MATS Biblical Studies • 4 semester hours
Dates TBA
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm
EM 5125  TEACHING & LEARNING
Timothy Baldwin, MA
This course examines how Christian teachers can deepen their conceptual understanding and educational skills as they communicate Gospel teaching in a variety of contexts. Topics addressed include maturing in Christ as a Christian teacher, developmental learning theories, teaching strategies, teaching the Bible, evaluation tools, teaching teachers, and the roles of both the teacher and the learner during the teaching and learning process.

MATS Historical and Global Studies / MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Feb 5–6, Mar 4–5, Apr 1–2
Fridays, 6:00pm–10:00 pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–5:00pm

*Courses offered may be subject to change

TBD: Contact Site Coordinator or check our website for TBD information

PT 7471  URBAN MINISTRY PROJECT DESIGN/RESEARCH
Michael Reynolds, DMin
Research and design for professional projects involving pastoral ministry and outreach in an urban context. Includes a careful statement of specific project activities, measurable objectives, and evaluation procedures. Prerequisite: completion of all classroom studies for the MA Urban Ministry. Enrollment limited to MA UM students in this program emphasis.

MA in UM core • 2 semester hours
Starting Jan 7/Thursdays 7:00pm–8:00pm

PT 7472  URBAN MINISTRY PROJECT REPORT
Michael Reynolds, DMin
Implementation of the project designed in PT 7471, including adjustments as necessary to meet the needs of participants. Prerequisite: PT 7471.

MA in UM core • 3 semester hours.
Starting Jan 7Thursdays, 8:00pm–9:00pm

PR 5500  APOLOGETICS
Bruce Fields, PhD
An introduction to the discipline of Christian apologetics, its relation to theology and evangelism, and its place in Christian ministry. Selected intellectual challenges to core Christian claims for contemporary culture (e.g., the existence of God, the problem of evil, the resurrection of Jesus Christ, religious pluralism), along with Christian responses to those challenges, are explored.

MATS Theological Studies / MDiv core • 2 semester hours
Apr 8–9, May 6–7
Fridays, 6:00pm–9:30pm; Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm

EM 5210  CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP
William Donahue, PhD
Consideration of the nature and responsibilities of leadership for church and Christian ministry organizations. Case studies will be used to assist participants in applying leadership theory to practice.

MATS Elective/MDiv core • 2 semester hours
Apr 1–2, May 12–13 (Dates are tentative)
Fridays, 6:30pm–9:30pm, Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm

PT 5145  INTRODUCTION TO URBAN STRUCTURE
Michael Reynolds, DMin
An examination of the history of urbanization with special attention to recent urban trends. Analysis of urban systems in the metropolitan context, with focus on the dynamics, problems, and opportunities in the central city. Students are challenged to reflect on the implications for ministry and the mission of the church in an urban environment.

MA in UM core/ MATS Elective • 3 semester hours
Jan 11 through May, 2016 /Monday Nights 5:00pm–7:00pm
COLUMBUS, OHIO

Course Location: XENOS Christian Fellowship, 1340 Community Park Drive, Columbus OH 43229

For Information: Josh Benadum at 614.823.6510 x1226 or benadumj@xenos.org or Trinity’s Extension Office at 800.588.7705

Course Times: Classes meet on weekends; 7:00–10:00pm on Fridays & 8:30–4:30pm on Saturdays.

Enrollment: For registration instructions go to: divinity.tiu.edu/extension-site/columbus-oh/

Tuition: Call Josh Benadum for credit and noncredit tuition for the 2015–2016 academic year. Complete payment to Trinity for courses is expected by or before the first class meeting.

SUMMER 2015

NT 6000 PHILOSOPHY OF HISTORY & THE HISTORICAL CASE FOR JESUS
Mike Licona, PhD
This course examines foundational issues behind historical inquiry. Focal areas include matters pertaining to the philosophy of history and historical method in regard to assessing the resurrection of Jesus. This course is designed to investigate the relevant issues and prepare the student to be conversant on them.

MATS Biblical Studies • 3 semester hours.
Conference wrap around July 15–18, 2015
Wednesday–Saturday

FALL 2015

ST 5102 THEOLOGY II: CHRISTOLOGY AND SOTERIOLOGY
David Luy, PhD
Study the person and work of Christ, the nature of man as creature, sinner, and saint, and the nature and application of salvation.

MATS Theological Studies / MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Friday, 7:00pm–10:00pm, Saturday, 8:30am–4:30pm

NT 5100 ENGLISH BIBLE: ROMANS
David Sloan, PhD
A study in to the literature, history, and theology of the letter to the Romans.

MATS Biblical Studies • 3 semester hours
Fridays, 7:00pm–10:00pm/Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm

SPRING 2016

OT 5000 INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT
John Monson, PhD
Study the literature, history, theology, and criticism of the Old Testament. Build a firm foundation for understanding God’s Word.

