FAIRVIEW MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1700 N. E. 7th Street – Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73117 *Christian Leadership School (CLS)*

Friday – Saturday; November 8 - 9, 2019

(All Classes are taught by members of Fairview Baptist Church)

COURSE OFFERINGS AND DESCRIPTIONS

COURSE NO. 1007 – SURVEY OF THE OLD TESTAMENT - Sis. Clara Finley, Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course will survey the Old Testament. It will give a general overview of the divisions, time periods, places, events, people, and archaeology of the Old Testament. <u>Textbook: Knowing the Old Testament, James Berkeley</u>

COURSE NO. 3008 - THEOLOGY AND HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY - Bro. Bob Simmons, Instructor

Course Description: This course will outline the development of the Christian movement from the beginning of Jesus' ministry on earth to present times. Students will focus on the history, theology, culture, and times that enable Christianity to develop and grow. Prominent persons who impacted the Christian movement will be identified.

Textbook: A History of Christianity; Johnson

Course No. 4012 – Doctrine of the Holy Spirit – Sis. Jo A. Reed, Instructor

Course Description: This course will focus on the person and work of the Holy Spirit. It will include a thorough look at the corresponding doctrines that impact our understanding of the work of the Holy Spirit. Students will be able to clearly identify this doctrine of the church with holistic understanding of salvation, and with special emphasis on justification, redemption, and sanctification.

Textbook: The Holy Spirit, Revised & Expanded, Charles Ryrie

COURSE NO. 7005 – CHRISTIAN EVANGELISM – Rev. Cleo McGlory, Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course is designed to teach the basic steps in developing a program of evangelism. Students will discover the appropriate Scriptures to use, and the methods and techniques to witness to the nonbeliever.

Textbook: Evangelism Witnessing Ministry, Thomas SSPB

COURSE No. 7010 – INTRODUCTION TO DISCIPLESHIP -- Rev. Arthur Crawford, Instructor

Course Description: This course is designed to introduce the believer to the biblical principle of discipleship. It will examine the character traits of the believers by looking at the overall examples of Jesus. This course will examine the discipleship methods of Jesus and the difference between discipleship and membership.

Textbook: Spiritual Discipleship, J. Oswald Sanders

COURSE NO. 7024 - DISCOVERING YOUR SPIRITUAL GIFTS - Sis. Lillian House, Instructor

Course Description: This course helps students to understand how God has uniquely made them to be. Students will work through a spiritual gifts assessment that will help them to discover their spiritual gift (s). Discovering their spiritual gift (s), will prepare them to move into a meaningful area of service where they best fit in to the body of Christ.

Textbook: Discovering Your Spiritual Gift, Wagner

<u>Course No. 8035 – African-American Church and Social Justice</u> – *Rev. Dedrick Marsh, Instructor* <u>Course Description</u>: This course will investigate the lives, theology, and methods of the great servants of God who dedicated their lives in the struggle for liberation people and discuss the role of the African-American church in the struggle for the liberation of people.

Course No. 8066 – Christianity and Contemporary Issues – Sis. Marcy Turner, Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course challenges the students to identify and confront contemporary issues. The students will look at the issues that affect the church, home, and community. They will be encouraged to think of practical solutions and approaches to immediate and emerging social and ecclesiological concerns.

Textbook: The Present Future: Six Tough Questions for the Church, Reggie McNeal

Course No. 9004 – Writing Techniques I - Sis. Linette Burton, Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course will focus on the Certificate of Progress Program writing requirements for Phase 2. Emphasis will be placed on the development of paragraph and topic sentences that's necessary to complete the writing assignments in this phase. <u>Textbook: A Pocket Manual, 3rd Edition, Hacker</u>

COURSE No. 9008 – PUBLIC SPEAKING – Sis. Debra Davis, Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course will identify the process and principles of public speaking. Students will deliver a speech to incorporate effective communication skills. <u>Textbook: Speak Like a Pro, Leon Fletcher</u>

<u>Course No. 9024 – The Computer in the Life of the Church</u> – Sis. Maeleatha Patterson & Bro. Jamar Patterson, Instructors

<u>Course Description</u>: This course is designed to train pastors, office workers, Christian educators, and others who want to utilize computer technology in the church. Issues in administration, setting up computer labs, tutorials on Bible study as well as membership record keeping and nurture will be covered in this course.