MTh in Practical Theology (General) (50776:889)

Specific Admission Requirements

See specific as well as supplementary admission requirements as for all MTh programmes.

Duration of Programme

- The duration of the programme is at least one year.
- A supervisor may, after consultation with the discipline concerned, require a minimum period of six months' residence for MTh students from outside Southern Africa.

Programme Structure

Because the programmes MPhil in Chaplaincy Studies and MTh Clinical Pastorate are being phased out, you can now follow the following two focuses in MTh in Practical Theology (General) too:

- *Chaplaincy Studies focus*

  You register for the MTh (structured option) in Practical Theology, and also take two Chaplaincy Studies modules in the Faculty of Military Science. For your MTh research assignment, you must research a theme that relates to Chaplaincy Studies.

  OR

- *Pastorate focus*

  As from 2015 no new students will be admitted to the programme MTh Clinical Pastorate. However, if you who want to specialise in Pastorate, you have to register for four modules in practical theology and choose one module in each of two supplementary subjects. For your MTh research assignment, you must research a topic that relates to Pastorate.

Programme Content

Total 180 credits

Compulsory Module

(credits = 60)

Research Assignment Practical Theology	875(60)

plus

Elective Modules

Choose four modules to the value of 80 credits from the subjects below.

(credits = 80)

Homiletics	872(20)
Ministry Practice	873(20)
Pastorate	872(20)
Theory, Practice and Community Development	872(20)
Youth work	872(20)

plus

Choose two more modules to the value of 40 credits from the subjects below **OR** choose one module to the value of 20 credits from the subjects below **plus** any relevant module to the value of 20 credits in Arts and Social Sciences or in another faculty.

(credits = 40)

Ecclesiology	873(20)
Gender Health and Theology	816(20)
Missiology	872(20)
New Testament	872(20)
Old Testament	872(20)
Systematic Theology	872(20)