FAIRVIEW MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1700 N. E. 7th Street – Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73117

Christian Leadership School (CLS)

October 9 - 10, 2015

ADULT COURSE OFFERINGS

<u>COURSE NO. 1004 – EFFECTIVE BIBLE READING</u> – Rev. Michael Eaton, Bethlehem Baptist Church, Pauls Valley, OK – Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course identifies the appropriate methods, approaches and other suggestions on how to read the Bible for spiritual growth and Christian maturity. Areas that will be covered include the structure of the Bible, resources for study, literary styles, etc.

Textbook: How to Study and Teach the Bible, Scruggs, SSPB

<u>COURSE NO. 1007 – INTRODUCTION TO THE OLD TESTAMENT</u> – Rev. Al Walter, New Hope Baptist, Chickasha, OK – Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course will survey the Old Testament. Included in the survey will be a general overview of the divisions, time periods, places, events, people and archaeology of the Old Testament. **Textbook:** *Survey of the Old Testament*, Benware, Moody

COURSE NO. 1072 – INTRODUCTION TO THE NEW TESTAMENT – Rev. Lee Benson, Edmond, OK – Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course will survey the New Testament. Included in this survey will be a general overview of the divisions, time periods, places, events, people, and archaeology of the New Testament sections of the Bible.

Textbook: Survey of the New Testament, Benware, Moody

<u>Course No. 1112 – Survey of Revelation</u> – Rev. Allen Threatt, Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church, Arcadia, OK – Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course will focus on the book of Revelation with an emphasis on authorship, date, theme, and recipients. The prophetic themes, symbols, and interpretations of various revelations will be discussed. <u>Textbook</u>: *The Revelation of John*, Volume 2, Daily Study Bible, William Barclay, Westminister

<u>COURSE NO. 2023 – CREATIVE WAYS OF TEACHING</u> – Sis. Sandra Holloway, Fairview Missionary Baptist Church – Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course is designed to explore methods of teaching in the local church setting. Designed to assist teachers in discovering new ways of teaching such as learning behaviors, strategies of student learning and behavior.

<u>Textbook</u>: Creative Teaching Methods, Marlene LeFever, Cook Communications

COURSE NO. 2044 - TEACHING YOUTH - Sis. Marcy Turner, Fairview Missionary Baptist Church - Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course will provide a general introduction to learning and teaching methods to teens.

<u>Textbook</u>: *Teaching Youth*, Larry Richards, Beacon Hill Press

<u>COURSE NO. 3008 – THEOLOGY AND HISTORY OF CHRISTIANITY</u> – Bob Simmons, Fairview Missionary Baptist Church – Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: 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 culture and times that enable Christianity to spawn and grow. Prominent persons who impacted the Christian movement will be identified.

Textbook: A History of Christianity, Paul Johnson, Touchstone Book, Simon & Schuster

<u>COURSE No. 6021 – SPIRITUAL FORMATION</u> – Sis. Johnneese Shree Walter, Fairview Missionary Baptist Church – Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course is designed to enable people to mature in their Christian walks. It will focus on a creative and dynamic approach to nurturing people from children to mature adults – to become better disciples of Jesus Christ. Students will discuss what it means to be Christians.

Textbook: Invitation to a Journey: A Road Map for Spiritual Formation, Robert Monholland, University Press

<u>Course No. 7005 – Christian Evangelism</u> – Rev. Cleo McGlory, Fairview Missionary Baptist Church - 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 non-believer

Textbook: *Witnessing Evangelism Ministry*, Thomas, SSPB

<u>Course No. 7024 – Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts</u> – Rev. Gregory Rogers, Sr., Gilead Baptist Church – Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course is designed to help the students understand who God has uniquely made them to be. In addition, in the course, students will work through a spiritual gift 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 into the body of Christ.

Textbook: What You Do Best in the Body of Christ, Bruce Bugbee, Zondervan

<u>Course No. 8066 – Christianity and Contemporary Issues</u> – Rev. Wilmer Cooper, Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Ardmore, OK – Instructor

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

Textbook: The Present Future: Six Tough Ouestions for the Church, Reggie McKencie

<u>Course No. 9008 – Public Speaking</u> – Sis. Mildred Brewer, Gethsemane Baptist Church, Tulsa, OK – Instructor

<u>Course Description</u>: This course will identify the process and principles for writing speeches and delivering them in public. In addition to writing and speaking skills, the students will learn basic verbal and nonverbal communications skills that enable them to effectively communicate with audiences of all sizes.

<u>Textbook</u>: *Do's and Taboos of Public Speaking*, Roger E. Axell