

The Original Cape Fear and Southwestern Free Will Baptist Annual Conference 2801 Mount Pisgah Church Road Sanford, North Carolina 27332

# MINISTERS TRAINING INSTITUTE

## Fall 2021

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Greetings to All Ministers,

It is with great pleasure that we extend another wonderful opportunity for all ministers of the gospel to sharpen their tools. The **Minister's Training Institute (MTI)** was designed with the sole purpose of better equipping our preachers and pastors for the work of the ministry. Being housed at Star of Hope in Sanford makes it more centrally located for our conference churches. We have great instructors eager and willing to teach. We have a biblically sound curriculum. We have made the classes available to our ministers at no cost. The one thing we are often lacking are students to meet the minimum enrollment in some of our classes.

We have heard numerous testimonies from those who have attended MTI in the past. All of these students agree that the teachings they learned through attending MTI have made them better prepared as a minister. The Apostle Paul encourages young Timothy to *study to shew himself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.* It is with this purpose in mind that we encourage all clergy to take full advantage of this wonderful opportunity.

It is expected that all clergy will engage in some form of formal learning on a consistent basis in order to have their license renewed. MTI can serve as the vehicle in acquiring the credits needed for renewal as well as create an environment that fosters learning and godly fellowship. It is our desire that each minister will be the best that they can be and I truly believe that MTI can help to serve in obtaining this goal. As we serve this present age, we need to be sure that we have done all that we can do to prepare ourselves. Being fully prepared positions us that we might make full use of the ministry which we have been given through Jesus Christ our Lord.

We look forward to having you join us at the Minister's Training Institute.

In His Service, Bishop Frederick E. Clarida, Sr.

Bishop Frederick E. Clarida, Sr. Presiding Bishop

Bishop Frederick E. Clarida, Sr., President Bishop Wayne E. McKoy, Sr., Vice President Mother Brenda Williams, Secretary Elder Angela Smith, Assistant Secretary



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To My Co-Laborers in Christ,

Grace and peace to you from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ!

As we come to the end of another semester at the Ministers' Training Institute, I salute all who have successfully completed your classes through MTI and I would like to take this opportunity to encourage others to consider enrolling today. Please don't miss this great opportunity to increase your knowledge of His word while creating and strengthening the bonds between your fellow co-labors in the gospel.

We are living in time where Satan desires to creep into the hearts and minds of God's people, trying to dilute and discredit His word. The Apostle Paul lets us know as he instructed young Timothy to: "Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth."

I join Bishop Clarida in encouraging all who are willing, to make a commitment to attend the courses offered through the Minister's Training Institute. I feel that the courses offered would be of great value to all, whether you are a young minister or a seasoned Elder. I have taken most courses offered by MTI and they were of great and continuing benefit to me.

My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge: because thou hast rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee, that thou shalt be no priest to me: seeing thou hast forgotten the law of thy God, I will also forget thy children Hosea 4:6 (KVJ)

Sincerely with the Grace of God, *Bishop Wayne E. McKoy, Sr.* Bishop Wayne E. McKoy Sr. Vice President



Course Title: Ministry Fundamentals – 7 Credits

**Intended Audience:** General Clerical Body **Approximate Length:** 15 Sessions – 2 sessions per class

Text books: See attached

#### **Course Objective:**

The intent of this course is to examine the foundational principles of Ministry. This class is a prerequisite and all MTI students are required to complete this course. Students of this course should develop the understanding that Ministry is a Calling not a Career. To that end, this course will seek to address the following:

- CALLING vs. CAREER
- Establishment of good study habits
- Ministry = SERVICE
- To God
- Church Leadership
- Church Congregation
- Community
- Ministry requires Discipleship
- The importance of Integrity
- The importance of Character
- The importance of a good prayer life

#### **Class Format:**

This is a class, meant to prepare individuals for Ministry; there would be a focus on discipline. Students would be expected to exhibit a level of commitment commensurate with this vocation. The class duration would be approximately 2 hours and all students would be expected to complete various homework assignments and projects.

Students will be tested both mid-course and final.

A term paper would be required.

## Ministry Fundamentals Course Study

Session One Study Habits

Session Two Calling vs. Career

Session Three From Believer to Disciple

> Session Four Periodic Test 1

Session Five The Servants Heart

Session Six A Defender of the Faith

**Session Seven** 

Mid – Term Exam - Written

Session Eight

Mid – Term Exam - Oral

Session Nine

The Character of a Minister

Session Ten

Be Ye an Example

Session Eleven

The Persecution of the Minister

Session Twelve

Periodic Test 2

Session Thirteen

Importance of Prayer & Fasting to the Minister

**Session Fourteen** 

Ethics & Etiquette

Session Fifteen Final Exam



## **Sound Doctrine 2**

**Course Title: Sound Doctrine** 2 – 7 Credits **Prerequisite: Sound Doctrine 1 Approximate Length:** 12 Sessions

#### **Course Objective:**

The objective of this course is to examine the basis for the doctrine of the Cape Fear & Southwestern Free Will Baptist Conference. It is designed to give students the opportunity to examine their convictions about God's interaction with man as it relates to salvation as well as the basic tenets of Original Free Will Baptist beliefs and organizational structure.

