



BI 501 – Ministry Practical
Online Syllabus
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I. Course Description

Practical Theology and Church Administration philosophy is taught by Pastor Chappell. The subject matter is of utmost importance and practicality. Students will gain practical insights on church planting, servant leadership, staff training, and administration of local church work.

II. Course Objective

The goal of this course is to give each student the foundational principles and Biblical guidelines for every ministry of the local church. The student will benefit from Pastor Chappell's lecture notes and will ultimately have a useful resource for the work of the ministry.

III. Course Requirements

- A. Take accurate notes on the audio lectures.
- B. Read *Order in the Church* by Pastor Paul Chappell.
- C. Take Test One which covers chapters 1 - 10 of *Order in the Church*. See the Test One Study Sheet to prepare for this test.
- D. Take Test Two which covers chapters 11 - 26 of *Order in the Church*. See the Test Two Study Sheet to prepare for this test.
- E. Take Test Three which will cover the lecture notes. See the Test Three Study Sheet to prepare for this test.

IV. Course Grading and Due Dates

The final grade will be determined based on the scores received on the three tests. Tests may be taken whenever the student feels he is ready. No specific due dates are to be followed.



V. Course Textbook

Chappell, Paul. *Order in the Church*. Lancaster, CA: Striving Together Publications, 2004.

VI. Course Guidelines

The basic procedure to follow is two-fold: read *Order in the Church* and follow the study sheets to prepare for Tests One and Two; listen to all of the audio lectures online, take accurate notes, and prepare for Test Three. Contact Dr. Jerry Goddard at the e-mail address given at the top of this syllabus with any questions.

