



Western Ministry Institute Academic Calendar 2026-2027 – Cohort 2

Convocation: Tuesday, August 18, 2026, 6pm (PT)

Cohort 2: Winter 2026 Trimester – (Registration ends Friday, December 12, 2025)

Weekday Online Courses	<u>Choose: Tuesday 7pm PT OR Thurs. (5-6:30 pm or 7-8:30 pm PT)</u>	
BIBL 121 Old Testament Survey (7wks)	1.5-2.22	Dr. Kirby Silo
BIBL 122 New Testament Survey (7wks)	2.23-4.19 (No 3.31 or 4.2)	Pastor Elizabeth Ewens, M.A.
Saturday Online Seminars	<u>Choose one Saturday for each course (8:30 am-5pm PT)</u>	
BIBL 110 Biblical Interpretation	1.17 OR 1.24	Dr. Larry Powers
BIBM 120 Spiritual Formation/Disciplines	1.31 OR 2.28	Pastor Marty Walker, M.A./ Dr. Chuck Shoemake
BWSH 110 Worship Seminar	2.21 (Live Str/In-Per)	Sy Goraieb/team
BIBT 125 Seminar in Pneumatology	3.14 OR 3.21	Dr. Lee Schnabel

Cohort 2: Spring 2026 Trimester – (Registration ends Friday, March 20)

Weekday Online Courses	<u>Choose: Tuesday 7pm PT OR Thurs (5-6:30 pm or 7-8:30 pm PT)</u>	
BIBT 120 Foursquare Theology 1 (5wks)	4.20-5.24	Lisa Penberthy, M.Div.
BIBT 121 Foursquare Theology 2 (5wks)	6.1-7.5	Dr. Rick DelaTorre
Saturday Online Seminars	<u>Choose one Saturday for each course (8:30 am-5pm PT)</u>	
BIBM 100 Focusing Leaders	4.11 OR 4.18	Dr. Ken Bringas
BIBM 110 Pastoral Coaching Seminar	5.9 OR 5.16	Pstrs Dale and Amy Swanson

Cohort 2: Fall 2026 Trimester

Weekday Online	<u>Choose: Tuesday 7pm PT OR Thurs (5-6:30 pm or 7-8:30 pm PT)</u>	
BIBH 120 Church History (5wks)	8.25-9.27	Pastor Yolanda Spencer, M.A.
BIBM 121 Pastoral Perspectives (7wks)	10.6-11.17	Dr. Jan Spencer, Coordinator

10/6,8 Dr. Carleton Lincoln – Diversity and Reconciliation; 10/13,15 Pstrs Joe and Evelyn Hernandez M.A.'s – Multi-Site and Marriage; 10/20,22 Pstr Jim Duran – City Ministry; 10/27,29 Dr. Loren Houlberg - Pastoral Grit; 11/3,5 Rev. Jennifer Thigpen, M.Div. – NextGen and Diversity; 11/10,12; Pstr Todd Clease – Inner City; 11/17,19 Pstr Vaughn Fahrenbruck M.A. – Rural Ministry

Saturday Online Seminars	<u>Choose one Saturday for each course (8:30 am- 5pm PT)</u>	
BIBH 110 Foursquare History/Doctrine	9.12 OR 9.19	Lisa Penberthy, M.Div.
BCOM 110 Biblical Preaching/Teaching	10.3 OR 10.10	Dr. Dan Stewart
BLDR 110 Leadership	10.24 OR 11.7	Dr. Dennis Easter
BIBT 110 Missions 101	11.21 OR 12.5	Scott Winter/Dr. Ted Vail

Graduation **6.26, 2027 11 am-12:30 pm** **June 26, 2027, 11am**

ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES:

BIBM 111 Mentoring Internship	On-going	Pastor Yolanda Spencer, M.A.
BIBM 103.99 Ministry Outreach	Final trimester	Pastor Wendy Stevenson, M.A.
Orientation (Mandatory for new students, Mentors invited)		
Winter Cohort 2	Tuesday, December 16, 2025 (5:00 pm) and (7:00 pm) Pacific	
Spring Cohort 2	Tuesday, March 31, 2026 5:00 pm) and (7:00 pm) Pacific	