

## TERM 2 2026 COURSE PROSPECTUS

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### UNDERGRADUATE COURSES

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**BI 163 METHODS OF BIBLE STUDY**  
**(3 credits)**  
**Online learning**

**Lecturer: Richard Ong, MTS, M.Soc.Sc.(Counselling)**

**6 - 22 May (Wed - Fri)**  
**2.00 PM - 6.00 PM**

Register

An introduction to basic approaches to the study of the Bible within an inductive study framework. Application of the methods is made to selected Bible passages. This course and schedule is newly minted for church pastors and leaders who are working in the marketplace and can only take courses on Saturdays. Modules/courses with class sessions on Saturdays only will be offered once every 6 months so the academic load will not be so heavy.



**PC 122 INTRODUCTION TO PASTORAL CARE**  
**(3 credits)**  
**Online learning**

**Lecturer: Dr. Steve Chandler, D.Min**

**6 - 8, 20 - 22 (Wed-Fri), 26 (Tue), 28 & 29 May (Thu&Fri)**  
**9.00 AM - 1.00 PM**

Register

This course introduces students to the foundational principles and practices of pastoral counselling. It explores counselling challenges unique to pastoral ministry, focusing on the personal and professional dimensions of the pastor's role. Students will also engage with common counselling issues encountered in pastoral settings. Emphasis is placed on the pastoral team's responsibility to support individuals across all stages of life - from infancy to old age.



**BI 325 GENERAL EPISTLES**  
**(3 credits)**  
**Online learning**

**Lecturer: Dr. Victor Lee, Ph.D**

**3 - 19 Jun (Wed - Fri)**  
**2.00 PM - 6.00 PM**

Register

This course offers an in-depth study of the General Epistles (James, 1& 2 Peter, and Jude) with attention to historical setting, literary features, theology, and contemporary application for church and society. Special emphasis is given to issues of suffering and persecution, Christian identity and holiness, faith and works, false teaching, and pastoral formation in the life of the church.

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## MASTER COURSES

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**PC 600 PASTORAL COUNSELLING**  
(3 credits)  
Online learning

**Lecturer: Dr. Steve Chandler, D.Min**

Register

**6 - 8, 20 - 22 (Wed-Fri), 26 (Tue), 28 & 29 May (Thu&Fri)**  
**Time: 9.00 AM - 1.00 PM**

Grounded in biblical principles, the course aims to deepen understanding of personal wholeness, healing, and human relationships. Key topics include grief and end-of-life counselling, conflict resolution within the church, group counselling dynamics, counselling theories, marital and family therapy, and practical ethical practices.



**BTH 537 STUDIES OF THE GENERAL EPISTLES**  
(3 credits)  
Online learning

**Lecturer: Dr. Victor Lee, Ph.D**

Register

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**2.00 PM - 6.00 PM**

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## SATURDAY WEEKLY COURSE

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Register

**CM 360 PRINCIPLES OF CHURCH LEADERSHIP**

(3 credits)

Online learning

**Lecturer: Dr. Ang Eng Eng, D.Min**

**6 Jun - 1 Aug (8 Sats)**

- Break 20 Jun

**2.00 PM - 6.30 PM**

As preacher, pastor, teacher, administrator and organizer, the minister employs different leadership styles that enable him to function effectively in his various roles. The minister also trains and develops leaders even as he leads. Styles of leadership and the tasks involved in these roles as well as the problems encountered in fulfilling them are studied and evaluated in this course. Special attention is given to principles found in the writings of the Apostle Paul.

**PT 670 DEVELOPING CHURCH LEADERS**

**(3 credits)**

Online learning

**Lecturer: Dr. Ang Eng Eng, D.Min**

**6 Jun - 1 Aug (8 Sats)**

- Break 20 Jun

**2.00 PM - 6.30 PM**

The need and responsibility to develop on-going leadership in the church is the primary emphasis in this course. Major components of leadership are analyzed including: character, vision development, qualifications, skills, relationships, and personal giftings and abilities. The biblical models and examples found in both the Old and New Testaments are studied carefully. Sound principles that are evident in contemporary leadership philosophies and styles also are observed and assessed.

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## ABOUT THE LECTURERS

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### **RICHARD ONG, MTS, M.Soc.Sc, Counselling**

Richard Ong has been a part of Victory Family Centre since 1979. An ardent believer and lover of God's Word who embraced 2 Tim. 2:15 and Eph. 4:12-14 strongly, pursued his theological studies with ATC and graduated with a Bachelor in Theology and a Masters in Theological Studies. Besides teaching regularly in the Life in the Word classes and School for Christian Growth program in VFC, he is also an adjunct lecturer with ATC and AGBC. Currently, he is serving as a Zone Care Minister and Regional Minister for Ministry Coordination in North-East Region.

Richard's fervent passion to help others in needs compels him to complete his Masters of Social Science (Counselling) with the University of South Australia. For the past 28 over years, he has been actively involved in counselling works, both in church and counselling centres, with youths, young couples, and families from all socio-economic status. Besides counselling, Richard also teaches counselling courses in various training schools. In addition, he conducts family, marriage, and parenting enrichment workshops and seminars. Furthermore, Richard is also an authorized T-JTA instructor and member of various professional organizations, viz. American Counselling Association, American Association of Christian Counsellors, AACC Marriage & Family Network, Society for Christian Psychology, Action Group for Mental Illness, Association for Psychiatric Rehabilitation, etcetera.



### **DR. STEVE CHANDLER, D.Min**

Steve Chandler has a BA from Bethany College (1974), MRE at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary (1976) and D.Min from Carey Theological College, University of British Columbia (2005).