MATS Biblical Studies • 3 semester hours
Jan 15–16, Feb 5–6, Mar 18–19, Apr 8–9, May 6–7
Fridays, 7:00pm–10:00pm/Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm

CH 6000 JONATHAN EDWARDS, THE GREAT AWAKENING AND THE RISE OF EVANGELICALISM
Doug Sweeney, PhD
This course will focus on the life, work, and ministry of the Rev. Jonathan Edwards, the most important theologian in all of evangelical history. It will also treat his roles in the eighteenth-century revivals in both Europe and America, sometimes called “the Great Awakening,” and the rise of modern evangelicalism. Class will treat Edwards’ life, thought, and legacies, especially for evangelicals. The students will 1) gain understanding of the life, ministry practices, and writings of Jonathan Edwards and related leaders of early modern Protestantism; 2) grow in their understanding of Christian ministry and theology from the example of Jonathan Edwards; 3) gain confidence in using the Christian tradition in their ministries—to preach and teach theology; to help other Christians with issues of spiritual, doctrinal, and ecclesial identity; and to make more faithful disciples of those whom God calls them to serve.

MATS Historical and Global studies / MDiv elective • 3 semester hours
Jan 29–30, Feb 11–12, Feb 26–27, Apr 29–30
Fridays, 7:00pm–10:00pm/Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm

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## INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

**Course Location:** College Park Church, 2606 W. 96th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46268

**For Information:** Kelly Alexander at 317.532.8610 or kalexander@yourchurch.com or Trinity's Extension Office at 800.588.7705

**Course Times:** Weekend classes meet 6:00–9:00pm on Fridays & 9:00–5:00pm on Saturdays.

**Enrollment:** For registration instructions go to: divinity.tiu.edu/extension–site/indianapolis–in/

**Tuition:** Regular tuition for the 2015–2016 academic year is $420 per semester hour of credit. Tuition for noncredit (those not earning graduate level credit) is $225 per course. Complete payment to Trinity for courses is expected by or before the first class meeting.

**Course Rotation:** As an aid to help you map out a plan to complete your degree, the following is a schedule of courses that the Indianapolis site will offer on a three–year rotation. Although variations may occasionally occur, every attempt is made to follow this schedule:

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## COURSES OFFERED*

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### FALL 2015

**ST 5101 | INTRODUCTION TO THEOLOGY I**
Emanuel Naydenov, PhD

This course begins by clarifying the nature, method, and necessity of theology. Discussion then moves to the doctrine of Scripture, including revelation, inspiration, illumination, and inerrancy. This course concludes with the study of the existence and nature of God (including the Trinity), God’s works of creation (including angels), and providence.

MATS Theological Studies / MDiv core 3 semester hours
Aug 28–29; Oct 9–10; Nov 6–7; Dec 4–5
Fridays, 6:00pm–9:00 pm; Saturdays, 9:00 am–5:00 pm

**EM 5210 | CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP AND ADMINISTRATION**
Joe Bartemus, PhD

Consideration of the nature and responsibilities of leadership for church and Christian ministry organizations. Case studies will be used to assist participants in applying leadership theory to practice.

MATS Elective / MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Fridays, 6:00pm–9:00 pm; Saturdays, 9:00 am–5:00 pm

### SPRING 2016

**PT 5000 | PERSONAL ASSESSMENT AND MINISTRY ORIENTATION**
Phil Sell, PhD

Designed to assist in personal assessment of character temperament, learning style, talents, abilities and gifts, ministry and relational skills, and other traits relevant to ministry. Based on these assessments, students will develop a personal plan to accomplish their goals through course work and an integrative paper. Should be taken during first or second semester of enrollment. $40 materials fee for the course.

MATS/MDiv core • 1 semester hour
Feb 19–20
Fridays, 6:00 pm–9:00 pm; Saturdays, 9:00 am–5:00 pm

**HM 5000 | THEOLOGY AND METHODOLOGY OF BIBLICAL PREACHING**
Greg Scharf, PhD

Study the theological foundations for preaching and a critical analysis of the process of sermon preparation with an emphasis upon biblical integrity and structural soundness.

MATS Elective / MDiv core 2 semester hours
Jan 22–23, Feb 19–20, Apr 1–2
Fridays, 6:00 pm–9:00 pm; Saturdays, 9:00 am–5:00 pm

**OT 5000 | INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT**
Dennis Magary, PhD

Study the literature, history, theology, and criticism of the Old Testament. Build a firm foundation for understanding God’s Word.

MATS Biblical Studies • 4 semester hours
Jan 15–16, Feb 12–13, Mar 18–19, Apr 8–9, May 6–7
Fridays, 6:00 pm–9:00 pm; Saturdays, 9:00 am–5:00 pm

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MADISON, WISCONSIN
Course Location: High Point Christian Studies Center, 7702 Old Sauk Road, Madison WI, 53717

For Information: Brandon Ellis at 608.836.3236 x155 or bellis@highpointchurch.org or Trinity’s Extension Office at 800.588.7705

Course Times: Weeknight classes meet 6:30–9:30 pm. Weekend classes meet 6:30–9:30pm on Fridays & 8:30am–4:30pm on Saturdays.

