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Thank you for your interest in Cross & Crown Baptist Institute of the Bible. It is our desire to assist you in growing spiritually in your love for the Lord through a deeper knowledge of God and His Word. Our prayer is that you increase not only in knowledge, but also in ministry as well. To have either one without the other is to be incomplete. Notice these words of Paul to the Colossians:

“That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God.” (Colossians 1:10)

Even though we live in an age when Bible schools and seminaries abound, Cross & Crown Baptist Institute of the Bible exists because of a unique philosophy. That philosophy sets apart C&CBI from many others because of these specific areas.

- While many other schools are losing their focus of evangelism, we believe that evangelism is the primary part of fulfilling the great commission. A student who receives instruction and immediately applies his knowledge into ministry will obtain godly wisdom. Proverbs 11:30 declares, “He that winneth souls is wise.”
- Many seminaries have deviated from the Word of God and are spending more time studying the theories of men. We believe that it is most profitable to study the Word of God rather than learning the theology of Liberalism. That is why we place great emphasis on doctrine. We hold to the “Fundamentals” of Scripture, the Authorized Version (KJV), and the manuscripts from which it is derived, (the Masoretic Hebrew and Textus Receptus Greek).
- Many Bible institutes are para-church organizations. We believe that God blesses His work through the local church body. C&CBI is a ministry of Cross & Crown Baptist Church. Therefore, we seek to obey the Biblical mandate to train servants in the church, without excluding those who cannot pay the high costs of graduate education. Great effort is made to provide this education as a ministry as inexpensively as possible.

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I hope you consider receiving Bible training through Cross & Crown Institute of the Bible. We want to be a blessing to you and your field of ministry. If you have any questions, feel free to call our office at (931) 645 8601.

For the increase of the Kingdom of God,

Craig S. Caldwell,
Senior Pastor & President of Cross & Crown Baptist Institute of the Bible



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Articles of Faith

The Holy Scriptures. We believe in the Holy Scriptures, accepted fully the writings of the Old and New Testaments as the very Word of God, verbally inspired in all parts, the only infallible, inerrant and authoritative rule of faith and practice. We use only the KJV Authorized Version of the Bible in all our preaching and teaching.

The Godhead. We believe that there is one God eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Jesus Christ. We believe in the Deity of Christ; His virgin birth; His blood shed for our atonement; His physical, bodily resurrection; His physical, bodily ascension into Heaven there to be our Intercessor.

Sin. We believe that all men are by nature and by choice sinful and lost and have within themselves no possible means of salvation.

Salvation. We believe in salvation by grace through faith; that salvation is the free gift of God and is received, not by any virtue or works of men, but only by personal faith in the Lord Jesus Christ; that all true believers possess the gift of eternal life, a perfect righteousness, sonship in the family of God, and the divine guarantee that they shall never perish.

Satan. We believe in the existence of Satan, the deceiver and prince of this present world; that he was defeated and judged at the Cross, and, therefore, his final doom is certain.

The Second Coming. We believe in the Second Coming of Christ; that His return from Heaven will be personal, visible, and glorious; the time being unrevealed but always imminent; that when He comes He will first, by resurrection of the righteous dead and the translation of the righteous living, remove from the earth His waiting Church, then pour out the righteous judgments of God upon the unbelieving world, and afterwards descend with His Church and establish His glorious and literal Kingdom on Earth over all the nations for a thousand years.

Eternity. We believe the spirits of the saved at death go immediately to be with Christ in Heaven; that at His Second Coming their works will be judged and rewards determined; that the spirits of the unsaved at death descend immediately into Hell until the final day of Judgment, at which time their bodies shall be raised from the grave, judged, and cast into the Lake of Fire, the place of final and everlasting punishment.

Priesthood of the Believer. We believe in the priesthood of all believers, that Christ is our Great High Priest and through Him every born-again person has direct access into God's presence without the need of a human priest, and that the believer has the right and responsibility to study and interpret the Scriptures for Himself, guided by the Holy Spirit.

Missions. We believe that the New Testament Church is an organized body of born-again, baptized believers, practicing Scriptural ordinances and actively engaged in fulfilling the Great Commission.

Ordinances. We believe the two Scriptural ordinances given to the local church are baptism by immersion and the Lord's Supper, neither of which serve to gain merit with God, but are to commemorate Christ's sacrifice.

Heaven & Hell. We believe in the everlasting conscious punishment of the wicked in Hell and the everlasting conscious blessedness of the saints in Heaven.



