



# GREYFRIARS HALL

*Beta Year: Biblical Shepherding*

## READING LIST

*Blame it on the Brain*, Welch  
*Biblical Eldership*, Strauch  
*The New Testament Deacon*, Strauch  
*Leading in Worship*, Johnson  
*Disciplines of a Godly Man*, Hughes  
*Competent to Counsel*, Adams  
*The Reformed Pastor*, Baxter

## READING SCHEDULE

The reading for this class is primarily supplemental to the lectures. However, I would like the students to write a short (300-500 words) paper on the assigned reading for each day of class, to be sent to me via email before the class that it is due. The topic of the paper should be something that aroused the student's interest. The interest can either be against the opinion of the author or something that will make a difference in the student's life.

### *Jerusalem Term*

Week	Lecture Topic	Reading
1	Personal Ministry	<i>Disciplines of a Godly Man</i> , Hughes
2	Family Ministry	<i>The Reformed Pastor</i> , Baxter, Chapter I
3	Love the Sheep	<i>The Reformed Pastor</i> , Baxter, Chapter II
4	Know The Sheep	<i>The Reformed Pastor</i> , Baxter, Chapter III
5	Feed The Sheep	<i>The Reformed Pastor</i> , Baxter, Part I: Article I
6	Tend The Sheep	<i>The Reformed Pastor</i> , Baxter, Part I: Article II
7	Prayer	<i>The Reformed Pastor</i> , Baxter, Part I: Article III
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## *Nicea Term*

Week	Lecture Topic	Reading
1	Protecting the Flock	<i>The Reformed Pastor</i> , Baxter, Part I: Article IV & Part II
2	Church Discipline	<i>The Reformed Pastor</i> , Baxter, Part III
3	Planning/Vision	
4	Working with Elders	<i>Biblical Eldership</i> , Strauch, Chapters 1-5
5	Working with Volunteers	<i>Biblical Eldership</i> , Strauch, Chapters 6-10
6	Church Planting	<i>Biblical Eldership</i> , Strauch, Chapters 11-15
7	Relationships with other Churches	<i>Biblical Eldership</i> , Strauch, Chapters 16-20
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## *Chalcedon Term*

Week	Lecture Topic	Reading
1	Denominational Responsibilities	<i>Biblical Eldership</i> , Strauch, Chapter 21
2	Missions	
3	Working with Deacons	<i>The New Testament Deacon</i> , Strauch, Part 1
4	Leadership Training	<i>The New Testament Deacon</i> , Strauch, Part 2
5	Including and involving new people: Assimilation	<i>The New Testament Deacon</i> , Strauch, Part 3
6	The New Building	<i>The New Testament Deacon</i> , Strauch, Part 4
7	Pastoral Ministry I	<i>Leading in Worship</i> , ed. Johnson
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*Westminster Term*

Week	Lecture Topic	Reading
1	Pastoral Ministry II	
2	Philosophy of Counseling	<i>Competent to Counsel</i> , Adams
3	Marriage Counseling	
4	Counseling Difficult Cases I	<i>Blame it On the Brain</i> , Welch
5	Counseling Difficult Cases II	First Two Chapters of my Research Project
6	Conflict Resolution	
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