Enrollment: For registration instructions go to: divinity.tiu.edu/extension-site/madison-wi/

Tuition: Call Brandon Ellis for credit and noncredit tuition for the 2015–2016 academic year. Complete payment to Trinity for courses is expected by or before the first class meeting.

Course Rotation: As an aid to help you map out a plan to complete your degree, the following is a schedule of courses that the Madison site will offer on a three-year rotation. Although variations may occasionally occur, every attempt is made to follow this schedule:

YEAR “A”
ST 5101 Introduction to Theology (3)
CH 5010 History of Christianity (4)
CH/ME Class (3–4)
PT 5000 Personal Assessment/ Min. Orientation (1)
Free Elective (2–3)

YEAR “B”
ST 5102 Christ, Man, Sin and Salvation (3)
OT 5000 Introduction to the Old Testament (4)
Free Elective (2–3)
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YEAR “C”
ST 5103 Holy Spirit, Church and Last Things (3)
NT 5000 Introduction to the New Testament (4)
PT 5000 Personal Assessment/ Min. Orientation (1)
CH/ME Class (3–4)
Free Elective (2–3)
Free Elective (3)

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COURSE OFFERINGS*
(presently following Year “C”)*

FALL 2015

ME 7510 MISSIONAL CHURCH
David Gustafson, PhD
Examines the missional church in light of God’s mission in the world. This course gives special attention to the missional church movement within the post-Christendom context of the west. Various streams of missional church will be examined, as well as subjects such as: gospel, culture, holistic witness, community engagement, missional communities, disciplemaking, and leadership.

MATS Historical and Global Studies / MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Sept 11–12; Oct 2–3; Oct 23–24; Nov 13–14
Fri 6:30pm–9:30pm, Sat 8:30am–4:30pm

ST 5103 THEOLOGY III ECCLESIOLOGY AND ESCHATOLOGY
Bruce Fields, PhD
Study the doctrine of the church, particularly in light of the crucial theological questions of the day, the doctrine of the last things, and the person and work of the Holy Spirit.

MATS Historical and Global Studies • 3 semester hours
Aug 28–29; Sept 18–19; Nov 6–7; Dec 4–5
Fridays, 6:30pm–9:30 pm, Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm

SPRING 2016

NT 5000 INTRODUCTION TO THE NEW TESTAMENT
Garwood Anderson, PhD

MATS Biblical Studies • 4 semester hours
Jan 8–9; Feb 5–6; Mar 4–5; Apr 8–9; Apr 29–30
Fridays, 6:30pm–9:30 pm, Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm

PT 5000 PERSONAL ASSESSMENT AND MINISTRY ORIENTATION
Phil Sell, PhD
Designed to assist in personal assessment of character temperament, learning style, talents, abilities and gifts, ministry and relational skills, and other traits relevant to ministry. Based on these assessments, students will develop a personal plan to accomplish their goals through course work and an integrative paper. Should be taken during first or second semester of enrollment. $40 materials fee for the course.

MATS/MDiv core 1 semester hour
Jan 29–30
Friday, 6:30pm–9:30pm, Saturday, 8:30am–4:30pm

HM 5000 THEOLOGY AND METHODOLOGY OF BIBLICAL PREACHING
Jared Alcantara, PhD
Study the theological foundations for preaching and a critical analysis of the process of sermon preparation with an emphasis upon biblical integrity and structural soundness.

MATS Elective/MDiv core • 2 semester hours
Jan 15–16; Feb 19–20; Mar 18–19
Fridays, 6:30pm–9:30pm Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

Course Location: Elmbrook Christian Study Center Elmbrook Church, 777 S. Barker Road, Brookfield WI 53045

For Information: Visit www.elmbrook.org/studycenter or contact the Registrar, Susie Berry at sberry@elmbrook.org or 262.364.5334 or Trinity's Extension Office at 800.588.7705

Course Times: Classes meet as indicated under course descriptions.

Enrollment: For registration instructions go to: divinity.tiu.edu/extension-site/milwaukee-wi/

Tuition: Tuition information is available on Elmbrook’s web-site for the 2015–2016 academic year. Complete payment to Trinity for courses is expected by or before the first class meeting.

Course Rotation: As an aid to help you map out a plan to complete your degree, the following is a schedule of courses that the Milwaukee site will offer on a yearly rotation (unless otherwise indicated). Although variations may occasionally occur, every attempt is made to follow this schedule:

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#### SUMMER 2015

**EM 5210  CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP AND ADMINISTRATION**

Tom Tunnicliff, EdD

Consideration of the nature and responsibilities of leadership for church and Christian ministry organizations. Case studies will be used to assist participants in applying leadership theory to practice.

**MATS Elective / MDiv core • 2 semester hours**

May 19, 21, 26, 28, June 2, 4, 9, 11

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 6:30pm–9:30pm

#### FALL 2015

Fall term runs from August 31 through December 17.

