Master of Arts
Christian Ministry
Specialization in African American Church Leadership
Catalog: 2021-22

Name: **Updated:**
Student ID: **Audited:**
Acceptance Date: **Advisor & Campus:**

CORE REQUIREMENTS - 27 hrs	Inst.	Hours	Grade
#THST 5303 Old Testament Foundations			
#THST 5304 New Testament Foundations			
#THST 5300 Foundations of Biblical Interpretation			
#MNST 5300 Foundations in Ministry			
MNST 5261 African American/Hispanic Church Practicum			
MNST 5100 Capstone Course			
Praxis - six hours from:			
MNST 5303 Preaching			
MNST 5320 Christian Leadership			
MNST 5321 Issues in Co-vocational Ministry			
MNST 5322 Evangelism			
MNST 5323 Christian Worship			
MNST 5324 African American Pastoral Ldrshp			
MNST 5326 African American Pastoral Care/Nurture			
MNST 5330 Principles of Pastoral Counseling			
MNST 5331 Understanding Christian Marriage			
MNST 5332 Psychology of Religion			
MNST 5340 Christian Ministry within Cultural Contexts			
MNST 5341 Contemporary Christian Missions			
MNST 5371 Topics in Ministry			
MNST 5372 Topics on Pastoral Counseling			
Education Ministry - three hours from:			
MNST 5302 Principles of Biblical Teaching			
MNST 5310 Survey of Church Admin & Educ			
MNST 5311 Family Ministry in the Church			
MNST 5312 Youth Ministry in the Church			
MNST 5313 Adult Ministry in the Church			
MNST 5370 Topics in Christian Education			
Spiritual Formation - three hours from:			
MNST 5301 Spiritual Formation			
THST 5301 Christian Spirituality			
Combination of three courses (if one of the above completed as undergrad)			
MNST 5160 The Prac of Spiritual Disciplines (may be repeated as topic varies)			
THST 5160 Readings in Christian Spirituality (may be repeated as topic varies)			

	Req.	Have	Need
Total Hours in Core Requirements	27	0	27

ELECTIVES - 15 hrs *At least 9 hours must be MNST*	Inst.	Hours	Grade

^Students preparing for doctoral work may complete the thesis track, which requires an additional 6 hours:
MNST 5361 Thesis I and MNST 5362 Thesis II

#A student having related undergraduate courses could have THST 5303, THST 5304, THST 5300, and/or MNST 5300 *waived.*

	Req.	Have	Need
Total Hours in Electives	15	0	15

Notes:
***No grade of less than C will be accepted as credit.**

****No more than 6 semester hours with the grade of C will be accepted as credit.**

*****No course which satisfies degree requirements may be more than seven years old at the time of graduation.**

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS:	Req.	Have	Need
Core Requirements	27	0	27
Electives	15	0	15
Total Hours Required (Minimum 30)	**42**	**0**	**42**
Wayland Residency Hours Required	24	0	24
5000-Level Courses	24	0	24
Minimum GPA Required	3.00		

PRELIMINARY

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INSTITUTIONAL HOUR BREAKDOWN:	Hours	*+AH*
WBU - WAYLAND BAPTIST UNIVERSITY	0	*0*
	0	***0***

HOURS NOT APPLICABLE TO DEGREE/ EXPIRED COURSES	Total 0

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS	Credit earned: UG, Core, or Elective
THST 5354 History/Theology of the Black Church	
MNST 5302 Prin Blblical Tchng or 5303 Preaching	
MNST 5324 African American Pastoral Ldrshp	
MNST 5326 African American Pastoral Care/Nurture	
MNST 5340 Christian Ministry within Cultural Contexts	

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