Starting your own Bible College is simple using our step-by-step guidelines.

**Classroom:**
The pastor/teacher (who serves as instructor) will present a lecture and then assign several pages to be completed in the student workbook.

**Distance Learning:**
Or, the pastor/teacher can conduct a *distance learning* school from the church. Students do *self-directed* studies then meet to share and discuss.

**Online:**
*We’ve Made It Easy* for you to implement and teach Higher Christian Education in Your Church. You will receive professionally prepared curriculum for your church adult education classes. The courses are reasonably priced. Each course includes a student text and a student workbook. The student completes the workbook between sessions and submits for grading.

The curriculum provided for your institute is designed to educate students in the Bible and equip them for ministry.

Compare the value of our full spectrum curriculum against the typical “small group discussion book” and you’ll appreciate the value!

**A. Leadership training program:** The University has biblical training for Sunday School teachers, secretaries, Adult teachers, Evangelists, Missionaries, Elders, Deacons, Ministry leaders, Christian school teachers and administrators.

“If you want to lead here we ask that you get continuing Biblical Education credits on a regular basis – i.e. we need to see that you are growing.”

**B. Discipleship training:** If your church does not have an intentional program, the Bible Institutes will assist the pastor. All courses are already prepared for the pastor and are prepared by a trusted education partner.

**C. Aids in the growth of the church (numbers and spiritual):** The early Pentecost church grew because the gospel was being preached with power and the Lord was adding to their numbers each day. Undoubtedly people that were added to the church were bringing their friends. Likewise, we must study to be approved workmen and the church will see new evangelism efforts born.

**D. Empowers the great commission:** New ministries and missions efforts will be born out of people who are increasingly saturated with God’s word.

Students that complete this program will receive a Diploma in Biblical Studies from either MCU or from your institute. You may name your institute whatever you like. You will be able to choose 10 courses from a list of 30 courses to use for your institute.

Students will receive 30 credit hours for completing this program that will be accepted by MCU and can be applied towards an Associate’s and or Bachelor’s Degree from MCU.
There’s More!!

Your community bible students may also enroll with Metropolitan Christian University to pursue a Bible college degree.

Your community bible students may receive full credit toward an undergraduate degree from Metropolitan Christian University for courses with a grade of “C” or better. Even graduate students can receive partial credit for their coursework.

In order to receive credit toward a degree, your community bible students simply submit their completed workbook.

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Or, the pastor/teacher can conduct a distance learning school from the church. Students do self-directed studies and meet to share and discuss.

This program goes beyond typical Bible studies in that there is additional study required of the student as well as assessment and feedback of the student learning. Your students can even go on to earn a Bible degree from Metropolitan Christian University without leaving your church!

Using these courses will reward you with growing disciples stepping into leadership thereby strengthening the local church. The courses have been expertly prepared and organized to take a Believer from new convert to disciple to worker.

Excellent Source for Additional Revenue

By charging a tuition cost of $600.00 to $800.00 per student you can generate additional revenue for your church. We suggest that the program be offered for no less than 12 months. Students can pay tuition bi-weekly or monthly. Your church keeps 80% of all revenue collected. The remaining 20% goes to MCU.

There is a $1,000.00 affiliation fee that is due prior to starting your own institute. This fee must be paid to MCU annually.

We make it simple for you! Contact us at info@mcu.org or call: 1(800) 294-1095 for more information