



faith baptist bible college
and theological seminary



**MAKE IT YOUR
FAITH!**

PREPARE TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE AT ***FAITH BAPTIST BIBLE COLLEGE***

Why did God put you on this earth? To make a difference! How can you make a difference if you aren't prepared? How can you make a difference if you've never really made your faith your own? Take the next one, two, or four years of your life to be prepared for wherever God leads you, and to make it ***your*** faith!



Your preparation starts now! It's time to ***make it your Faith!***

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Prepare

Academically

We have 37 undergraduate degree programs, minors, and emphases that will prepare and equip you.

One-Year Program

Biblical Worldview Certificate

Two-Year Programs

Biblical Studies, A.A.

Office Administration, A.A. (p. 10)

World Missions, A.A.

Four-Year Degrees

Biblical Studies, B.S. or B.A. (p. 7)

- Arriba Emphasis – Study Abroad
- Bible Exposition Emphasis
- Bible Exposition and Greek Emphases
- Biblical Counseling Emphasis
- Biblical Foundations Emphasis
- Communications Minor
- Local Church Discipleship Ministries Emphasis
- Missionary Nursing Emphasis
- Women's Ministry Emphasis or Minor

Local Church Discipleship Ministries, B.S. (p. 8)

- Biblical Counseling Emphasis
- Christian Camp Emphasis
- Discipleship Emphasis
- Music Minor
- Office Administration Minor
- Women's Ministry Emphasis or Minor
- World Missions Emphasis

Music Degrees (p. 9)

- Music Education, B.S.
- Sacred Music, B.S.

Faith is accredited by the Association for Biblical Higher Education and the Higher Learning Commission.

Organizational Leadership, B.S. (p. 11)

- Office Administration Minor
- Sports Management Emphasis

Pastoral Studies, B.S. or B.A. (p. 12)

- Biblical Counseling Emphasis
- Expository Preaching Emphasis
- Greek Emphasis
- Music Minor
- Music and Worship Emphasis
- Organizational Leadership Emphasis
- Youth Ministries Emphasis

Teacher Education Degrees (p. 13)

- Elementary Education, B.S.
- Secondary English Education, B.S.
- Secondary World History Education, B.S.
- Endorsements

World Missions, B.S. or B.A. (p. 14)

- Homiletics
- Homiletics and Greek Emphases
- Women's Ministry Emphasis

Hybrid Programs

- Four-Year B.S. in Biblical Studies / M.A. in Biblical Studies
- Five-Year B.A. in Biblical Studies / Master of Divinity

Select emphases and minors may be added to any program.



For a full list of classes and professors, scan the QR code!





Biblical Studies

Our professors have real-life experience.
They have taught all over the world yet will know you by name.

Biblical Worldview: 1-year certificate

If you are like 75% of students who aren't quite sure what God wants, this degree will help you transition into a two-year or four-year degree.

Biblical Studies: 2-year (A.A.) or 4-year (B.S., B.A.)

Choose from 9 different minors and emphases (listed on page 4).

Core Classes

- Acts
- Foundations for Biblical Exposition
- Genesis
- Introduction to Bible Study
- Matthew
- New Testament Survey
- Old Testament Law, History, Poetry
- Old Testament Prophets
- Romans
- Biblical Studies Senior Project

* Looking to counsel?

Pursue an emphasis in
Biblical Counseling!



Emphasis Highlight

Missionary Nursing

Co-op with Mercy College of Health Sciences—top nursing school in the state.

Year 1 and 4 – Faith Classes

Year 2 and 3 – Mercy Classes

"My time at Faith was invaluable. It left me with godly, lifelong friendships and a solid Biblical foundation for life. As I take care of people every day as a physician, it is my goal to not only limit disease and alleviate suffering, but also tend to the spiritual needs of my patients." —Aaron Hemsworth, Medical Student, Des Moines University



Local Church Discipleship Ministries

You Might Like This Program If...

- You want to make an impact for Christ in your church community
- You want to be prepared to serve members of your church
- You have a strong interest in the discipleship of others

Choose from 7 different minors and emphases (listed on page 4).

