UNIVERSITY OF SAINT MARY FOUR-YEAR ACADEMIC PLAN

PASTORAL MINISTRY

This four-year plan is valid according to the USM Undergraduate Catalog and is subject to change. This guide is merely a recommendation. Your actual program may vary. Other factors may impact your time to degree and course sequencing. See the current USM Undergraduate Catalog at **http://www.stmary.edu/catalog** for more information, including USM academic policies, curriculum, pre-requisites, and course information.

Pastoral Ministry Major

33-36 credit hours

- BA Requires 128 total credit hours
- 48 credit hours of general education, 33 credit hours of electives (can include minor)
- 33-36 credit hours of major (24 theology, 9 pastoral ministry)
- Required courses are listed in **bold** below

Freshman Year (30 Credits - 24 GenEd, 6 Major)			
Fall (15 Credits: 12 GenEd, 3 Major)		**Spring (15 Credits: 12 GenEd, 3 Major)**	
Gen Ed: EN 111 Comp 1	3 credits	EN112 Comp II	3 credits
Gen Ed: Math	3 credits	Gen Ed: History	3 credits
GE114 - First Year Experience I	3 credits	GE115 - First Year Experience II	3 credits
Gen Ed: TH Elective	3 credits	Gen Ed: TH Elective	3 credits
Gen Ed: Philosophy	3 credits	Gen Ed: Behavior Science	3 credits

Sophomore Year (33 Credits – 21 Gen Ed, 6 Major)			
Fall (15 credits: 9 GenEd/Elective, 3 Major)		**Spring (18 credits: 6 GenEd, 3 Major)**	
PM320 Pers/Inter.Skls Min	**3 credits**	Elective	3 credits
Gen Ed: Nat. Science + Lab	3 credits	Gen Ed: Fine Arts	3 credits
Gen Ed: Literature	3 credits	**THMoral (230/235/340)**	**3 credits**
TH260 New Testament	**3 credits**	Gen Ed: Social Science	3 credits
TH elective	3 credits	**TH320 Images of Jesus**	**3 credits**
		Elective	3 credits

Junior Year (30 Credits – 12 Elective, 18 Major)			
Fall (15 credits: 6 Elective, 9 Major)		**Spring (18 credits: 6 Gen Ed/Elective, 9 Major)**	
Elective	3 credits	**TH325 Perspectives on Church**	**3 credits**
TH260 Old Testament	**3 credits**	**TH328 Christian Ethics**	**3 credits**
PM450 Past.Apps/Ministry	**3 credits**	Elective	3 credits
Elective	3 credits	Gen Ed: SCA250: Lifetime Wellness	3 credits
TH375 World Religions	**3 credits**	Elective	3 credits

Senior Year (33 Credits – 18 Elective, 12 Major)			
Fall (18 credits: 12 Elective, 6 Major)		**Spring (15 credits: 9 Elective, 6 Major)**	
PM Elective	3 credits	**TH 322 Theo. of Sacraments**	**3 credits**
Elective	3 credits	**PM 590/591 Reflection/Practicum**	**3 credits**
Elective	3 credits	Elective	3 credits
TH Elective	3 credits	Elective	3 credits
Elective	3 credits	TH Elective	3 credits
Elective	3 credits		

Total credits: 126. Students normally take other 1- or 2-credit classes to reach 128.