

Doctor of Ministry

“Building Leaders Who Build the Kingdom”

— Course Synopsis —

<p>COURSE NUMBER and TITLE: PTH 919 Foundations of Spiritual Theology and Formation CREDIT HOURS: 3 SEMESTER: Spring 2021 COURSE DAY/TIME: February 22-26, M 1-5pm; T-Th 8am-5pm; F 8am-12noon LOCATION: AGTS 226</p>	<p>INSTRUCTOR: D. Allen Tennison, Ph.D. PHONE: 626-437-5475 EMAIL: datennison@yahoo.com OFFICE HOURS: by appointment</p>
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<p>REQUIRED TEXTS: Allen, Diogenes. <i>Spiritual Theology: The Theology of Yesterday for Spiritual Help Today</i>. Lanham, MD: Cowley Publications, 1997. ISBN 978-1561011308 (182 pages) Chan, Simon. <i>Spiritual Theology: A Systematic Study of the Christian Life</i>. Downers Grove, IL: IVP Academic, 1998. ISBN 978-0830815425 (304 pages) Chandler, Diane. <i>Christian Spiritual Formation: An Integrated Approach for Personal and Relational Wholeness</i>. Downers Grove, IL: IVP Academic, 2014. (367 pages) Green, Chris. <i>Sanctifying Interpretation: Vocation, Holiness and Scripture</i>. CPT Press, 2020 ISBN 978-1935931997 (254 pages). Setran, David and Chris Kiesling. <i>Spiritual Formation in Emerging Adulthood: A Practical Theology for College and Young Adult Ministry</i>. Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Academic, 2013. ISBN 978-0801039560 (288 pages) Volf, Miroslav. <i>Work in the Spirit: Toward a Theology of Work</i>. Eugene, OR: Wipf and Stock, 2001. ISBN 978-1579106416 (270 pages) Willard, Dallas, et al., Alan Andrews, ed. <i>The Kingdom Life: A Practical Theology of Discipleship and Spiritual Formation</i>. Colorado Springs, CO: NavPress, 2016. ISBN 978-1631466786 (336 pages)</p>

Course Requirements:

1. **Attendance, reading preparation and participation**
2. **Reading Assignment and Reflection Paper:** write a 10-12-page reflection paper on the readings
3. **Oral Presentation:** prepare a 15-20 minute in class presentation on one of the chapters in Chandler's book
4. **Research Paper #1:** write a research paper that addresses one of four topics noted in the syllabus
5. **Research Paper #2:** write a research paper that addresses the context and application of your selected topic

Details on the course requirements, writing style format, etc. will be a part of the syllabus, which will be available soon in D.Min. Central in CANVAS.