



The Christ Chapel Leadership Residency is focused on the intentional development of each participant. It creatively blends practical ministry experience with opportunities for personal growth so that each person might be better equipped to fulfill God's highest calling on his or her life.

Who We Are

Established in 1980, Christ Chapel Bible Church is a non-denominational church centered on this mission:

Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. – Colossians 1:28

Rooted in Hebrews 13, our vision to be disciples, make disciples and reach those who do not yet know or walk with Jesus is elder-led and staff-run. We're putting this vision into action at each of our locations, in our communities and around the world in dynamic and exciting ways, the Christ Chapel Leadership Residency being one.

Throughout the program, you'll see more of what God is doing in and through Christ Chapel and, more importantly, what he's doing in and through you as you step further into your own individual call to follow Jesus, contribute to the faith of others and reach out to those far from God.

Program Overview

Actively participating in the life and body of Christ Chapel allows residents to be further equipped as ministry leaders by developing practical ministry skills, deepening biblical and theological knowledge and experiencing God-given growth in their character and passion for the gospel.

Residents contribute to and carry out essential ministry responsibilities alongside staff, engage in various meaningful, purposeful experiences and complete coursework through Dallas Theological Seminary as a part of their residency program. This is all aimed toward developing the skills, knowledge and maturity needed to lead in various contexts, whether vocational ministry, further seminary education, mission work or elsewhere.

**11 Months
(June – April)**

**Ministry +
Coursework**

**Curated
Ministry
Placements**

**Staff
Coaches +
Mentors**

**12 DTS
Credits**

**100%
Tuition Paid**

**Monthly
Stipend**

**Housing
Allowance**

The Christ Chapel Leadership Residency incorporates four academic courses accredited by Dallas Theological Seminary. After completing these courses on topics such as the study of Scripture, personal leadership, doctrines and disciplines, systematic theology and biblical hermeneutics, each resident will have obtained 12 credit hours by the end of the residency program.

Resident Development

In addition to the residency program's academic component, Christ Chapel fosters each resident's growth in both ministry development and spiritual discipleship.

MINISTRY DEVELOPMENT

- Individual guidance from dedicated ministry coaches
- Hands-on training, fostering a sense of ownership and developing direction
- Opportunities to observe, analyze and evaluate various aspects of ministry at Christ Chapel
- Responsibilities to engage with and oversee forward-facing ministry

SPIRITUAL DISCIPLESHIP

- Personalized shepherding and mentoring
- Ministry coaches train ongoingly to effectively disciple and mentor residents
- Guided integration of spiritual disciplines into daily routine
- Prioritization of spiritual growth above all else

Ministry Pathways

Throughout the application process, residents are paired with one of fourteen unique ministry pathways, each with a dedicated coach, to engage with throughout the duration of the residency program. These ministry pathways are designed to develop and disciple residents through specific, semester goals. Pathways include:

- College
- Communications
- Contemporary Worship
- Kids Ministry
- Local Outreach + Global Missions
- Men's Ministry
- Next Steps + Groups + Serving
- Operations
- Pastoral Care
- Soul Care
- Student Ministry
- Traditional Worship
- Women's Ministry
- Young Adult Ministry

Each 25-hour week includes 20 hours devoted to a resident's specific ministry pathway, with five hours reserved for residency classes.

READY FOR MORE?

Find FAQs, additional information and the Christ Chapel Leadership Residency application at www.cbcfamily.org/residency.