Tuition & Fees

- \$10 Application fee, to be submitted with application.
- \$25 Tuition per credit hour.
- \$12.50 Audit per credit hour.

Degree Programs

Graduate

Applicants for graduate degree programs must already be a college or university graduate. Each Master's Degree can be built upon by the preceding degree without penalty.

- Master of Divinity Degree 96 cr. hrs.
- Master of Arts in Biblical Exposition..... 64 cr. hrs.
- Master of Arts in Biblical Studies..... 32 cr. hrs.

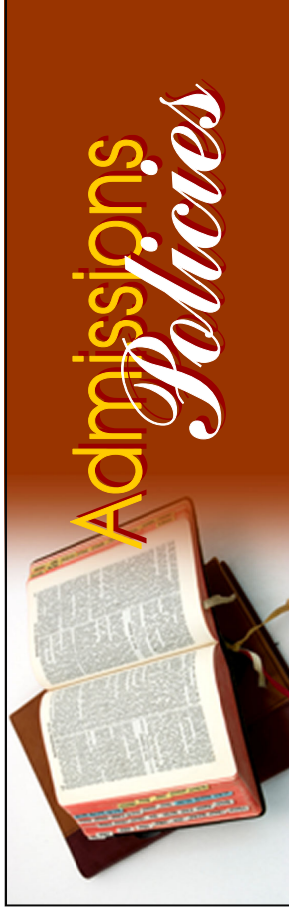
Undergraduate

Curricula include studies in the Bible and in skills needed at various types of Christian service. Applicants for Diploma of Bible need not be college graduates, nor to have attended college. The Diploma in Bible is earned upon the student's completion of 60 credit hours in any class order.

- Diploma of Bible Degree 60 cr. hrs.

Audit

Those who wish to audit classes, but who do not wish to take the test and examinations, or to write the research papers and book reports required of the Graduate and Diploma students, may be enrolled in selected courses.



Cross & Crown Baptist Institute of the Bible was founded primarily for the purpose of training those whom God has called into full-time vocational service for the Lord Jesus Christ. Applicants must have experienced personal salvation and should meet the scriptural qualifications for vocational Christian service.

The Master of Divinity, the Master of Arts in Biblical Exposition, and the Master of Arts in Biblical Studies require that the prospective student have a baccalaureate degree from a recognized institution of higher education. The Diploma in Bible program requires a high school diploma. Classes in all programs may be audited without regard to the applicants' educational background. Each applicant will be evaluated with regard to moral character, marital stability (if married), academic history, church affiliation, and his testimony for Christ. Applicants will be evaluated without regard to race or national origin.

Cross & Crown Baptist Institute of the Bible reserves the right to refuse, for just cause, admission or re-admission to any student. An applicant who withholds or falsifies information may be required to withdraw from the institute.

Admissions Procedure

Each applicant should complete the attached application form. All questions should be answered fully. Each completed application should have the enclosed information:

- Application Fee (non-refundable) \$10
- A recent picture of yourself
- A brief written account of your salvation experience
- A recommendation letter from your pastor
- Three completed reference forms

Official transcripts of all college/seminary work should be requested from your former educational institution to be sent directly to the Admissions Director, Cross & Crown Baptist Institute of the Bible.

Each applicant must submit all the required forms before he may be fully accepted as a student.

Return the completed application to:

Admissions Director
Cross & Crown Baptist Institute of the Bible
PO Box 31491
Clarksville, TN 37040

Following notification of acceptance, you will receive information pertinent to attendance.

Faculty

- Craig S. Caldwell, B.S., M.A., Ph. D. (ABD) Senior Pastor Cross & Crown Baptist Church, Clarksville, TN.
- Jerry E. Lucas, B.S., M.A., M.RE. Co-founder and Pastor Emeritus Cross & Crown Baptist Church, Pensacola, Florida, Assistant Pastor Clarksville, TN.
- Ivan Curtis.

Adjunct Faculty slated to come in the future.



Church Attendance

- Attendance at all services of your local church is required for each student.
- It is recommended that you have some sort of ministry while enrolled in C&CBI.
- Each student is expected to obey the Scriptures to tithe.

Dress Code

For the Men

- No jeans or shorts are to be worn.
- Casual slacks and shirt are recommended.
- Hair should be conservative and off the collar.

For the Women

- No slacks or shorts are to be worn.
- Casual skirt and blouse or dress is recommended.
- Hair should not resemble a man's.

