

Course Code: CHAPEL

Course Name: Chapel

Spring 26

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## **PURPOSE**

The purpose of Chapel is to engage students in meaningful spiritual activities that will prepare, motivate, and equip them for a life of Christian service. While MU does not attempt to manage every area of a student's spiritual walk, this program underscores the importance of community and spiritual development.

## **STRUCTURE**

Chapel will meet on Tuesday at 9:20 am. Attendance is required of all students to pass the course.

## **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

Chapel is considered a vital part of Mission University's training. Students must have a passing grade for every semester while at Mission University to receive their degree. Students receiving a failing grade must report to their respective Dean for additional requirements before graduation.

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION**

This course exists for all undergraduate students of the University enrolled in 7 or more credit hours. Active participation in Chapel is a critical part of your education and spiritual development at Mission University. (0-credit hours)

## **Institutional Learning Outcomes (ILOs)**

Mission University graduates are equipped with biblical knowledge and scholarship, faith and commitment, and community and global awareness, thus preparing them to:

- ILO 1 - Apply the rigorous learning of biblical truth to real-life challenges. (HEAD)
- ILO 2 - Nurture their relationship with God above all else and respond unequivocally to God's call on their lives. (HEART)
- ILO 3 - Engage a diverse global society, evangelizing and ministering both in and through the local church. (HANDS)

## **Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs)**

Upon graduation from Mission University, students will be able to:

- PLO 2 - Articulate biblical wisdom and apply its relevant application to their lives and ministry. (ILO 1, 2)
- PLO 3 - **Demonstrate servanthood by serving others in and through the local church.** (ILO 2, 3)
- PLO 4 - Foster Christ-like ambition by responding to God's call on their lives. (ILO 2)
- PLO 5 - **Develop godly influence within their local church and their community.** (ILO 3)

## **Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)**

Upon successful completion of the course, students will be able to:

- CLO 1 - Demonstrate consistent attendance and participation in Chapel. (PLO 2, PLO 5)
- CLO 2 - Demonstrate consistent engagement in Chapel. (PLO 3, PLO 4, PLO 5)
- CLO 3 - **Develop personal relationships and accountability in MU Community Groups.** (PLO 5)
- CLO 4 - Cultivate spiritual growth through active participation. (PLO 3, PLO 4, PLO 5)

## **Course Learning Assessments to Meet the Outcomes**

Chapel Attendance and Involvement (100%)

### **Attendance**

This course is a seated course, which means that it has scheduled weekly meetings.

All students must attend all Chapels and on-campus day conferences throughout the semester. Any exemptions and absence requests will need to be approved by your respective Dean.

Failure to meet Chapel requirements may affect the student's ability to hold leadership positions or participate in honors programs.

**Exemptions:**

Any student wishing to receive an exemption from Chapel must submit an Exemption Form for approval. [EXEMPTION FORM](#)

**Excused Absences:**

Excused absences would be approved for those who notify the Student Life Department prior to Chapel. Acceptable excuses are:

- Illness
- Approved travel
- Unexpected education requirements
- Unexpected work requirements

**Unexcused Absences:**

Unexcused absences will be dealt with as follows:

- 1st - Warning
- 2nd - Conference with respective Dean
  - Must meet with Dean within 3 days
- 3rd - Student will fail the Chapel course

Attendance is taken through the Populi app via Beacon. Students must enable Bluetooth for attendance to be accessed. If a student enters Chapel late, or has issues connecting, that student must talk to or email [tebert@mission.edu](mailto:tebert@mission.edu) to record his/her situation immediately after Chapel, or an absence will be assessed.

Chapel announcements and attendance information are communicated through Populi and the student @mission.edu email accounts.

**Change Clause**

The instructor(s) reserves the right to make changes to the syllabus, including assignments or due dates, when unforeseen circumstances occur.

**Methods of Evaluation (Grading Scale)**

This course is a pass/fail course based on attendance.