

Irish
Baptist
College



Preparation for **Ministry**



PREPARATION FOR MINISTRY

GIVING STUDENTS THE KEY BUILDING BLOCKS TO ENABLE THEM TO BE BETTER EQUIPPED TO MINISTER.

- » **Handling Scripture:** sensitive to the original and contemporary contexts
- » **Understanding:** the implications of a radical commitment to Scripture
- » **Reflecting:** on issues of ministry, mission, society, culture and personal development
- » **Developing:** attitudes and skills to thrive in ministry
- » **Developing:** skills and attitudes to enable others to think and live biblically
- » **Growing:** leadership skills



KEY FEATURES

- ✓ Students are taught in an environment which wants to see them well-grounded in the truth and devoted to Jesus as Lord.
- ✓ Practical placements are integral to the programme.
- ✓ Degree validated by the University of Chester leading to a Bachelor of Divinity (with biblical languages) or Bachelor of Theology. Approved for student finance.
- ✓ Taught by tutors with extensive ministry experience and relevant academic qualifications.
- ✓ Mature entry pathway.
- ✓ Three years full-time, up to six part-time

COURSE STRUCTURE

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3
Biblical Studies		
Biblical Theology 1 (God, Creation, Scripture)	Biblical Theology 2 (Man, Christology, Salvation)	Biblical Theology 3 (Holy Spirit, Church, Eschatology)
Genesis	Deuteronomy	General Letters of New Testament
Gospels	Psalms	
Acts	Paul's Letters	Old Testament Prophetical Books
Ethics: Biblical Basis	Romans	
Greek 1	Hebrew (BD only)	Advanced Greek or Hebrew (BD only)
Greek 2 (BD only)	Paul's Letters with Greek texts (BD only)	
Christian Thought		
Historical Theology 1 (The Early Church)	Historical Theology 2 (The Reformation)	Historical Theology 3 (The Modern Period)
World Religions	Contemporary World Views	Public Theology
Ministry Studies		
Homiletics	Biblical and Theological Perspectives on Mission	Care & Counselling
Youth Ministry	Pastoral Studies: Leadership and Team Building	Pastoral Studies: Pastoral Call & Ministry
Local Church & Mission	Professional Placement	Cross Cultural Mission
Conduct of Worship		Dissertation or Independent Study



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