

CHRISTIAN MINISTRY, M.A.

Distance Exception Policy

Students who live more than fifty miles from PLNU's Point Loma campus may apply to participate in the in-person portion of each course synchronously online without traveling to campus. Students apply for the distance exception during the regular application process and, if granted, may choose to participate in the in-person portion of each course by traveling to campus or by attending those class days synchronously online.

Prerequisites

- Completion of an acceptable undergraduate degree from an accredited institution plus an established and current connection to ministry in a local church setting.
- Students should read carefully the general regulations concerning admission to a graduate program at Point Loma Nazarene University and the basic requirements for graduate degrees that appear in this Graduate Catalog.

Code	Title	Units
Required Courses		
BIB 6035	Christian Scripture	3
BIB 6037	Interpreting Christian Scripture	3
CHU 6052	Christian Tradition	3
CMI 6012	Christian Formation	3
CMI 6022	Preaching and Teaching the Scripture	3
CMI 6046	Church in Mission	3
CMI 6062	Leadership and Ministry	3
CMI 6076	Christian Mission in Local Contexts	3
CMI 6077	Congregational Discipleship and Formation	3
CMI 6078	Pastoral Care and Counseling	3
PHL 6011	Christian Ethics	3
THE 6072	Wesleyan Theology and Contemporary Ministry	3
Total Units		36

Transfer Credit

Students can transfer up to six (6) approved units from the following:

1. transfer of coursework from Nazarene Theological Seminary¹;
2. transfer of approved graduate-level course work;
3. cross-referenced graduate-level course work in the School of Theology and Christian Ministry; or
4. registration in CMI 6090 Special Studies.

¹ Students transferring units from Nazarene Theological Seminary may do so up to the limit approved by the Graduate and Extended Studies Committee and specified in the partnership agreement between PLNU and NTS.