#### **Denominational Doctrine**

What is "Free Will"? Arminianism Calvinism Free Will Baptist Doctrine Free Will Baptist Ordinances The OFWB Church Covenant Free Will Baptist Organizational Structure

#### **Class Format:**

Students would be expected to exhibit a level of commitment commensurate with this vocation. The class duration would be approximately 2 hours and all students would be expected to actively participate in class discussions, complete various homework assignments and projects. Students will be tested both mid-course and final.

#### **Term Paper:**

A term paper of at least 6 pages, typed, double-spaced using a 12 point Times New Romans font is required. It will include bibliography and footnotes. The term paper should be related to Free Will Baptist doctrine or a related subject or an instructor-approved topic. The term paper is due two weeks prior to the end of the semester.

#### Sound Doctrine 2 Course Study

Session One Introduction to Free Will Baptist Doctrine

> Session Two Arminianism and Calvinism

Session Three Free Will Baptist Doctrine

> Session Four Test 1

Session Five Free Will Baptist Doctrine (Term Paper Topic Selected and Approved)

> Session Six Affirmation of Faith

Session Seven Mid-Term Examination

Session Eight Free Will Baptist Ordinances

Session Nine Free Will Baptist Church Covenant

> Session Ten Test 2

Session Eleven Free Will Baptist Organizational Structure (Term Paper Due)

> **Session Twelve** Final Examination



#### Course Title: Experiencing God, Part 2 - 12 Credits

Approximate Length: 13 Weeks

Textbook: See below

#### **Course Objective:**

The purpose of the course is to foster a deepening relationship with God through examination of how to experience God in a practical way.

#### **Class Format:**

Students would be expected to exhibit a level of commitment commensurate with this vocation. The Session duration would be approximately 2 hours and all students are expected to participate in class.

Students will be tested with exams throughout the course.

Week One God Reveals Himself, His Purposes, and His Ways

> Week Two God Speaks Through the Bible God Speaks Through Prayer

Week Three God Speaks Through Circumstances God Speaks Through the Church

> Week Four Periodic Exam 1

Week Five God's Invitation Leads to a Crisis of Belief Joining God Requires Adjustments

> Week Six Joining God Requires Obedience God Accomplishes His Work

Week Seven Returning To God Experience God as Couples

> Week Eight Mid-Term Exam

Week Nine Joining God's Activity in Your Children's Lives Experiencing God in the Church

> Week Ten Experiencing God in the Marketplace Experiencing God in His Kingdom

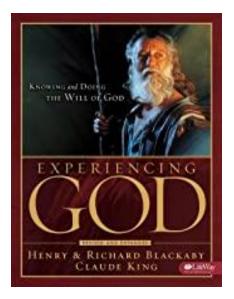
> > Week Eleven Periodic Exam

Week Twelve Continuing to Experience God

> Week Thirteen Final Exam



> Experiencing God, Part 2 Required Textbook



Available at Amazon.com and CBD.com



#### **Course Title: Spiritual Leadership**

Approximate Length: 7 Sessions

Textbook: See below

#### **Course Objective:**

Spiritual Leadership provides the opportunity for students to consider valuable concepts that are a part of what makes a successful leader from the Christian perspective. It will cover topics including:

- What Leaders Do
- Leader's Vision
- Leading
- Decision Making
- Team Building

#### **Class Format:**

Students would be expected to exhibit a level of commitment commensurate with this vocation. The session duration would be approximately 2 hours and all students are expected to participate in class.

## Spiritual Leadership Course Study

Week One The Leader's Challenge

Week Two The Leader's Role: What Leaders Do

> Week Three The Leader's Preparation

> > Week Four Free Week

Week Five The Leader's Preparation: How God Develops Leaders

> Week Six Free Week

Week Seven The Leader's Vision: Where Do Leaders Get It, and How Do They Communicate It?

> Week Eight Free Week

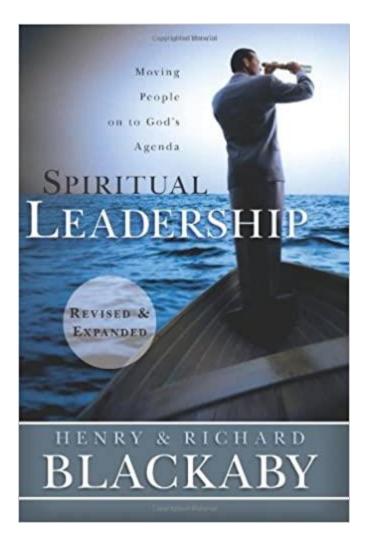
Week Nine The Leader's Goal: Moving People on to God's Agenda

> Week Ten Free Week

**Week Eleven** The Leader's Character: A Life That Moves Others to Follow



> Spiritual Leadership Required Textbook



Available at Amazon.com



## **Course Matrix**

Below you will find a chart that will assist you in your course selection.

Please select the last course that you have successfully completed from the left hand column . and in the right hand column will be a list of the potential courses that you may register for.

