

ASSESSMENT PLAN

MASTER OF MINISTRY PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES (PLO)

Students who successfully complete the Master of Ministry degree in the School of Theology and Christian Ministry will be able to:

PLO 1: Incorporate Christian Formation in the local congregation and the life of the minister.

PLO 2: Interpret Scripture especially as related to preaching and teaching in the local church.

PLO 3: Explain the nature, mission and social context of the Church, especially as related to ecclesial practices and the leadership of the pastor in the local congregation. ILO:

PLO 4: Analyze theology, ethics, and Church history, especially as related to the Wesleyan tradition and contemporary ministry.

PROGRAM CURRICULUM MAP

Two Year: 2016-2018

Courses	Year Offered	Learning Outcomes			
		PLO 1	PLO 2	PLO 3	PLO 4
CMI 676	FA 2016			X	
CMI 646	SP 2017			X	
CMI 612	SP 2017	X			
CMI 622	SU 2017		X		
CMI 635	FA 2017		X		
CMI 652	SP 2018				X
CMI 662	SP 2018	X			
CMI 672	SU 2018				X

*Courses in red indicate core courses.

Multi-Year Assessment Plan

2016-2017 PLO 1, PLO 3

2017-2018 PLO 2, PLO 4

MULTI-YEAR ASSESSMENT PLAN

Academic Year: 2016-2017—Assessing: Program Learning Outcome #1 and #3

PLO 1: Incorporate Christian Formation in the local congregation and the life of the minister. ILO: Serving, Growing

Course: CMI 612- Christian Formation (Spring 2017)

Key Assignment: Student will prepare a final Christian Formation Plan with the following content:

- Theology of Christian Formation
- Context for Ministry (including general demographics and a description of location)
- Christian Education Leadership Team description
- A 4 week Advent Plan
- Summary of Learning

PLO 3: Explain the nature, mission and social context of the Church, especially as related to ecclesial practices and the leadership of the pastor in the local congregation. ILO: Learning, Growing

Course: CMI 646- Church in Mission (Spring 2017)

Key Assignment: Students will complete a final paper that includes the following sections:

- An overview of the nature and mission of the Church, especially as it relates to the Wesleyan theological heritage and the Missional Church literature.
- Practical illustrations of missional churches based on at least three interviews with pastors and/or personal observations of churches that are considered to be effective missional models.
- A plan for implementing practices in your local congregation that will assist the church in becoming more missional.

Academic Year: 2017-2018—Assessing: Program Learning Outcome #2 and #4

PLO 2: Interpret Scripture especially as related to preaching and teaching in the local church. ILO: Learning, Serving

Course: CMI 635- Christian Scripture (Fall 2017)

Key Assignment: Student will write a 5-7 page paper reviewing the nature and authority of Scripture and how it can be effectively incorporated into the worship of a local congregation or in your place of ministry service.

PLO 4: Analyze theology, ethics, and Church history, especially as related to the Wesleyan tradition and contemporary ministry. ILO: Learning

Course: CMI 652- Christian Tradition (Spring 2018)

Key Assignment: The student will write a final paper (minimum five pages) which addresses the following prompts: Why is this doctrine important for the faith and practice of the church? Describe how faith and practice would be different without this doctrine. What are the relevant historical controversies surrounding this doctrine? What is the biblical basis of this doctrine?