He joined the leadership team of the 2000 member Trinity Church, Lubbock, Texas. While serving at Trinity, membership grew to 6000. In 1979 Steve accepted the Associate Pastor's position at the prominent 2000 member Cathedral of Faith, San Jose, California. He recruited and developed the pastoral and departmental leadership teams, assisting growth to 6000 members.

In 1997, Steve was invited to the Senior Pastor of Cornerstone Assembly in Crescent City, California. From an incomplete and financially overextended building program with barely 90 in attendance, Steve led the church to financial stability, completion of the new facility worth \$2.2 million, and tripled attendance in just three years.

In 2003, Steve joined the faculty of Northwest University in Kirkland, Washington. The following year he was appointed Chair, Church Ministries Department at Northwest University.

From 2008 - 2013, Steve was holding several portfolios in the theological education arena: as the Program Director of Church Leadership and Advisor to Church Leadership, General Ministries and Youth as Branch Director, Assemblies of God Theological Seminary, West coast (2008 - 2013); as President, Craig College of Ministry, California (2011 - 2013)

Currently, Steve serves as the President of Evangel Bible Translators. Steve brings with him extensive experience both in theological education and in the practical ministry field.



### **DR. VICTOR LEE, Ph.D**

Revd Dr Victor Lee has been the President of Bible College of Malaysia since January 2017. He is also an Executive Committee member of the Assemblies of God of Malaysia and a Council member of the National Evangelical Christian Fellowship (NECF). He holds a PhD in Divinity from the University of Aberdeen, Scotland. His thesis was published by Langham Monograph (2021) with the title Reading Johannine Dramatic Irony through Ancient Dramatic Devices.



### **DR. ANG ENG ENG, D.Min**

Dr Ang Eng Eng holds a Doctor of Ministry from the Assemblies of God Theological Seminary. Her D.Min project involved teaching Biblical Archaeology. Her academic path demonstrates her devotion to faith, which started at Victory Family Centre, where she spent a year on mission in Mexico City. She currently serves as a Regional Care Minister in her church.

After a long career in finance, Dr. Eng Eng made the bold decision to transition first to full-time seminary studies. Following this, she took on adjunct teaching at Asia Theological Center. Her ultimate goal is to profoundly impact the lives of believers by imparting the wisdom and teachings of the divine Word.

## **ACADEMIC PROGRAMS**

### **UNDERGRADUATE**

**Bachelor**

### **MASTER**

Master of Ministry Leadership, MML  
Master of Theology Education, MTE

Bachelor of Theology, B.Th  
Bachelor of Ministry Leadership (2  
Tracks), BML

- Church Leadership
- Pastoral Care

Bachelor of Missions Studies, BMS

Master of Theological Studies, MTS  
Master of Missions Studies, MMS

### Certificate

Certificate of Theology, Cert.Th  
Certificate of Ministry Leadership,  
Cert.ML

### Diploma

Diploma of Theology, Dip.Th  
Diploma of Ministry Leadership,  
Dip.ML (2 tracks)

- Church Leadership
- Pastoral Care

Diploma of Missions Studies, Dip.MS

## TUITION FEES With GST

### Undergraduate Courses

\$49.05 Admission Fee (One-time payment)  
\$49.05 Non-Matriculation Admission Fee (One-time payment)  
\$250.70 per course/module  
\$170.40 per audit course/module

### Master Courses

\$87.20 Admission Fee ( One-time payment)  
\$87.20 Non-Matriculation Admission Fee (One-time payment)  
\$392.40 per course/module  
\$239.80 per audit course/module

### Other Fees

\$27.25 Registration  
\$49.05 Late Registration  
\$70.85 "Walk-in\* Registration (Students who fail to register the day before the class starts are considered "walk-in" registrants).  
\$38.15 Program Change  
\$27.25 Course Change (Withdrawal/Add On/Change of Status) per module after registration)  
\$70.85 Directed Study per course/module ( Additional)  
\$70.85 Directed Study Grading Fee (per course/module)

### NOTES

*All fees, inclusive of 9% Government Service Tax (GST), are payable upon registration. All cheques should be made payable to "Asia Theological Center". Internet payment to UOB Account No 101-341-455-1.*

### TUITION FEE DISCOUNTS

ATC offers tuition fee discounts for VFC members taking classes in ATC (Discount is applicable only to those who enrol for credit.)

CATEGORIES OF STUDENTS ENTITLED TO DISCOUNT	DISCOUNT
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Full Time Ministerial Staff	50%
Regional Ministers, Zone Leaders, ACMs & Other Ministry Heads*	40%
Connect Group Leaders*	30%
Members*	20%

*\*Members must be attending Connect/Care Groups on a regular basis. Verification may be required. **Discount is applicable only to those who enrol for credit.***

*Note: Students from VFC should not neglect their progress in the life in the Word program (which is part of VFC's Christian Development Program) while pursuing studies in ATC.*

#### HOW TO REGISTER:

Registration is open now till **Tue, 14 April 2026**.

A late registration fee will be charged after the closing date of registration.

#### Application & Registration:

Interested applicants should complete the interactive/writable ATC registration form and email it back to ATC Student Services at: [studentservices.atc@gmail.com](mailto:studentservices.atc@gmail.com)

#### Academic Advising

*Students are encouraged to confer with Kathleen Lee for academic advising.*

#### Orientation

Admission office will contact new students for date & time of orientation.

This quarterly brochure and registration forms are also available at [www.atc.org.sg](http://www.atc.org.sg)

For more information, please call 60251284.

Or email: [registrar@atc.org.sg](mailto:registrar@atc.org.sg)

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