**NT 5100  ENGLISH BIBLE: REVELATION**

Dana Harris, PhD

Demonstration of inductive Bible study method and treatment of the special teaching of a particular book or books of the New Testament based on the English text. May be repeated for credit as the book studied changes.

**MATS Biblical Studies • 3 semester hours.**

Sept 11–12, Oct 9–10, Nov 13–14, Dec 11–12

Fridays, 6:30pm–9:30pm/Saturdays, 8:30am–4:30pm

**EM 5000  FOUNDATIONS IN EDUCATIONAL MINISTRY**

Tom Tunnicliff, EdD

How do the many and varied educational ministries of the church engage God’s people in growth towards maturity in Christ? This course briefly explores the central issues involved, including Biblical and theological foundations of educational ministry, discipleship, teaching and learning, curriculum development, administration, and team building. Specific applications will be made to a variety of ministries, including children’s, youth, adult, intergenerational, senior adult, and small groups.

**MATS elective 2 Semester Hours**

September 3–December 3 (No Class Nov 26, Thanksgiving Break) Every other Thursday, 6:30pm–9:30pm

**OT 5000  INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT**

Samir Massouh, MA, MDiv


**MATS Biblical Studies • 4 semester hours**

August 31–December 14 (No Class Sept 7, Labor Day Break)

Mondays, 6:30pm–9:15pm

**ST 5103  THEOLOGY III: HOLY SPIRIT, CHURCH, LAST THINGS**

Steve Roy, PhD

Study the doctrine of the church, particularly in light of the crucial theological questions of the day, the doctrine of the last things, and the person and work of the Holy Spirit.

**MATS Theological Studies / MDiv core • 3 semester hours**

September 2–December 16 (No class Nov 25, Thanksgiving Break)

Wednesdays, 6:30pm–9:15pm
### ID 6000 | BIBLE STUDY TOOLS

Justin Atkins, PhD cand.

The course surveys essential features of biblical Greek grammar in order to equip the student to make more productive use of concordances, lexicons, commentaries, software tools and other Bible study resources in their exegesis. Unlike traditional first-semester Greek, this course does not emphasize the extensive memorization of vocabulary or inflectional forms. Students will learn to use various tools and resources to find lexical and grammatical information, and then learn to apply this knowledge in the interpretation of the New Testament. Note: This course does not fulfill Greek proficiency requirements for the M.Div. or MA/NT programs. Students in these programs should take either NT 4030/4031 or NT 4038 (see course catalog for details).

**MATS Biblical Studies/ MATS Elective • 2 semester hours**

**September 3–December 3 (No Class Nov 26, Thanksgiving Break)**

**Thursdays, 6:30pm–8:30pm**

### NT 5100 | ENGLISH BIBLE: CORINTHIAN EPISTLES

David Seemuth, PhD

Demonstration of inductive Bible study method and treatment of the special teaching of a particular book or books of the New Testament based on the English text. May be repeated for credit as the book studied changes.

**MATS Biblical Studies 3 semester hours**

**September 3–December 17 (No Class Nov 26, Thanksgiving Break)**

**Thursdays, 6:30pm–9:15pm**

### CM 5000 | INTRODUCTION TO PASTORAL MINISTRY COUNSELING

Dan Green, PhD

An introduction to the principles and techniques involved in the pastoral ministry of care and counseling. The course emphasizes basic counseling skills and ability to relate to others. Biblical, theological, and ethical concerns in pastoral care ministry are discussed and an overview of common counseling concerns is presented.

**MATS Elective • 2 semester hours**

**September 2–December 16 (No class Nov 26, Thanksgiving Break)**

**Wednesdays, 6:30pm–9:15pm**

### CM 6000 | ISSUES IN COUNSELING MINISTRIES

Dan Green, PhD

Issues of interest related to pastoral counseling and counseling in ministry settings will be presented. Topics vary and are on a rotating basis. They include Spiritual Formation and Counseling, Bereavement Counseling, and Pastoral Counseling for Guilt, Shame, and Depression.

**MATS Elective • 1 semester hours**

**September 2–December 16 (No class Nov 26, Thanksgiving Break)**

**Wednesdays, 6:30pm–9:15pm**

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### SPRING 2016

#### NT 5000 | INTRODUCTION TO THE NEW TESTAMENT

David Seemuth, PhD


**MATS Biblical Studies • 4 semester hours**

**January 21–May 5 (No class March 10, Spring Break)**

**Thursdays, 6:30pm–9:15pm**

#### CO 6000 | GRIEF AND TRAUMA FROM A CHRISTIAN PERSPECTIVE

Dan Green, PhD

Comprehensive approach to the subject that will include the psychological response and a Christian understanding of hope and comfort.

**MATS Elective / MDiv Elective • 3 semester hours**

**January 20–May 4 (No class March 9, Spring Break)**

**Wednesdays, 6:30pm–9:15pm**

#### OT 5100 | ENGLISH BIBLE: MAJOR PROPHETS

Samir Massouh, MA, MDiv

Demonstration of inductive Bible study method and treatment of the special teaching of a particular book or books of the Old Testament based on the English text.