Core Classes

- Administering Local Church Discipleship
- Introduction to Local Church Ministries
- Discipleship of Children
- Foundations of Biblical Counseling
- Methods of Biblical Counseling
- Principles of Bible Teaching
- LCDM Internship



Emphasis Highlight

Christian Camp

This emphasis focuses on training for discipleship and Biblical counseling in a camp context, as well as instruction in camping philosophies, programming, values, methods, and more.



Music Degrees

Choose between Music Education, B.S. or Sacred Music, B.S.

Focuses

- Choral
- Composition
- Instrumental
- Piano
- Piano Pedagogy
- Voice

Core Classes

- Aural Skills I, II, III, IV
- Keyboarding Proficiency
- Music History I, II
- Music Theory I, II, III, IV
- Music Internship or Student Teaching

Potential Career Paths

- Sacred Music Publishing/Recording
- Christian School Instrumental or Vocal Teacher
- Public School Instrumental or Vocal Teacher
- Worship Leader
- Orchestra Director
- Professional Singer
- Vocal Coach

Meet your professor

Dr. Chris Ellis

Whether you are the next worship leader, music educator, or just love music, come to excel and learn from Dr. Chris Ellis.

- B.A. and M.A., Faith Baptist Bible College and Theological Seminary
- M.M., St. Cloud State University
- D.A., Ball State University
- Music Director, Ankeny Baptist Church



Office Administration

Faith's Office Administration program prepares you for administrative assistant roles in Christian ministries as well as professional businesses. Not only will you gain professional skills through your classroom experience and internship, you will also receive excellent Bible training that is integrated into your studies. Your education will help you navigate business computer software with ease and equip you with vital professional skills to assist in an office setting.

2-year - Office Administration (A.A.)

4-year

- Local Church Discipleship Ministries/Office Administration (B.S.)
- Organizational Leadership/Office Administration (B.S.)

Core Classes

- Accounting I, II
- Business Communications
- Computer Applications I, II
- Event Planning
- Introduction to Word
- Intermediate Word
- Office Procedures
- Office Administration Internship



"The skills I learned in my office classes such as keyboarding, letter writing, and office procedures have been helpful in my current job. Also, I still have different truths that I learned through Bible classes and chapel that come to mind as I face different situations in life."

— Wendy Busenitz



Organizational Leadership

Prepare to become a great leader—in business, ministry, your church, and your community. The Organizational Leadership degree at Faith is similar to a traditional business degree but is so much more...

Organizational Leadership at FBBC

Balance of hard and soft skills
Problem solving
Counseling
Ministry mindset
Biblical integration

vs.

Traditional Business Degree

Focus on hard skills
No Biblical integration
No ministry mindset

*** Add a minor or emphasis!**

- Office Administration Minor
- Sports Management Emphasis

Pastoral Studies

Choose from 7 different minors and emphases (listed on page 5).

Core Classes

- Church Administration
- Introduction to Homiletics
- Pastoral Counseling
- Pastoral Theology
- Senior Pastoral Seminar
- Serving on the Pastoral Staff
- Pastoral Internship

“God used Faith to equip me with a variety of skills in studying God’s Word, preaching God’s Word, leading God’s people, and serving God’s church. More important than that though, God graciously worked through the relationships built at Faith to transform my heart, ‘working in me what is pleasing in His sight’ (Heb. 13:21).”

—Jeff Dilyard



Meet your professor

Dr. Dean Taylor

Dr. Taylor has 25 years of pastoral experience. He is the author of “The Thriving Church: The true measure of growth,” and podcasts at Shepherdology.



Teacher Education Degrees

Do you love kids? Prepare for your career as a teacher!

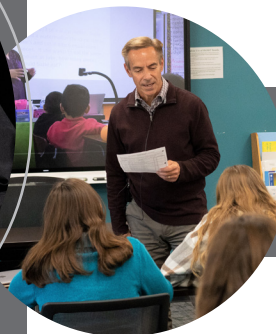
Elementary Education, B.S.

Secondary English Education, B.S.

Secondary World History Education, B.S.

