

**NEW HOPE MBC-SOUTHFIELD BIBLE INSTITUTE
2018 COURSE DESCRIPTIONS**

SPRING BIBLE INSTITUTE – SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 2018 – 8:00 AM TO 4:30 PM

- 7024 Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts** (Phase 2 Course)
This course will help students understand who God has uniquely made them to be. We will work through a spiritual gifts assessment that will help them to discover their personal spiritual gift(s). The discovery of their spiritual gift(s) will prepare them to move into a meaningful area of service where they best fit into the body of Christ.
- 7005 Christian Evangelism** (Phase 3 Course)
This course will teach the basic steps in developing a program of evangelism. Students will discover the appropriate Scriptures to use, and the methods, techniques, and media best suited for witnessing to nonbelievers.

SUMMER BIBLE INSTITUTE I – SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 2018 – 8:00 AM TO 4:30 PM

- 1072 Survey of the New Testament** (Phase 1 Course)
In this course, students will engage in a general overview of the divisions, time periods, places, events, people, and archaeology of the New Testament sections of the Bible.
- 9024 The Computer in the Life of the Church** (Phase 4 Course)
The purpose of this course is to train pastors, office workers, Christian educators, and others who want to utilize computer technology in the church. Issues in administration, setting up computer labs, tutorials on bible study, as well as membership record keeping and nurture will be covered in this course.

SUMMER BIBLE INSTITUTE II – SATURDAY, AUGUST 18, 2018 – 8:00 AM TO 4:30 PM

- 1007 Survey of the Old Testament** (Phase 1 Course)
In this course, students will engage in a general overview of the divisions, time periods, places, events, people, and archaeology of the Old Testament sections of the Bible.
- 2007 Christian Stewardship** (Phase 2 Course)
In this course, students will learn the basic tenets of Christian Stewardship—time, talent, and tithe. Students will begin to understand how to manage their resources effectively through a better understanding of the spiritual principles, practices, and contribution of Christian stewardship.
- 9926 How to Teach the Bible** (Elective Workshop)
This course is designed to teach students how to prepare effective Bible lessons and how to teach the Bible. Effective teaching skills and bible teaching resources will be shared with the students.

FALL BIBLE INSTITUTE I – SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2018 – 8:00AM TO 4:30 PM

- 1075 Synoptic Gospels** (Phase 2 Course)
This course focuses on the Synoptic Gospels—Matthew, Mark, and Luke. Students will study the life and ministry of Jesus Christ as portrayed by these three writers. Through this comparative study, students will gain a more comprehensive understanding of Jesus' ministry.

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- 8066 Christianity and Contemporary Issues (Phase 4 Course)**
Challenge the students to identify and confront contemporary issues. Students will examine issues that affect the church, home, and community. Students will think through practical solutions and approaches to immediate and emerging social and ecclesiological concerns.

FALL BIBLE INSTITUTE II – SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2018 – 8:00 AM TO 4:30 PM

- 1089 Survey of Romans (Phase 3 Course)**
In this course, students will engage in an overview of major issues presented in Paul's doctrinal letter to the Roman Christians. Students will come to recognize each doctrinal truth presented in this book.
- 2015 Foundations of Christian Ethics (Phase 4)**
In this course, students will focus on the philosophical and Christological approaches to Christian ethics. They will learn the biblical principles for righteous decision-making and conduct for living.

FALL BIBLE INSTITUTE III – SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2018 – 8:00 AM TO 4:30 PM

- 3007 History of Baptists (Phase 3 Course)**
In this course, students will examine the roots of the Baptist faith, and the historical development of the Baptist denomination.
- 8035 The African American Church and Social Justice (Phase 4 Course)**
In this course, students will investigate the lives, theology, and method of the great servants of God who dedicated their lives in the struggle for liberation of people. Students will discuss the role of the African American church in the struggle for liberation of people.