

## Overview of Student's Christian Ministry Requirements:

The following Calvary students are required to complete a certain amount of Christian Ministry credits in order to graduate from Calvary University:

- All Undergraduate students
- Early College and Dual Enrolled students enrolled in an Associates Degree Program or the One Year Certificate Program.
- Graduate students in the following programs:
  - Master of Arts in Bible and Theology
  - Master of Arts in Biblical Counseling
  - Master of Divinity

### Christian Ministry Credits and Debriefing Interviews needed for graduation for all Undergrad Students:

Each undergrad student will need to complete the following CM credits and Debriefing Interviews for graduation.

4 year degree – 7 CM credits with 4 Debriefing Interviews

2 year degree - 3 CM credits with 2 Debriefing Interviews

1 year certificate - 1 CM credit with one Debriefing Interview

### Christian Ministry Credits and Debriefing Interviews needed for graduation for the following Graduate Students:

#### **Master of Arts in Bible and Theology**

Degree requires 36 class credits and 2 CM credits with 1 Debriefing Interview

#### **Master of Arts in Biblical Counseling**

Degree requires 51 class credits and 3 CM credits with 2 Debriefing Interviews

#### **Master of Divinity**

Degree requires 75 class credits and 4 CM credits with 2 Debriefing Interviews

#### **Master of Divinity 5 year BA and Master of Divinity**

Degree requires 8 CM credits and 4 Debriefing Interviews

All students who are not required to do Christian Ministry in our Master degree programs and our Doctor of Philosophy in Bible & Theology program are allowed and encouraged to participate in the Christian Ministry program either in part or the whole if they so desire to do so.

**Requirements for earning a Christian Ministry Credit** are the same for all students as outlined in this Christian Ministry Handbook.

**Transfer credits:** For every 15 credits transferred into Calvary the Christian Ministry credits needed to complete a degree and graduate will be reduced by 1. If, while attending Calvary, a student takes classes at another institution and transfer them into Calvary, those credits earned will be treated as transfer credits and this may also reduce their required CM credits for graduation.

**Every Calvary student required to do Christian Ministry** will need to complete at least 1 Christian Ministry and 1 Debriefing Interview regardless of credits transferred in or the field of study they are seeking to complete.

**Early College and Dual Enrollment Students enrolled in a two year Associates Degree Program** are required to fulfill the regular Christian Ministry credits needed to earn a regular undergrad associates degree which is 3 Christian Ministry credits with 2 Debriefing Interviews.

**Early College and Dual Enrollment Students enrolled in a One Year Certificate Program** are required to fulfill the regular Christian Ministry credits needed to earn a One Year Certificate which is 1 Christian Ministry credit with 1 Debriefing Interview.

**Early College and Dual Enrollment Students** that are not in an Associate's Degree Program or the One Year Certificate Program are not required to participate in the Christian Ministry program but are encouraged to be involved in Christian Ministry and a local church. However, if at any time they decide to pursue a degree program, they are responsible for fulfilling all of the Christian Ministry credits that the degree they are pursuing requires.

**Non-Degree Seeking Students** are not required to participate in the Christian Ministry program but are encouraged to be involved in Christian ministry and a local church. However, if at any time they decide to pursue a degree program they are responsible for fulfilling all of the Christian Ministry credits that the degree they are pursuing requires.