# SYLLABUS PT503B -- LEADERSHIP B Spring – 2018

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### PT 503B: LEADERSHIP B: Evangelism, Discipleship and Spiritual Formation

#### **Course Description**

Students will learn the principles and practice of discipleship and life-on-life disciplemaking with the intent of cultivating within the church an intentional disciplemaking mindset and movement. They will be exposed to various models of evangelism, discipleship and spiritual formation.

### Class Design

This class will be a combination of reading, interactive discussion, brainstorming, and other interaction. There will be <u>opportunity to explore</u> the following issues as it pertains to the student's personal life and ministry:

- 1. Explore what the Bible say about being a disciple of Jesus
- 2. Study principles for making disciples
- 3. Understand elements critical for helping others to grow in Christ
- 4. How to disciple other believers through an intentional gospel conversation
- 5. Develop and Implement a plan for discipling other Christians
- 6. Look at various models for sharing the gospel with non-Christians

#### Required Readings – PT 503B

- Barrs, Jerram. 2009. Learning Evangelism from Jesus. Crossway Books. ISBN: 978-1-4335-0318-4 (267 pages)
- Lane, Timothy and Paul David Tripp. 2008. How People Change. New Growth Press. ISBN-13: 978-1934885536 ISBN-10: 1934885533 (223 pages)
- Marshall, Colin and Tony Payne. 2009. *The Trellis and the Vine*. Matthias Media. ISBN: 978-1-921441-58-5 (187 pages)
- Putman, Jim. 2010. *Real-Life Discipleship*. NavPress. ISBN: 978-1-61521-560-7 (198 pages)

# Basis of Grading in PT 503B

By the completion of PT 503B the following products will be required from each student:

- 1. *Reading summary*. For the following texts students will submit a 3 to 5 page summary paper. (10 pts each)
  - Marshall, Colin and Tony Payne. 2009. The Trellis and the Vine.
  - Putman, Jim. 2010. Real-Life Discipleship.
- 2. Briefly answer the questions of the study guide at the end of Learning Evangelism from Jesus. These will be discussed in class and a schedule of chapters will be presented to the class (15 pts)
- 3. Interact with questions from *How People Change* that will be provided in class (15pts)
- 4. Develop and implement a discipleship plan with another believer. Handout to be provided in class (15pts)
- 5. A take home final exam will be given (35 pts)

## **Project Due Dates**

All other assignments will be due no later than the last day of class.