
MASTER OF THEOLOGY (M.Th.) PROGRAM

1. Goals of the Program

- a. To equip persons for teaching the Word of God, and to develop academic proficiency for independent research.
- b. To develop the student's ability to articulate and defend the uniqueness and inerrancy of the Word of God.
- c. To train the student to demonstrate high communication skills necessary for an effective teaching ministry.

2. Admission Requirements for a 2 Year M.Th.

- a. Experience of conversion to Christ.
- b. A definite call for full-time ministry.
- c. Ability to do independent Greek and Hebrew exegesis.
- d. M.Div. with C+ grade (75%).
- e. A pass in an entrance examination in Theology, Greek, Hebrew and English with C+.

3. Admission Requirements for a 4 Year M.Th.

- a. Experience of conversion to Christ.
- b. A definite call for full-time ministry.
- c. An instinct to learn Greek and Hebrew.
- d. Promotion to the third year is conditional. It is based on the assessment of the candidate. If the candidate is not eligible for the third year, he may have to complete the requirements for the 2 year M.Div. program.
- e. A bachelor degree in Theology with C+ grade (75%).
- f. A pass in an entrance examination in Theology, Greek, and English with C+.

4. Medium of Study

M.Th. is offered only in English medium.

5. Graduation Requirements

- a. Successful completion of 60 credits of course work for those who join with M.Div. Successful completion of 140 credits of course work for those who join with a bachelor degree in Theology. Each credit amounts to 16 class hours consisting of 50 minutes and 32 hours of research. Thus, a four credit course involves 64 hours of class room study and 128 hours of research.
- b. An assessment of teaching ability based on the performance of teaching practicum in the B.Th. Level.
- c. An assessment of Field education involvement. Field education assists students to learn about the practice of ministry through direct involvement in the assembly assigned, under the direction of the Academic Dean. Students are required to complete two years of planned, supervised, and evaluated field education in a setting approved by the Academic Dean.
- d. Successful completion of an approved thesis of not less than 30,000 words.
- e. Successful completion of an oral and written Comprehensive examination covering the course work and thesis.

6. Subjects Required for a 2- Year M.Th. in Christian Theology

FIRST YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER	
	Systems of Theology	3 Credit Hours
	History of Theological Movements	2 Credit Hours
	Systematic Theology	3 Credit Hours
	History of Dogma	3 Credit Hours
	Advanced Bibliology	2 Credit Hours
	Biblical Theology of Missions	3 Credit Hours
	O.T. Exegetical works	2 Credit Hours
	Nouthetic Counseling	2 Credit Hours
	Total	20 Credit Hours
	SECOND SEMESTER	
	Dogmatic Theology	3 Credit Hours
	Advanced Apologetics	3 Credit Hours
	Contemporary Theology	3 Credit Hours
	Comparative Theology	3 Credit Hours
Biblical Basis of Ethics	2 Credit Hours	
Senior Theology	3 Credit Hours	
N.T. Exegetical works	3 Credit Hours	
Total	20 Credit Hours	
SECOND YEAR	THIRD SEMESTER	
	Senior Teaching	6 Credit Hours
	Senior Preaching	6 Credit Hours
	Total	12 Credit Hours
	FOURTH SEMESTER	
	Thesis	8 Credit Hours
	Oral and written Comprehensive Examination	
Total	8 Credit Hours	
T O T A L		60 CREDIT HOURS

7. Subjects Required for a 4 Year M.Th. in Christian Theology

FIRST YEAR	First Semester	
	O.T. Introduction	3 Credit Hours
	O.T. History	3 Credit Hours
	O.T. Theology	3 Credit Hours
	A Special Study on Genesis	3 Credit Hours
	Hebrew I	3 Credit Hours
	Greek Syntax	2 Credit Hours
	Research Methodology	3 Credit Hours
	Total	20 Credit Hours
	Second Semester	
	N.T. Introduction	3 Credit Hours
N.T. History	3 Credit Hours	

	N.T. Theology	3 Credit Hours
	Hebrew II	3 Credit Hours
	Practice of Textual Criticism	3 Credit Hours
	Christian Communication	2 Credit Hours
	A Special Study on the Book of Revelation	3 Credit Hours
		20 Credit Hours
SECOND YEAR	Third Semester	
	Dispensationalism	3 Credit Hours
	Hebrew III	3 Credit Hours
	Greek Exegesis I (1 Corinthians)	3 Credit Hours
	Advanced Hermeneutics	3 Credit Hours
	Philosophy of Religion	2 Credit Hours
	A Special Study on John's Gospel	3 Credit Hours
	A Study on Inter-testamental Period	3 Credit Hours
		20 Credit Hours
	Fourth Semester	
	Hebrew Exegesis (Selected Psalms)	3 Credit Hours
	Greek Exegesis II (Philippians)	3 Credit Hours
	A Critique of Theological Appraisal of Modern Movements	3 Credit Hours
	History of Brethren Movement	3 Credit Hours
	Christian Leadership	2 Credit Hours
Psychology and Christian Counselling*	2 Credit Hours	
A Critical Study on Roman Catholicism*	2 Credit Hours	
Issues Facing Christianity Today*	2 Credit Hours	
	20 Credit Hours	
THIRD YEAR	Fifth Semester	
	Systems of Theology	3 Credit Hours
	History of Theological Movements	2 Credit Hours
	Systematic Theology	3 Credit Hours
	History of Dogma	3 Credit Hours
	Advanced Bibliology	2 Credit Hours
	Biblical Theology of Missions	3 Credit Hours
	O.T. Exegetical works	2 Credit Hours
	Nouthetic Counselling	2 Credit Hours
		20 Credit Hours
	Sixth Semester	
	Dogmatic Theology	3 Credit Hours
	Advanced Apologetics	3 Credit Hours
	Contemporary Theology	3 Credit Hours
	Comparative Theology	3 Credit Hours
Biblical Basis of Ethics	2 Credit Hours	
Senior Theology	3 Credit Hours	
N.T. Exegetical works	3 Credit Hours	
	20 Credit Hours	

FOURTH YEAR	Seventh Semester	
	Senior Teaching	6 Credit Hours
	Senior Preaching	6 Credit Hours
		12 Credit Hours
	Eighth Semester	
	Thesis	8 Credit Hours
	Oral and written Comprehensive Examination	---
		8 Credit Hours
	T O T A L	
	140 EDIT HOURS	

* Those who are not eligible for a promotion to the third year may write thesis instead of these subjects to be eligible for M.Div. They need to pass a written Comprehensive Examination also.