

# **How it Works**

# **Certificate of Endorsement: Practical Ministry**

## Semester 1

- Gospels I (3)
- Basic Tenets (1)
- Acts (3)
- Basic Christian Ethics (2)
- Old Testament Survey (3)
- Public Speaking I (2)

#### Semester 2

- Gospels II (3)
- Basic Theology (3)
- God's Word and His Role in America (2)
- The Church: Pentecost to Present (3)
- Minister's Life and Daily Work (2)
- Public Speaking II (2)

#### Semester 3

- Bible Interpretation (2)
- Marketing the Church for Growth (2)
- Positioning the Church for Outreach (2)
- Strategies: Streamlining and Directing the Church with Purpose (3)
- Developing a Healthy Church and Staff (2)
- Training Elders and Deacons / Studies in Leadership (2)

## Semester 4

- Messianic Prophecy (3)
- Navigating Conflict in the Church (2)
- Defense of Christian Faith (3)
- Survey of Paul's Epistles (2)
- Core 52: Developing Depth in the Local Church (2)
- Advanced Public Speaking (2)

<sup>\*</sup> Students are also required to complete Financial Peace University (1 credit hour) if they have not done so within two years of beginning the first semester.