Bachelor of Arts Christian Ministry: Pastoral/Youth Ministry
Graduation Requirements

Prerequisites for the Christian Ministry Major:
- *ANTH 210 Cultural Anthropology or *SOC 200 Introduction to Sociology
- *COMM 212 or *COMM 213
- *PSY 200 General Psychology

General Requirements for Christian Ministry

- BTH 200 Bible Study Tools and Methods .................................................. 2
- BTH 213 Christian Doctrine ................................................................. 2
- BTH electives at the upper division level ............................................. 6
- Choose two of the following .............................................................. 6
  - BTH 324 History of Theology
  - BTH 326 The Art of Theology
  - HIST 332 History of Christianity II
- CM 220 The Worshipping Community .............................................. 2
- CM 470 Leadership Skills for Ministry .............................................. 2
- CM 495 Internship .............................................................................. 6
- CM 499 Senior Capstone ................................................................. 2
- HIST 331 History of Christianity I ................................................... 3
- Choose one of the required concentrations listed below ...................... 8-10

Pastoral Ministry Concentration

- Choose one of the following ......................................................... 2
  - CM 320 Evangelism and Church Growth
  - CM 330 Introduction to Christian Education
  - CM 350 Nurture and Discipleship
- CM 380 Preaching .............................................................................. 3
- CM 450 Pastoral Ministry ............................................................... 3

Youth Ministry Concentration

- Choose one of the following ......................................................... 2
  - CM 320 Evangelism and Church Growth
  - CM 330 Introduction to Christian Education
  - CM 350 Nurture and Discipleship
- CM 360 Principles of Youth Ministry ................................................ 3
- Choose one of the following ......................................................... 3
  - CM 380 Preaching or CM 450 Pastoral Ministry

Graduation Requirements:

- Completion of 124 Credits
- Completion of a foreign language at a first year level (102) or higher
- Completion of General Education Core curriculum
- Completion of an Academic Major
- Minimum of 30 credits from NCU
- Minimum of 40 upper division credits (300 level of above)
- Minimum of 27 upper division credits in the major (one-third in case of minor)
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better for all coursework, including transfer work
- At least a C- in each course in the major
- Satisfactory writing competency
- Applied to graduate
General Education Core Requirements-BA

1 year Foreign Language Proficiency
- WR 121 English Composition ................................................................. 3
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Interdisciplinary Studies ........................................................................ 11–12
- IDS 151/152 Engaging World Thought & Culture .................................... 6
- IDS 251 Engaging American Thought & Culture ................................... 3
- FYS 101 First-Year Seminar* ................................................................ 1
  (*Not required for transfer students with 24 or more earned semester credits)

Humanities ............................................................................................... 6
- PHL 210 Ethics ....................................................................................... 3
- Communications Elective (choose one of the following) ....................... 3
  COMM 212 Public Speaking
  COMM 213 Interpersonal Communication

Social Sciences .......................................................................................... 5–6
- Choose courses from at least two of the following areas:
  - Anthropology
  - Business
  - Economics
  - Education
  - History
  - Psychology
  - Religion
  - Sociology

Math/Science/Computer ........................................................................... 6–9
- Minimum six credits with at least one course in each of the following areas:
  - One science course with lab
  - One college-level mathematics course
  - One computer course—these NCU courses meet the computer requirement:
    - CIS 123 Word Processing, Spreadsheets and Presentations
    - CIS 125 Introduction to Web Page Design
    - CIS 130 Introduction to Computer Sciences and Organization Theory
    - EDUC 230 Technology for Teaching and Learning
    - MUS 118/119 Music Technology/Pro Tools 101

Diversity Studies ...................................................................................... 1
- Choose one course from approved electives in the following list:
  - ANTH 210 Cultural Anthropology
  - BTH 240 Christianity in America
  - BUS 120 History of Entrepreneurship
  - COMM 220 Intercultural Communication
  - EDUC 210 School Diversity
  - HIST 240 History of the Pacific Northwest
  - RELS 210 The Abrahamic Faiths of Judaism and Islam
  - RELS 220 Living Religious Traditions of the Far East
  - SOC 200 Introduction to Sociology

  *Some of the approved courses may also fulfill requirements in other areas of the general education core (e.g., communication, social sciences).

Bible & Christian Ministry Studies .......................................................... 12
- BTH 101/102 Engaging with the Bible .................................................. 6
- *CM 240 All Are Gifted, All Are Called ............................................. 2
- Any BTH elective at the 200 level or above ....................................... 4
  *EDUC 415 Faith Integration and Teaching Seminar is an approved alternative for Teacher Education majors.

Health/Physical Education ........................................................................ 2
- Choose courses from Physical Education or Sports/Athletics

Minimum General Education CORE for all majors .................................. 48