**MATS Biblical Studies 3 semester hours**

**Jan 22–23, Feb 19–20, Mar 18–19, Apr 22–23**

**Fridays 6:30pm–9:30pm; Saturdays 8:30am–4:30pm**

#### CH 5010 | HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY

Mel Lawrenz, PhD

The development of Christianity from the first century to the present, including the following are studied: the patristic period; the ecumenical councils; the development of a cultural and theological synthesis of the middle ages; the precursors, content, and personalities of the Protestant Reformation; the contributions of classical Protestant orthodoxy and subsequent rise of denominations; the rise of secularism and the “Enlightenment”; awakenings, revivals and missionary expansion; and theological trends.

**MATS Historical and Global Studies / MDiv core • 4 semester hours.**

**January 20–May 4 (No class March 9, Spring Break)**

**Wednesdays, 6:30pm–9:15pm**

#### EM 5510 | CHRISTIAN FORMATION AND JOURNEY

Richard Averbeck, PhD

An interactive exploration of the process of spiritual growth in the life of the believer, focusing on how the church has understood Christian spirituality and the process of Christ being formed in the believer. Special attention is given to the nature of the spiritual journey of the believer and the kind of educational interventions that are likely to enable spiritual growth in the people of God.

**MATS Elective / MDiv Elective • 2 semester hours**

**Feb 12–13, Mar 11–12, Apr 15–16**

**Fridays 6:30pm–9:30pm; Saturdays 8:30am–4:30pm**

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PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA

Course Location: North Way Christian Community, 12121 Perry Highway, Wexford PA 15090

For Information: Jon Mathieu at 724.935.6800 x3104 or jmathieu@northway.org or Trinity’s Extension Office at 800.588.7705

Course Times: Classes meet on weekends; 5:30–9:30pm on Fridays & 8:00am–12pm /12:45–3:15pm on Saturdays.

Enrollment: For registration instructions go to: divinity.tiu.edu/extension-site/pittsburgh-pa/

Tuition: Call Jon Mathieu for credit and noncredit tuition for the 2015–2016 academic year. Complete payment to Trinity for courses is expected by or before the first class meeting.

YEAR “A”

CH 5010 History of Christianity (4)
ST 5101 Systematic Theology I (3)
Free Elective (2–3)
Free Elective (2–3)
PT 5000 Personal Assessment/Ministry Orientation (1)

YEAR “B”

OT 5000 Introduction to the Old Testament (4)
ST 5102 Systematic Theology II: (3)
ME 5001 Foundations of Evangelism (2)
Free Elective (2–3)
Free Elective (2–3)
Free Elective (2–3)

YEAR “C”

NT 5000 Introduction to the New Testament (4)
ST 5103 Systematic Theology III: (3)
Free Elective (2–3)
Free Elective (2–3)
Free Elective (2–3)

COURSE OFFERINGS*
(presently following Year “B”)*

SUMMER 2015

ST 5102 THEOLOGY II: CHRISTOLOGY AND SOTERIOLOGY

Henry Knapp, PhD

Study the person and work of Christ, the nature of man as creature, sinner, and saint, and the nature and application of salvation.

MATS Theological Studies / MDiv core 3 semester hours
May 22–23, June 12–13, July 24–25, August 14–15
Fridays 5:30pm–9:30pm; Saturdays 8:00am–12:00pm/12:45pm–3:15pm

Fall 2015

OT 5000 INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT

Dennis Magary, PhD

Study the literature, history, theology, and criticism of the Old Testament. Build a firm foundation for understanding God’s Word.

MATS Biblical Studies • 4 semester hours
Aug 28–29; Sept 18–19; Oct 9–10; Nov 13–14, Dec 4–5
Fridays 5:30pm–9:30pm; Saturdays 8:00am–12:00pm/12:45pm–3:15pm

ME 5001 FOUNDATIONS OF EVANGELISM

Dee Yaccino, PhD

This course will provide the graduate student with the content and the context for developing a biblical and theological understanding of evangelism. Through lecture, open discussion, small group interaction, and field experience, the student will develop convictions, skills, and confidence in communicating the gospel while learning how to reproduce these in a local setting, whether it be church, a university or high school campus, or in a multicultural context. Additionally, there will be a strong emphasis on encouraging the student to develop a biblical philosophy of ministry that reflects a balance of both the theoretical and practical perspectives of evangelism.

MATS Historical and Global Studies / MDiv core • 2 semester hours.
Sept 11–12, Oct 16–17, Nov 20–21
Fridays 5:30pm–9:30pm; Saturdays 8:00am–12:00pm/12:45pm–3:15pm

Spring 2016

EM 5125 TEACHING AND LEARNING

Tim Baldwin, MA

This course examines how Christian teachers can deepen their conceptual understanding and educational skills as they communicate Gospel teaching in a variety of contexts. Topics addressed include maturing in Christ as a Christian teacher, developmental learning theories, teaching strategies, teaching the Bible, evaluation tools, teaching teachers, and the roles of both the teacher and the learner during the teaching and learning process.