Endorsements

- K-8 Reading
- K-8 English/Language Arts
- 5-8 Middle School (Social Studies and English/Language Arts)
- K-12 Coaching
- K-12 ESL (English as a Second Language)



100% job placement for education majors

100% Praxis test pass rate

Graduates in 25 states and all over the world

Core Classes

- Clinical Practice Seminars I, II, III, IV
- Education Seminar
- Educational Technology
- Foundations of Education
- Human Growth and Development
- Philosophy of Education
- Praxis: Theory to Practice
- The Exceptional Learner
- Student Teaching

“We know that when we hire a graduate of the Faith Baptist Bible College Education Department that they will be thoroughly trained in handling the Word and infusing Biblical truth into their teaching in all subject areas. It is a pleasure for us to be able to be a part of that training through hosting their student teachers. FBBC is making an impact across the street and around the world with their teacher preparation program.” —Chris Murphy, Superintendent, Grand View Christian School



World Missions

Faith has been preparing missionaries for over 100 years.
It is not just a program; *it is our DNA.*

World Missions (A.A)

World Missions (B.S., B.A.)

Emphases for four-year degrees

- Homiletics
- Homiletics/Greek
- Women's Ministry

Core Classes

- Community Outreach
- Current Issues in Missiology
- Introduction to Missions and Evangelism
- History of World Missions
- Missions Internship Seminar
- Non-Christian Religions
- Readings in Missiology
- Sharing in Jewish Culture
- Theology of Missions
- World Missions Internship



Brenna Hammons

World Missions Internship



Luke and Bethany Snell

BMM Missionaries in Ingelheim, Germany

"We praise the Lord for the theological and practical training we received at Faith Baptist Bible College and Theological Seminary. Through our classes, we gained a deeper knowledge of God's Word and learned how to properly exegete and effectively communicate Scripture. Our time as RAs and in the music ensembles gave us practical experience in counseling, discipling and ministering to people. We are so thankful for our time at Faith and how it effectively prepared us to serve the Lord as missionaries in Germany!"





Faith at a Glance

SINCE 1921

#1 college or university in the state of Iowa for
2022 Praxis Exam results

#3 Best Bible College in America (Christian
University Online)

#5 Social Mobility/Financial Assistance (U.S. News
& World Report 2022-2023 Best Colleges)

#20 Best Bang for the Buck Colleges in Midwest
2022 (Washington Monthly College Guide)

60% graduated debt-free (2022)

99% receive financial aid

10,000+ alumni from 50 states and 30 countries

Approaching a decade of consecutive years of
enrollment growth

Financially sound, which means lower tuition than
most private schools and that, Lord willing, we
will still be here 100 years from now!

Flexible Learning

Online Education

- High school juniors and seniors: Get a head start on earning college credits now by taking online courses at Faith!
- Don't let work, ministry, or geography slow you down. Begin from home NOW to prepare for what God has for you to do. We bring the classroom to you!

Biblical Studies, Emphasis in Biblical Foundations (B.S.)

- This program is designed to be a flexible Biblical Studies degree, available completely online! Students complete core Biblical Studies and Gen. Ed. classes but have the ability to choose a number of electives to reflect his or her interests and ministry goals.



Faith Abroad

Faith Abroad offers students a chance to study overseas or in a North American urban center for one of their college semesters. Students continue their coursework at Faith by taking online or blended classes while at the same time experiencing missionary work in a new culture.



Camp2Us

Earn college credit while serving at camp! Through Faith's unique Camp2Us program, you can take online classes while working part-time or full-time at church camp.



Apply today at
apply.faith.edu



Prepare Socially

Great facilities

Quality Coaches

Athletics

Continue your athletic career in a competitive Christlike environment. The Eagles participate in the National Christian College Athletic Association (NCCAA) Division II.

Programs offered:

- Men's and Women's Soccer
- Men's and Women's Basketball
- Men's and Women's Cross Country
- Men's and Women's Track and Field
- Women's Volleyball

Faith's Athletics programs have captured:

72

All-American Awards

20

National Tournament Appearances



Player Highlight Jayce Goergen

"I love playing basketball at Faith because I have been able to play the sport with a bunch of young men who are passionately following Jesus. We see basketball as a way to share the gospel and be a good testimony to everyone we play but still work hard wanting to win every game. It has prepared me for life because Coach Fincham has said there will be times you don't want to practice hard, do a specific drill, or a specific assignment in a game, but you have to do it anyway. Coach Fincham does a wonderful job of showing that basketball and ministry have a lot of similarities, and how you build those habits now will be how you live the rest of your life."



Interested in hearing from the athletic department?
Visit fbbceagles.com or scan the QR code.

