Benefits from the Course

Personal Readiness

As a student you will gain a readiness and an empowering to make disciples who in turn make disciples of others.

Skills to assist (or lead) in the church

As a church leader you will have a better grasp of disciple-making in a church setting. As a church member without a ministerial title you will gain ways to assist your pastor in the most affective ways.

Access to the Gateway Seminary Library

As a student you have access to the resources in the libraries at all five campuses. Pastors can access the libraries for sermon preparation.

Discounts

As a student of Gateway Seminary you can receive 50% off Logos Bible Software.

Progress towards a Certificate / Diploma

Three different levels of degree programs exist: the certificate, the diploma, and the leadership diploma.

Eventual Graduation at Gateway

You may graduate on stage at one of the Gateway Seminary Campuses (your option).



Cost

The cost is greatly reduced to provide the equivalency of a Bible College and seminary training at an affordable price. Each 3-hour course is \$300. Additional costs include registration fees, and course materials.

Auditing Courses

Students may audit courses without having to do any assignments. However, no credits will be earned. A \$100 fee will still be required.

Statement on Accreditation

Neither O.N.E. School nor ADVANCE is a regionally or ATS accredited program. Course content is supervised by the ADVANCE National Office to ensure high standards. However, classes are post high school, not Master's level. The ADVANCE distinctive is its accessibility in terms of location, cost, and adaptability to a variety of local contexts. College or seminary credit may be obtained. Please contact Randy Langham for more details.

To Register

Contact O.N.E. School at 330-775-3401 or contact Randy Langham at 330-398-2455

Make checks payable to Steel Valley Baptist Association 545 Commerce Ave, NW Warren OH 44485

For More Information

Go to www.OhioNorthEast.com or go to the Gateway website at: www.gs.edu/academics/degrees/advance/

Fall Semester, 2022



Biblical • Practical • Accessible • Christ-Centered

Making Disciples

How would you like to ...

... make the greatest possible impact for God's kingdom?

... impacts others so much so their lives change dramatically?

... do the two things listed above and do them with enjoyment?



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Biblical • Missional • Global

Fall 2022 Course

Making Disciples

led by Dr. Randy Langham

Course Description

This course explores spiritual development as well as methods of discipleship practice in the church. Students will examine the biblical backgrounds of discipleship and the role of spiritual disciplines, accountability in spiritual growth, and community.

The best way to grow any ministry is to make disciples and work yourself out of a job. This course will also apply disciple-making on a personal basis, and develop a long-range plan for the local church in cooperation with church leadership.

Course Objectives

Upon the successful completion of this course, students should:

- 1. ... demonstrate understanding of the biblical mandate and models for discipleship.
- 2. ... be able to articulate how people grow in faith and practice in Christian life.
- 3. ... be able to apply the development of spiritual disciplines to the life of a believer.
- 4. ... demonstrate their ability to plan and design church practice for the development of discipleship.
- 5. ... be able to practice everyday relational disciple making skills.

Scriptural Bases for the Course

And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying,
"All authority has been given to Me in heaven and
on earth. Go therefore and make disciples of all
the nations, baptizing them in the name of the
Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching
them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I
am with you always, even to the end of the age."
(Matthew 29:18-20, NASB)

The things which you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses, entrust these to faithful men who will be able to teach others also.

(2 Timothy 2:2, NASB)

The Timing for the Course

The theme for Steel Valley Baptist Association in 2022 is "Advancing the Kingdom ... One Soul at a Time."

Testimony #1

I have thoroughly enjoyed all the classes I have taken from One School and Dr. Randy Langham. Each one has had a different influence and area I was able to learn and grow in. However, out of all the classes I believe if you only took one, it should be Making Disciples.

Testimony #2

One of the biggest take-aways for me was it gave me a way of thinking if I were to be gone for a year and I had only one year to disciple someone what would that look like ... That was another one that really stood out for me ... that made me like to think practical, plan, what did I want them to know. That was highly important to me

Ideal Participants for the Course

All Christians, especially Church Leaders

A primary responsibility for all believers is to make disciples who make disciples. Every Christian should be active in fulfilling his or her role in the church. Whatever those roles might be, the believers need to train others to do the job so well they are able in turn to train others to do the ministries. Every believer needs to work himself or herself out of a job on a regular basis. Humanly speaking, this sounds crazy. However, every great business leader knows this process is required to have a solid organization. (All students need to be at least 21 years old.)



Level of Difficulty

The courses offered at O.N.E. School within the ADVANCE program of Gateway are designed for the average adult to gain the equivalency of Bible College training taught at a reduced cost and set in a local context. The level of difficulty is post high school, but not necessarily at a Junior college level. At least three different levels of difficulty will be available for this semester:

- 1) the basic level works toward a certificate
- 2) the advanced level actually earns seminary credit at the Master's level, and
- 3) the easiest level where you audit the class and have no required assignments.