MATS Elective / MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Jan 22–23, Feb 12–13, Mar 11–12, Apr 15–16
Fridays 5:30pm–9:30pm; Saturdays 8:00am–12:00pm/12:45pm–3:15pm

ME 7510 MISSIONAL CHURCH

David Gustafson, PhD

Examines the missional church in light of God’s mission in the world. This course gives special attention to the missional church movement within the post-Christendom context of the west. Various streams of missional church will be examined, as well as subjects such as: gospel, culture, holistic witness, community engagement, missional communities, discipleship, and leadership.

MATS Historical and Global Studies / MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Jan 15–16, Feb 19–20, Apr 1–2, Apr 22–23
Fridays 5:30pm–9:30pm; Saturdays 8:00am–12:00pm/12:45pm–3:15pm

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KANSAS CITY, KANSAS

Course Location: Christ Community Evangelical Free Church, Leawood Campus, 14200 Kenneth Road, Leawood, KS 66224

For Information: Martin Cramer, 913.685.2124 or martinc@ceefc.org or Trinity’s Extension Office at 800.588.7705

Accreditation: TEDS is in the process of securing authorization from the Kansas Board of Regents to operate the site, followed by an application for accreditation by the ATS and HLC. Check with the Extension Office for the current status of this authorization.

FALL 2015

ID 5000 BIBLICAL THEOLOGY AND INTERPRETATION
Thomas McCall, PhD

A survey of biblical theology, including methodological issues of debate during the last two centuries. Emphasis on the Bible’s storyline, examining how the books and corpora of the Bible contribute to the unfolding history of redemption. Attention is given to themes of temple, sacrifice, priest, rest, kingship, exile, idolatry, promise, messiah, wisdom, and others. Finally, the relationship of biblical theology with other disciplines, especially exegesis and systematic theology, is considered.

MATS Biblical Studies/ MDiv core • 3 semester hours
Sept 18–19; Oct 9–10; Nov 13–14, Dec 11–12
Fridays 5:30–9:30pm; Saturdays 8:00am–12:00pm/12:45pm–3:15pm

SPRING 2016

PT 7860 CULTURAL SOCIAL EXEGESIS
Peter Cha, PhD

This course seeks to equip the student to critically analyze the social and cultural context of today’s changing world from a biblical and theologically informed perspective. Special attention will be given to the social processes that have historically shaped our culture, from the post – 1800s urbanization to postmodernism. The course will then seek to help the student to understand the dialectic relationship between the church and its surrounding culture/society and the church’s prophetic call to be a change-producing agent.

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TRINITY EXTENSION FACULTY

Jared Alcantara earned his PhD from Princeton Theological Seminary. He is an Assistant Professor of Homiletics at TEDS. His teaching and research is primarily in Homiletics. He was born and raised in New Jersey and gave his life to Christ at the age of fourteen. He is half-Latino (Honduran) and half-white. He has served as a youth pastor and associate pastor in Illinois, Massachusetts, and Oregon and, from 2010–2014, he was a part-time teaching pastor in Ewing, New Jersey. He is an ordained Baptist minister. Jared lives in the Chicagoland area with his wife, Jennifer, and their three daughters. He plays piano, enjoys disc golf, and is a rabid Philadelphia Eagles fan. He started at Trinity in 2014.


J. D. Atkins is PhD candidate at Marquette University. He holds a ThM from TEDS. He has taught courses in Biblical Greek and New Testament at TEDS, Marquette, and Nashotah House Theological Seminary. He has also served as a missionary in the Philippines, where he taught New Testament at Asian Theological Seminary. His publications include articles in Lexham Bible Dictionary and the Bulletin for Biblical Research.

Richard Averbeck earned his PhD from Annenberg Research Institute (formerly Dropsie College) in Philadelphia. His areas of expertise include the Pentateuch; ancient Near Eastern history and languages; Old Testament criticism; Hebrew; and biblical counseling. Averbeck coauthored The Word and Its World: An Introduction to the Old Testament.

Tim Baldwin holds MA degrees in Biblical Studies from Covenant Theological Seminary and in Education from Maryville University. He has served as a middle/high school teacher, director of an urban immigrant ministry, and community college/seminary instructor. He is currently working on his PhD in Education at TEDS under Dr. Donald Guthrie and Peter Cha, and teaching courses at TEDS’ South Chicago Regional center and Deerfield campus.