Code of Ethics

1. Because you are now on the seminary level of education, you are expected to act like seminary student.
2. You are expected to study hard and pursue excellence.
3. You must turn in all assignments on time. No late papers will be accepted.
4. You are here to learn, not to teach. Therefore each student is to approach his/her professor respectfully, and humbly.
5. Students of the opposite sex should strive to abstain from all appearance of evil. Therefore there should be no man or woman in any room by themselves unless they are married.

Degree Program Requirements

Master of Divinity

THEOLOGY	(12 cr)
Theology / Bibliology.....	(3 cr)
Christology / Pneumatology.....	(3 cr)
Soteriology / Ecclesiology.....	(3 cr)
Angelology / Eschatology.....	(3 cr)
MISSIOLOGY & EVANGELISM	(5 cr)
Introduction to Missions.....	(2 cr)
Philosophy of Missions.....	(2 cr)
Personal Evangelism.....	(1 cr)
PREACHING & EXEGESIS	(7 cr)
Homiletics I.....	(2 cr)
Homiletics II.....	(2 cr)
Hermeneutics.....	(3 cr)
CHURCH HISTORY	(9 cr)
Church History I.....	(3 cr)
Church History II.....	(3 cr)
Modern Church Trends.....	(3 cr)
BIBLICAL LANGUAGES	(80 cr)
Elementary Greek I.....	(3 cr)
Elementary Greek II.....	(3 cr)
Intermediate Greek I.....	(3 cr)
Intermediate Greek II.....	(3 cr)
Greek Exposition I.....	(3 cr)
Greek Exposition II.....	(3 cr)
Hebrew I.....	(3 cr)
Hebrew II.....	(3 cr)
Hebrew Exposition I.....	(3 cr)
Hebrew Exposition II.....	(3 cr)
BIBLICAL PHILOSOPHY	(6 cr)
Counseling.....	(3 cr)
Apologetics.....	(3 cr)
ADMINISTRATION	(5 cr)
Church Administration.....	(3 cr)
Christian Education Philosophy.....	(2 cr)
GENERAL BIBLE	(22 cr)
Life of Christ.....	(3 cr)
New Testament Survey I.....	(3 cr)
New Testament Survey II.....	(3 cr)
Old Testament Survey I.....	(3 cr)
Old Testament Survey II.....	(3 cr)
Electives.....	(5 cr)
Thesis.....	(2 cr)
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	(96 cr)

Master of Biblical Exposition

THEOLOGY	(12 cr)
Theology / Bibliology.....	(3 cr)
Christology / Pneumatology.....	(3 cr)
Soteriology / Ecclesiology.....	(3 cr)
Angelology / Eschatology.....	(3 cr)
MISSIOLOGY & EVANGELISM	(5 cr)
Introduction to Missions.....	(2 cr)
Philosophy of Missions.....	(2 cr)
Personal Evangelism.....	(1 cr)
PREACHING & EXEGESIS	(7 cr)
Homiletics I.....	(2 cr)
Homiletics II.....	(3 cr)
CHURCH HISTORY	(6 cr)
Church History I.....	(3 cr)
Church History II.....	(3 cr)
BIBLICAL LANGUAGES	(12 cr)
Elementary Greek I.....	(3 cr)
Elementary Greek II.....	(3 cr)
Intermediate Greek I.....	(3 cr)
Intermediate Greek II.....	(3 cr)
GENERAL BIBLE	(22 cr)
Life of Christ.....	(3 cr)
New Testament Survey I.....	(3 cr)
New Testament Survey II.....	(3 cr)
Old Testament Survey I.....	(3 cr)
Old Testament Survey II.....	(3 cr)
Bible Electives.....	(7 cr)
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	(64 cr)

Master of Arts in Biblical Studies

THEOLOGY	(12 cr)
Theology / Bibliology.....	(3 cr)
Christology / Pneumatology.....	(3 cr)
Soteriology / Ecclesiology.....	(3 cr)
Angelology / Eschatology.....	(3 cr)
MISSIOLOGY & EVANGELISM	(5 cr)
Introduction to Missions.....	(2 cr)
Philosophy of Missions.....	(2 cr)
Personal Evangelism.....	(1 cr)
EXEGESIS	(3 cr)
Hermeneutics.....	(3 cr)
CHURCH HISTORY	(6 cr)
Church History I.....	(3 cr)
Church History II.....	(3 cr)
BIBLICAL PHILOSOPHY	(3 cr)
Apologetics.....	(3 cr)
GENERAL BIBLE	(3 cr)
Life of Christ.....	(3 cr)
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	(82 cr)