

Evangelism II 208 Diploma Level



Classroom Hours: 24(minimum)

Description/Overview:

Evangelism Methods II explores conventional and creative methods of evangelism to aid and equip the believer in reaching their world for Christ. The message of the gospel does not change, but a variety of different methods and means may be employed to spread it. It is the will of Christ that the whole world hear, so we should tell all we can, while we can, in whatever way we can. This message was never meant to be contained within a box, even one full of tools, so let our methods be infused with “outside of the box” thinking and our hearts and minds ever turned toward souls and how to reach them.

Objectives:

At the end of this course the learner should be able to:

1. Comprehend the role of the evangelist in the church.
2. Realize and embrace the reality that evangelism is everyone’s job.
3. Better understand the many creative ways there are to share the gospel.
4. Utilize every one of the many evangelistic resources the church has at its disposal.
5. Explore the eighteen unique methods of evangelism laid out within the textbook.

6. Be able to implement at least twelve of the evangelism methods or strategies studied in this material.
7. Have an open mind to explore and develop other means of evangelism.
8. Encourage both traditional and unique methods of evangelism.
9. Acknowledge the role of the Holy Spirit in evangelism.
10. Develop a plan to practice evangelism as a core value in one's ministry and local church.

Topics/Concepts:

- The nature and necessity of evangelism
- The role friendship plays in reaching the lost
- The mission field contained within the world-wide web
- The effectiveness of product placement
- The part prayer plays in effective evangelism
- A lifestyle of holiness leading others to the cross
- The hope found in harnessing the air waves
- The practice of hospitality and how it relates to the pulse of evangelism.
- God's heart for the hurting and how it should affect our own
- The happy results of Home Bible Study
- The indispensable importance of knowing the Word
- Capitalizing on community outreach
- Moving forward with financial giving
- The nature of the evangelist
- The evangelistic sermon: foundation and formula
- Breaking into the field of prison ministry
- Reaching out to the elderly
- Door to door witnessing
- The specific impact of a singular cell group

Recommended Primary Textbook(s)

Tools of the Trade: Methods of Evangelism (GATS), Melinda Poitras

Recommended Alternatives:

Evangelism II (IABC), Ralph V. Reynolds

Overview of Lessons available in the Recommended Primary Textbook:

Evangelism
Friendship
World Wide Web
Product Placement
Prayer-Centric Evangelism
A Lifestyle of Holiness
Radio Evangelism
Hospitality
Humanitarian Aid
Home Bible Studies
Knowing the Word

Community Outreach
Financial Giving
The Evangelist
Evangelistic Sermons
Prison Ministry
Reaching the Elderly
Door Knocking
Cell Groups

Languages Available:

English, French and Spanish

Course Packet Resources:

Power Point for Evangelism II (IABC)
eBook of Evangelism II (IABC)

Comments:

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