



Preparing people for
Christian ministry and educating those
called as witnesses to the Gospel of
Jesus Christ in the cities and
communities of the world.

Application for Occasional Students

This abbreviated application is designed for persons who wish to take only a few courses. Since this is a short form, an applicant who wishes to be considered for degree candidacy will need to submit a degree application form at that time.

Anticipated Start Date: Academic Year: 2010-2011 2011-2012 2012-2013

Semester One (Fall) January Intensives
 Semester Two (Spring) May or May/June Intensives

I plan to take the majority of my classes at the: Richmond Campus Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center

Name _____ female
last first middle male

Current Address _____
Street & number City State Zip

Current E-mail Address _____

Current Telephone Number (_____) _____

Date of Birth _____ Citizenship _____ Place of Birth _____
(optional)

VOLUNTARY INFORMATION

The following information is requested on a voluntary basis. The information obtained from this section will be kept confidential. This information is being requested to help Bethany Seminary demonstrate its compliance with all state and federal regulations concerning discrimination. You have the option of supplying this information; it is not required.

Check the appropriate boxes:

Career: First Career Second Career

Race/ Ethnic Group: Caucasian African American Asian
 Hispanic American Indian Other: _____

Home State: _____

Church Affiliation/Denomination

Congregation _____ District, Synod, Conference, or Presbytery _____

Ministerial Status: Licensed Ordained Date: _____ District: _____

How did you hear about Bethany? (i.e. pastor, district executive, internet, grad fair, tc.) _____

ESSAY

Please prepare a formal essay (1 typed page), which will help the seminary get to know you. Describe your reasons for applying as an occasional student at Bethany, especially how the course(s) you may take will relate to your personal goals and faith perspective.

REFERENCES

We request that applicants provide the name of 2 references. These references may or may not be contacted by a member of the admissions committee.

Name _____ phone/email _____

Relationship to applicant _____

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EDUCATIONAL PREPARATION

You must have a BA or BS or the equivalent to be considered for admission. List colleges, universities, and/or seminaries attended or other ministry training programs in which you have participated. Please have your official transcript(s) sent directly to the Admissions Office at Bethany Theological Seminary. If you need more space, please attach a separate piece of paper

Institution _____ Address _____

Dates Attended _____ Degree _____ Date Transcript Request Sent _____

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EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Employment Experience in Past Five Years (or attach a current resume):

Position _____ Employer/Address _____ Dates _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION

If you answer yes to any of these questions, please explain on a separate paper and attach. Please include dates.

Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offense? Yes No

Have you ever been disciplined by a judicatory body responsible for ministerial ethics? Yes No

APPLICATION FEE

An application fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) must accompany this application.

I hereby affirm that all the information contained in this application is factually correct and honestly presented. I understand that any omission or falsification of information on this application may be grounds for denial of admission or immediate dismissal. I also understand that all documents submitted for application become the property of Bethany Theological Seminary and are not returnable or transferable to any third party.

Signature of Applicant _____

Date _____

Mail the completed application to the Admissions Office at the address below.