Joe Bartemus Earned his DMin from Southern Seminary. He is the Pastor of Theological Development at College Park Church in Indianapolis, Indiana where he has served for 16 years. Among his responsibilities is to develop and train future leaders in the church and be the main teacher in the Bible institute there. He has also taught Greek as an adjunct at Crossroads Bible College

Peter Cha earned his PhD from Northwestern University. He serves as an Associate Professor of Practical Theology at TEDS. Prior to joining the Trinity faculty, Dr. Cha was involved in a number of different ministries, including youth and young adult ministry in Korean immigrant churches, campus ministry with InterVarsity Christian Fellowship, church planting and pastoring a multiethnic congregation. He is currently a board member for Catalyst Leadership Cent (an Asian North American Christian Leadership organization) and of InterVarsity Christian Fellowship, USA. Dr. Cha is a co-author of Following Jesus without Dishonoring Your Parents: Asian American Discipleship (IVP, 1998) and Growing Healthy Asian American Churches (IVP, 2006). He also contributed chapters to Telling the Truth: Evangelizing Postmoderns (Zondervan, 2000), Korean Americans and Their Religions (PENN State University Press, 2001), This Side of Heaven: Race, Ethnicity, and Christian Faith (Oxford University Press, 2006) and Honoring the Generations: Learning with Asian North American Congregations (Judson Press, 2012).

David Daniels earned his PhD in Church History from Union Theological Seminary in New York. Dr. Daniels currently serves as an associate professor of Church History at McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago, Illinois. He has contributed articles to a number of theological journals and has lectured extensively throughout the States and abroad.

William Donahue earned his PhD from the University of North Texas. He currently serves as an Associate Professor of Pastoral Theology at TEDS. Dr. Donahue served in various pastoral roles in churches in Texas, Pennsylvania and Illinois, including 18 years with Willow Creek Community Church and the Willow Creek Association. While at Willow Creek he developed leadership strategies and events for over 10,000 leaders on 6 continents. He is also Founder and President of The LeaderSync Group, Inc., a leadership development and consulting organization. His areas of expertise include organizational strategy, team building, leadership development, and transformational community. Bill has published over 20 books and leadership training resources, including the best-selling Leading Life-Changing Small Groups, Coaching Life-Changing Leaders (with Greg Bowman), Building a Life-Changing Small Group Ministry (with Russ Robinson). His newest work is a collaborative effort with Les Parrott called Small Group Insights, an online assessment and learning tool for building authentic relationships in any group or team.

John Feinberg is chair of the Department of Biblical and Systematic Theology and professor of biblical and systematic theology at TEDS. He has been at Trinity since 1983. Dr. Feinberg has taught at many seminaries throughout the US and around the world in counties such as Germany, Italy, the Netherlands and Greece. Dr. Feinberg earned the Doctor of Philosophy and the Master of Arts in philosophy from the University of Chicago; and the Master of Theology in systematic theology from TEDS. Dr. Feinberg’s areas of expertise include evil and suffering, ethics, divorce and remarriage, biblical prophecy, contemporary theology and philosophy, salvation, and apologetics. Dr. Feinberg has written numerous articles and books. Among others he is the author of Deceived by God: A Journey Through the Experience of Suffering (Crossway, 1997), and No One Like Him: The Doctrine of God (Crossway, 2001).

Bruce Fields is currently Associate Professor of Biblical and Systematic Theology at TEDS where he also serves as a Department Chair of the Biblical and Systematic Theology Department. He earned his PhD at Marquette University. He also holds an MDIV and THM degrees from TEDS. Dr. Fields’ areas of expertise include Pauline studies and liberation and black theology. He is a member of the Evangelical Theological Society and the Society of Biblical Literature. He is the author of Black Theology: 3 Crucial Questions for the Evangelical Church. Prior to coming to Trinity, Dr. Fields was on staff for six years with Campus Crusade for Christ.

Daniel Green earned his PhD at the University of Arkansas and has co-authored four books on guilt and shame and on grief and trauma. He is currently clinical director of New Life Resources and consultant for the lay counseling ministry of Elmbrook Church.
Sigurd Grindheim comes from Beeson Divinity School where he taught New Testament and Greek. Before moving to the U.S. in 1998, he worked as a Bible translator, Study Bible editor, Bible school teacher, freelance journalist, and itinerant preacher in Norway. He has also served as assistant pastor in the Norwegian Lutheran Memorial Church in Chicago. His scholarly articles can be read in such journals as Biblical Journal of Biblical Literature, and Journal for the Study of the New Testament.

David Gustafson earned a PhD in Church History from Linköping University, Linköping, Sweden, and a DM in from Fuller Seminary. He served twenty-five years in ministry, first, as campus director with Campus Crusade for Christ at Fresno State University in California, and then as pastor in two Evangelical Free churches in the Great Lakes District. He has taught courses in Christianity and church history at Augustana College, North Park Theological Seminary, and the University of Houston. His most recent work is titled: “Swedish Pietism and American Revivalism: Kindred Spirits in the Evangelical Free Tradition,” published in The Pietist Impulse in Christianity by Pickwick/Wipf and Stock. He and his wife, Sharon, have four children. He enjoys cycling, backpacking, and cooking stir-fry.

Jay Halley earned his DMin at TEDS. He currently serves as Pastor of Outreach at The Chapel, a multi-campus church in Sandusky, OH. Prior to his current ministry he served on the pastoral staff at The Chapel, with campuses in Akron and Green, Ohio. Dr. Halley has been involved in teaching evangelism, and pastoral functions classes for TEDS for many years.

