



## BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY

The Bachelor of Theology (B.Th.) degree is designed for students who previously earned a bachelor degree and desire to complete biblical and theological undergraduate work before entering a field of leadership ministry or graduate study

### **B.Th. Program Requirements** (36 hours required)

	<b>Hours</b>
<b>Bible and Theology (6 courses)</b>	
NT 301 Life and Teachings of Jesus	3
OT 301 Pentateuch <b>or</b> OT 302 Prophets	3
NT 300/400 New Testament Elective	3
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TH 408 Thinking Theologically	3
PH 402 Bible/Christian Ethics <b>or</b> CS 308 Biblical Leadership	3
<b>Church Vocations (4 courses)</b>	
CS 321 Field Education <b>or</b> SO 309 Criminal Justice	3
MI 303 Faith and Public Policy <b>or</b> CS 311 Church & Social Welfare	3
CS 313 Marriage and the Black Family <b>or</b> CS 404 Gender Roles <b>or</b> CE 410 Sexuality and the Black Church	3
CS 407 Voices from the Movement <b>or</b> PS 415 African American Spirituality <b>or</b> TH 405 Black and Liberation Theology	3
<b>Unrestricted Electives (2 courses)</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>12 courses</b>	<b>36 hrs</b>

### **B.Th. Graduation Requirements**

In addition to the hours in course requirements, the candidate for this degree must also demonstrate an ability to do original research, express clearly his or her Christian convictions, and maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.7 (B-). The student and advisor will agree to a program of study of 36 hours. The Bachelor of Theology degree is awarded upon the successful completion of the following requirements:

1. A bachelor degree from another accredited institution;
2. Completion in residence, of a minimum of 18 hours in Biblical-Theological Studies coursework; and
3. Commendable conduct while at the College and evidence of spiritual and social maturity and Christian character.

Students who began the Th.B. program under a previous catalog must continue under its requirements unless they have less than 19 hours. Any change to the new requirements will only be accomplished through a written petition to the Academic Dean or Designee.