C3 College Online

Diploma

Advanced Discipleship Principles

Advanced Discipleship Principles explores a number of key themes that are vital to the believer's ability to sustain an effective and fruitful life in God. These include (but are not limited to) the importance of commitment to the local church, the cultivation of Godly attitudes, and the value of mentoring relationships.

Course Length: 9 weeks

Church History

This module will focus on specific seasons of church history with the intention of learning from the church's past successes and failures. The module provides an introduction to church history as a discipline and emphasises the importance of church history in relation to the Christian faith. There will be studies of the formation of denominations, the purpose and necessity of a missional church, the rise and fall of Christianity in Europe and an analysis of the protestant reformation. The key revivals which shaped the modern church will be examined leading to the beginning of the modern Pentecostal church. Finally the church in light of a post-modern world view will be analysed in its different expressions. This module not only seeks to discover how the church became what she currently is but also looks at what the contemporary church can do better.

Course Length: 8 weeks

Kingdom Relationships

This module is designed to give students an understanding of the Scriptural and practical principles for interpersonal relationships, and how to apply these in the 21st century. Kingdom Relationships will provide students with a Biblical framework for building strong, healthy relationships.

Course Length: 8 weeks

Preaching and Ministry Essentials

This module is designed to instruct the student on the basic principles of speaking in a church environment, with an application to public speaking in other contexts. It introduces the student to the practical techniques of message preparation; the importance of study and prayer in development, and; different models of delivery. Attention is given to structural parts within the message and the necessity of good communication skills. While the primary aim is to train students to be effective communicators of the Word of God within the Church and its social setting, public speaking in other contexts is also addressed. Emphasis is placed in this module upon expository preaching skill, as this requires careful preparation and will also equip the student for topical preaching.

Course Length: 8 weeks

The Book of Isaiah

This module is designed to give the trainee a general understanding of the Old Testament prophetic book of Isaiah. It is designed to encourage the student to apply the teachings of Isaiah to their everyday life. The trainee will not only learn from the message of this book, but will have a basic foundation to study any other prophetic message in the Old Testament.

Course Length: 8 weeks

<u>Prayer</u>

In this module you will be introduced to different methods of prayer, the theology of prayer and biblical models of prayer. It will establish the importance of prayer within a Christian's life as well the practical application and various techniques including intercession, persistent prayer and praying in the Spirit. The course allows for first-hand experience in both an individual and group prayer setting putting biblical principles into practice throughout the course.

Course Length: 8 weeks

Doctrine of Salvation

This module provides an overview of the key aspects of the Christian doctrine of salvation. Starting from the original sin and the fall of man and moving through to our glorification in heaven, this module outlines how God has made provision for salvation through the death of His Son, Jesus Christ, and how God applies salvation to the lives of those He saves. It also covers the important role of the individual in the process of salvation and how they cooperate with God to be born again, grow in the image and likeness of Christ, and ultimately live for eternity with Christ.

Course Length: 8 weeks

The Book of Romans

This module provides a chapter-by-chapter study of the book of Romans. The lecture videos and study notes take you through an orderly, logical development of the profound and impacting theological truths of redemption: the guilt of all humanity, our inability to earn favour with God, the redeeming death of Christ, the free gift of salvation to be received by faith alone, living in victory over sin as a believer, and many others.

Course length: 8 weeks

<u>Internship</u>

Internship is an important part of Christian development facilitated through C3 College. Internship will be one of the most life-transforming aspects of a students' time at college. Through this module you will be given opportunities to take all you learn in the classroom and put it into practice. Diploma students are required to complete Internship hours over terms 3&4 in an assistant leadership or supervisory role in any team in the church of which they are a member.

Course Length: Terms 3 & 4

Christian Ethics & Morality

This Christian Ethics module has 8 sessions that introduce a biblical worldview regarding ethical thought and practice. These sessions include 4 key ethical systems, an approach for making sound ethical decisions, to working through a wide range of real-world case studies, as well as contemporary ethical issues such as abortion, same-sex attraction and same-sex marriage, ministerial and business ethics, end-of-life medical care, and others.

Course Length: 8 weeks

Pastoral Care

Over 8 weeks, this module explores the role and function of pastoring in the life of the local church. From practising a healthy devotional life and maintaining good boundaries, to making disciples and pastoring in the power of the Holy Spirit, this module looks at biblical wisdom and practical insights from a range of seasoned local church ministers. It will also look at how healthy, biblical pastoring functions in various local church settings such as small groups, making disciples, and one-on-one ministry.

Participants will have the opportunity to explore key biblical texts, hear from experienced pastors on how they've handled various pastoral situations, and apply them to their own pastoring contexts in their local church.

Course Length: 8 weeks