Please note not every course is offered every semester.

Last Course you successfully completed	The Courses you may enroll for
NONE	Ministry Fundamentals
Ministry Fundamentals	Sound Doctrine 1
Sound Doctrine 1	Sound Doctrine 2
	Church History 1
	Church History 2
Sound Doctrine 2	Church History 1
	Church History 2
	Hermeneutics
	Christian Ethics
Church History 1	Church History 2
	Hermeneutics
	Christian Ethics
Church History 2	Hermeneutics
	Christian Ethics
Hermeneutics	Homiletics
	Christian Ethics
Homiletics	Christian Ethics
Christian Counseling Basics	Christian Counseling II

## **Admission Instructions**

## PLEASE RETURN ALL ADMISSION PACKETS BY August 30, 2021

## **New Students**

- 1. Acquire a letter of reference from your Senior Pastor.
- 2. Please complete the application for admission in its entirety.
- 3. Complete the registration form.
- Please return the completed forms to Online: capefearswac.org E-mail: rhinton528@gmail.com Mail: 4801 Waybridge Court, Raleigh, NC 27606

## **Returning Students**

- 1. Complete the registration form.
- 2. Please return the completed forms to Online: capefearswac.org E-mail: rhinton528@gmail.com Mail: 4801 Waybridge Court, Raleigh, NC 27606



## **APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION**

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATION TO

**Preferred Method** Online: capefearswac.org E-mail: rhinton528@gmail.com OFFICE USE ONLY

DATE RECEIVED\_\_\_\_\_

DATE PROCESSED\_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT ID NO. \_\_\_\_\_

If you are unable to email the information you may mail it to: Bishop Reginald S. Hinton 4801 Waybridge Court Raleigh, NC 27606

This application should be completed in detail. Please use N/A if any question is NOT APPLICABLE

### **PERSONAL INFORMATION**

NAME						
NAME	FIRST			MIDDLE		
BIRTH DATE / /	/	AGE	GI	ENDER	O MALE	I FEMALE
HOME ADDRESS						
STREET			CITY		ST	ZIP COUNTY
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HOME PHONE (	_)		_ CELL (_	) _		
EMAIL ADDRESS						
CHRISTIAN EXPER	IENCE					
***A Letter of Refere	ence from yo	our Pastor m	ust be sub	nitted w	ith this a	pplication.
Current Church Affiliation	on					
PASTOR						
How long have you been	a member of t	he above-nam	ed Church?			
Current Ministerial Statu	<b>is</b> 🛛 Minister	rial Candidate	I Minister	Ordain	ed Elder	Pastoring Elder
How long have you been	saved?	Year th	nat you were	called into	o the Minis	stry



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#### CHRISTIAN EXPERIENCE-continued

Previous Church Affiliation			
Church Address	СІТҮ	ST	ZIP
Church Telephone ()			
Previous Pastor			
Denominational Affiliation of Previous Church			
Length of your membership in the above named church			
EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND			
SECULAR STUDIES			
HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED	GRADUATION DATE		
COLLEGE ATTENDED	GRADUATIO	ON DATE	
DEGREE(S) RECEIVED			
THEOLOGICAL STUDIES			
SCHOOL ATTENDED			

DEGREE(S) RECEIVED

I\_\_\_\_\_\_, do hereby request admission to the Original Cape Fear & Southwestern Free Will Baptist Annual Conference Ministers' Training Institute. It is my desire to give God my best: therefore it is with a sober minded commitment that I do hereby state that I will make every effort to show myself a workman unto God rightly dividing the word of truth.



## **REGISTRATION FORM**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

 Telephone:
 Cell:

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please find below a listing of the classes currently being offered, we ask that you indicate the class that you wish to attend.

#### **COURSES OFFERED**

Course Title: Ministry Fundamentals	Course Title: Experiencing God, Part 2		
Instructor:	Instructor:		
Location: Online Instruction	Location: Online Instruction		
Course Duration: 15 Sessions	Course Duration: 13 Sessions		
Class Frequency: Weekly every Saturday @ 9:00	Class Frequency: Weekly every Saturday @ 9:00		
a.m.	a.m.		
Class Duration: 2 Hours	Class Duration: 2 Hours		
Course Start Date: September 11, 2021	Course Start Date: September 11, 2021		
Please enroll me in this class	Please enroll me in this class		
<b>Course Title: Sound Doctrine II</b>	Course Title: Spiritual Leadership		
Instructor:	Instructor:		
Location: Online Instruction	Location: Online Instruction		
Course Duration: 12 Sessions	Course Duration: 7 Sessions		
Class Frequency: Weekly every Saturday @ 9:00	Class Frequency: Weekly every Saturday @ 11:00		
a.m.	a.m.		
Class Duration: 2 Hours	Class Duration: 2 Hours		
Course Start Date: September 11, 2021	Course Start Date: September 11, 2021		
	Please enroll me in this class		

**\*\*\*Please Note - Enrollment in all classes is on a first come / first served basis.** 

#### **\*\*For new students** This registration form will not be accepted without a completed Application for Admission.