

diploma in youth ministry

- An in depth course covering youth ministry theory and practice, equipping you for professional youth ministry service.
- A course that allows you to keep serving in your church while you study – all papers can be done by distance, although optional block courses are available in Auckland.
- A course taught by experienced practitioners – between them our lecturers Merrilyn Withers and Murray Brown have over 50 years experience in paid youth ministry.
- “A course that is affordable—costs compare very favourably with other tertiary institutions.
- A course that provides an ongoing study track. Once you have graduated with your diploma you can work toward an NZQA Certificate in Applied Theology, Diploma in Mission or a Bachelor of Applied Theology through Carey Baptist College.

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The Diploma in Youth Ministry can be gained by completing four youth ministry papers from the Carey Baptist School of Applied Theology and Mission. An Advanced Diploma is awarded at the completion of two more advanced papers.

Each individual paper is NZQA recognised, which enables the student to go on to gain any of the following NZQA qualifications offered by Carey - Certificate in Applied Theology, Diploma of Applied Theology or a Bachelor of Applied Theology.

COST

Courses for credit (distance and onsite) cost \$598. Auditing of four day block courses (no assignments or grades) costs \$260 (fees at 2011).

ON SITE BLOCK COURSES

Every semester we offer one of our four diploma subjects as a four day block course at Carey Baptist College in Auckland. Details of dates and times of these courses can be found on our website.

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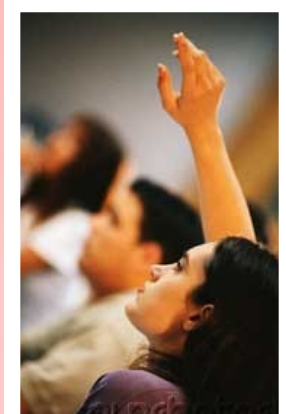
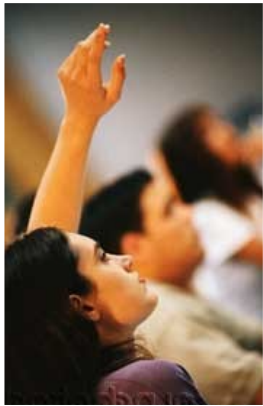
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Curriculum

MM573: INTRODUCTION TO YOUTH LEADERSHIP

Principles of Spiritual Leadership

Analyse the dynamics and responsibilities of Christian leadership, with particular reference to call, motivation, requirements, responsibilities, skills, style and trials.

Management and Ministry

Develop an understanding of the dynamics and requirements of management in ministry with particular reference to time and financial management, marketing, planning, delegation, motivation, decision making, conflict resolution, change management and discipline.

MM574: YOUTH MINISTRY DESIGN & PROGRAMMING

Youth Ministry Design

Develop a Biblical and appropriate youth ministry design with particular reference to philosophy, purpose, models of ministry, implementation, and integration with the wider church.

Youth Ministry Programming

Learn principles and practices of effective youth programming with particular reference to Bible study, prayer, worship, camping, evangelism, and mission.

MM575: PASTORAL CARE OF ADOLESCENTS

Adolescence

Learn developmental characteristics of adolescence such as physical, sexual, emotional, social, intellectual, moral and spiritual. Understand the impact of factors affecting behaviour such as personality, environment & the family.

Adolescent Pastoral Care

Learn principles and practices of pastoral care to adolescents with particular reference to personal qualities, listening skills, building helping relationships, common pastoral care issues, handling crises, confidentiality and referral.

MM670: MISSION WITHIN YOUTH CULTURE

Youth Culture

Explore cultural characteristics and trends affecting young people with particular reference to worldview, beliefs, values and behaviour. Use these insights to develop strategies to disciple young people.

Communication Skills

Learn principles and practices of effective communication through preaching, training and small group leadership. Understand the principles of teaching, learning, preparation, presentation, group dynamics and learning styles.

ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN YOUTH MINISTRY

MM675 ADVANCED PASTORAL CARE OF ADOLESCENTS

Advanced Pastoral Care of Adolescents I

Explore a range of common adolescent physiological and emotional issues, and learn effective pastoral care strategies for dealing with them.

Advanced Pastoral Care of Adolescents II

Explore a range of common adolescent social and spiritual issues, and learn effective pastoral care strategies for dealing with them.

MM676 YOUTH MINISTRY PHILOSOPHY AND PRACTICE

Youth Ministry Philosophy

Develop your own philosophical approach to youth ministry through the thorough examination of six distinct frameworks: theology, ecclesiology, developmental factors, culture, history and sociology.

Youth Ministry Practice

In the light of the changes in youth culture develop relevant and effective youth ministry practices that cover a wide range of leadership and programming issues.