Dana M. Harris earned her PhD in New Testament from Trinity. She is an Assistant Professor of New Testament at Trinity Evangelical Divinity School. From 2001 to 2006, Dr. Harris served as an adjunct instructor of New Testament at Trinity. She has been an Instructor of New Testament since 2006. Her research interests include Hebrews, Revelation, Greek syntax, linguistics, hermeneutics, and Second Temple Literature, particularly apocalyptic literature, and archaeology.

Henry Knapp earned a PhD in Systematic Theology from Calvin Seminary, MI. He currently serves as a teaching pastor at First Presbyterian Church, Beaver, PA and as an adjunct instructor of Theology at Geneva College, PA. Dr. Knapp has been a regular contributor to teaching for TEDS extensions and the author of multiple articles in the areas of theology, history and biblical interpretation.

Mel Lawrenz holds earned his PhD in Historical Theology from Marquette University. He is a former senior pastor of Elmbrook Church and now serves as a Minister-At-Large. He began serving at Elmbrook Church in 1980. Mel became senior pastor of Elmbrook in 2000 after serving under Stuart Briscoe’s leadership for twenty years. Mel has a passion for writing which has given rise to eight books, the latest, I Want to Believe: Finding Your Way in an Age of Many Faiths.

Don Lichi earned his PhD in Psychology from the University of Akron, OH. He is a licensed psychologist who currently serves as a President/CEO of Chapel Hill Christian School (Cuyahoga Falls and Green OH). His prior experience includes working for EMERGE Ministries, Inc. (Akron, OH), as well as with AGAPE Counseling Service and R.E. Mosteller & Associates, Inc. (Cuyahoga Falls, OH) doing individual, marriage, and family counseling. Dr. Lichi’s prior teaching experience includes teaching positions at the University of Akron and Ashland Theological Seminary.

Mike Licona earned his PhD in New Testament Studies from the University of Pretoria. He serves as Associate Professor in theology at Houston Baptist University. He is the author of numerous books including The Resurrection of Jesus: A New Historiographical Approach (IVP Academic, 2010), Paul Meets Muhammad (Baker, 2006), co-author with Gary Habermas of the award-winning book The Case for the Resurrection of Jesus (Kregel, 2004) and co-editor with William Dembski of Evidence for God: 50 Arguments for Faith from the Bible, History, Philosophy, and Science (Baker, 2010). Mike is a member of the Evangelical Philosophical Society, the Institute for Biblical Research, and the Society of Biblical Literature. He has spoken on more than 50 university campuses, and has appeared on dozens of radio and television programs.

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Denis R. Magary is department Chair of the Old Testament and Semitic Languages at Trinity. He earned his PhD at the University of Wisconsin, Madison. Along with his extensive experience as an educator, he has served in a variety of ministries, including the role of assistant pastor. He has an active teaching and preaching ministry in both the United States and internationally. He is the editor, with Dr. James Hoffmeier, of Do Historical Matters Matter to Faith: A Critical Appraisal of Modern and Post-Modern Approaches to Scripture (Crossway).

Samir Massouh is an Associate Professor of Biblical Studies and Chair of the Biblical Studies Department at Trinity College. He earned both an MA and MDiv at TEDS, served as a pastor at Elmbrook Church, Milwaukee, Wisconsin and contributed to the Expositor’s Bible Commentary and the New International Dictionary of Old Testament Theology and Exegesis.

Thomas McCall is an Assistant Professor of Biblical and Systematic Theology at TEDS. He earned his PhD from Calvin Theological Seminary, where he has taught philosophy. He has pastored churches in Alaska and Michigan; he has also taught philosophy at Calvin College. His research interests focus on the doctrines of the Trinity, Incarnation, Atonement, and Providence, as well as theological prolegomena. He has contributed to Philosophy Christi, the Trinity Journal and the International Journal of Systematic Theology, and he is a member of the Evangelical Philosophical Society, the Society of Christian Philosophers, and the Wesleyan Theological Society.

David McClellan earned a Ph.D. in Rhetoric & Communication from Duquesne University, PA. He has seventeen years of full-time pastoral ministry in small, medium, and mega-churches. He currently serves as the senior pastor of The Chapel at Tinkers Creek, OH. Dr. McClellan has been a regular contributor to teaching for TEDS extension sites in the areas of biblical teaching and homiletics.

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extension Faculty

Alice Ott earned her PhD in Theological Studies from TEDS. She served as a missionary in Germany for twenty-one years. Her areas of expertise include German Pietism, Pietist missions, and the history of the missionary movement. She has contributed chapters to various academic volumes on Pietism. Likewise, Dr. Ott’s research on the religious history of the Harmony Society was published in 2014 as *The Sunwoman in the Wilderness*. She has published an article on the role of gender, race, and world mission in the *Journal of Studies in World Christianity*.

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