



CHARLES HARRISON MASON JURISDICTIONAL INSTITUTE

Course Descriptions

Old Testament Survey Part 1—Genesis - Esther

This course is a basic overview of the Old Testament. The aim is to acquaint the student with the content, message and personal application of each book, and to study the unity of all the books in the progress of revelation and redemption

Old Testament Survey Part II—Job – Malachi

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COGIC History and Polity

This course examines the life, work and theology of Bishop Charles Harrison Mason. It also explores the origins and ministry of the Church of God in Christ.

Homiletics

Students will learn to examine techniques, principles and standard practices in the delivery of sermons. Students will practice delivering sermons and will critique the sermons of fellow students.

Evangelism and Missions

Students will examine some of the key methods that are employed in group evangelism, planning evangelistic crusades, conducting public witnessing campaigns and programs.

Leadership Principles

This course examines the diverse variety of leadership methodologies, principles and practices. Students will learn the importance of developing their leadership styles and of helping organizations develop healthy leadership practices.

Church of God in Christ (COGIC) Doctrine and Social Ethics

This course discusses the theological and Biblical basis of COGIC doctrine and practice. It will demonstrate why certain doctrines and practices are central to the organization.

Women In Ministry: The Church of God in Christ

This course examines the role that women have played in the history and ministry of COGIC. It will also examine the lives of some of the key female leaders in the church and study the structure of the Women's Department.

Pastoral Counseling

Students will learn techniques and theories for effective interpersonal and group counseling.

Church Administration

This course will examine all phases of church business administration, pastoral management, goal-setting, prioritization, time management, delegation of authority, accounting and decision making. This course will focus on the practical application of these administrative responsibilities.

Introduction to Public Speaking

This course will provide information and practice skills in preparing and presenting speeches and oral presentations.

Stewardship

This course will examine the importance of the role and responsibilities of the lay member at the local, district and jurisdictional levels.

Human Relations

This course focuses on the importance of effective human relation skills in building positive relationships and presents practical examples based on biblical principles that can be used in the church community.

Time Management

This course explores time management tools and how to effectively apply them to various areas of ministry.

Teaching Techniques

This course examines methods of effective teaching and suggests some principles, techniques and perspectives that will make the practice of teaching more purposeful, pleasant and productive.

Teaching Toward Students' Improvement

This course focuses on techniques for improving teacher planning for improving student participation, achievement and acquisition of knowledge.