Extracurricular

- Drama
- Future Christian Teachers' Association
- Global Reach Connect
- Intramural Sports
- Music Opportunities
 - Chamber Choir
 - Chapel Orchestra
 - Chorale
 - Community Orchestra
 - Spring chorale tour
 - Teach at Faith Music Academy
 - Travel overseas
 - Uplift Ministry Team



“Extracurriculars at Faith have provided opportunities for many relationships and helped me develop skills in areas that college can’t teach. Chorale has helped me to prize communicating God’s truth through music. At Global Reach Connect I have loved gaining a wider perspective on missions, building friendships with other mission-minded students, developing a relationship with the Lounsboroughs, and interacting with a wide variety of missionaries. Overall, these activities help me learn important life lessons in a fun and exciting way that breaks the routine of regular classes.” —David Farlow



Scan the QR code to
see more campus life



Lifelong Relationships

Develop godly lifelong friendships by doing life together for one, two, or four years.

Your home away from home

- Separate men's and women's residence halls
- 52-acres suburban campus in Ankeny, Iowa



Faith Favorites

Some of the favorite things named by our students at Faith

- Christmas dinner and tree lighting
- Spirit Week
- Disc golf
- The pond
- Campus Cleanup Day
- SA activities
- Intramurals



The best way to know the heart of our students is to visit Faith!
Scan the QR code to schedule a visit today!



About Ankeny, Iowa

Population 70,287

Fourth-fastest growing city in U.S.
(2018 U.S. Census)

#1 best place to raise a family in Midwest
(2022 Dwellics.com)

Over 2,000 new jobs added in 2020
(City of Ankeny)

Average salary of \$55,233
(City of Ankeny)





Prepare Spiritually...

To be God-focused

Deepen groups
Daily chapel
Discipleship
Dedicated staff and faculty

And Eternity-minded



Dr. Jim Tillotson
President

Dr. Jim has a heart of a pastor and the vision of a leader.

Jim Tillotson is the president of Faith Baptist Bible College and Theological Seminary in Ankeny, Iowa. He has served as president since June of 2015, after serving for 18 years as the senior pastor of Meadowlands Baptist Church in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. During his time in Canada, he led Meadowlands Baptist in planting three new churches and helped begin a Christian school and a small Bible institute.

Jim holds Bachelor of Arts (1990) and Master of Ministry (2002) degrees from Northland Baptist Bible College. In 2016, Bob Jones University conferred an honorary Doctor of Divinity degree on him. Jim serves on the council of Baptist Mid-Missions and the board of Grand View Camp in Eagar, Arizona.



Prepare to be a Servant Leader

We want to help you transition from high school to the rest of your life!

Develop your leadership ability at FBBC

- Camp Team (Contenders, Impact)
- Campus event volunteers
- Class officers
- Faith Abroad
- Music ministry (Uplift, Orchestra, Chorale)
- Required local church ministry
- Student Association
- World Missions internships



“The professors and student life at Faith equipped me with tools to reach children with the Word of God in our camp setting at Iowa Regular Baptist Camp. I was taught how to minister to different ages effectively while keeping the glory of God front and center.” —William Felderman



“If serving is beneath you, leadership is beyond you.”

—Dr. Les Ollila, Campus Chaplain

World Missions Internship

Katie England, Ghana



One of the most **affordable Christian colleges in America!**

99% of Faith students receive financial aid

60% of students graduated debt-free in 2022

To receive a scholarship award package from Faith, complete the following:

- Online Faith College Application
- Scholarship Interview
- FAFSA
- ACT/SAT



We can help!

**Visit during our Fall or Spring
Scholarship Weekends. Learn
more at faith.edu/events.**



Your Preparation Starts Now!

**To apply to Faith, complete
the following:**

- Apply at faith.edu/admissions/apply
- ACT/SAT/CLT*
- Official High School Transcript**
- Pastoral Reference
- Official College Transcript (*if transferring in credits*)



Questions? Contact an Admissions Rep at
admissions@faith.edu or 1.888.324.8448
Scan the QR code to apply!

*Not required over age 24 or successful completion of 24 college credits.

**Can be a current transcript followed by a final transcript after graduating.



95% of our students would recommend FBBC to students just like you!



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