



Ministry

Bachelor of Science | Adult Undergraduate
College of Graduate, Online & Adult Learning

Prepare for a transformative career in Christian ministry with an online ministry degree. Engage with critical leadership training and graduate prepared for work in the church, mission field, and around the world.

22-26

months to complete
your degree



46-48

credits of program
coursework



\$440

per credit



Up to 16

graduate credits
earned toward a
master's program

Our online ministry degree may be the right fit if you...

- Seek to serve and disciple others in local church and nonprofit settings
- Value faith-infused curriculum that interlocks faith and purpose
- Appreciate an accelerated, online degree format that fits your busy life

Why study ministry at Northwestern?

Our ministry degree is intentionally designed to be both **realistically attainable** and **undeniably valuable**. Develop skills in teaching, counseling, and leadership so that you can make an impact in the world.

Program Features

- Practical ministry coursework immediately applicable to your current work or ministry
- Embedded concentration in Christian Studies
- Expert faculty who are active in ministry
- Weekly online meetings to connect with faculty and classmates



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“The ministry program gave me a foundation of Bible understanding, **critically examining ministry practices in the 21st century, spiritual development, and effective teaching practices.** The professors were amazing, answering questions, and providing meaningful teaching all with a Christian focus.”

- Bradley Mahal | Graduate Class of 2021

CONCENTRATION

Optimize your ministry degree by taking advantage of a valuable embedded concentration in Christian Studies. Students complete 10-12 credits specific to Christian Studies and establish a foundational understanding of the Bible, theology, and apologetics. You will take courses such as Survey of the Old/New Testament and Biblical Theology.

ACCELERATED M.A. IN MINISTRY LEADERSHIP

Students may apply to combine an undergraduate degree in ministry with an accelerated MA in Ministry Leadership. Ministry majors complete up to 16 credits of the MA degree during their undergraduate program and the remaining 20 credits during a fifth year of study.

Career Opportunities

Earning a ministry degree online at UNW will prepare you for a variety of careers and academic pathways, including:

- Camp administrator
- Campus ministry professional
- Christian education professional
- Curriculum writer (church/para-church)
- Disaster/aid relief worker
- Life skills coach
- Ministry support or coordination specialist
- Missionary
- Nonprofit leader
- Para-church ministry worker
- Pastoral roles
- Program administration or development specialist
- Social/human services worker or case manager

*Roles in some settings may require additional education or training.

Interested in learning more about our online ministry degree? **We'd love to talk!**

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