

Licensed Deacon Learning Track

The chart below is a suggested curriculum of Mission Training Center (MTC) courses for individuals interested in becoming licensed as a deacon (LLD) in a district of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod (LCMS). Please check with your district regarding the protocols, expectations, and requirements for becoming a LLD in your own district. If you have any questions, please contact your own district office, or the MTC Coordinator at MTC@MissionTrainingCenter.com.

Code #	Course Name	Cost	Class Hours
REQUIRED			
MTC001	Old Testament	\$300.00	16
MTC002	New Testament	\$300.00	16
MTC003	The Christian Faith: Doctrine	\$300.00	16
MTC004	Preaching and Proclaiming the Faith	\$300.00	16
MTC005	Interpreting Scripture	\$300.00	16
MTC008	Leading and Creating Christ-Centered Lutheran Worship	\$150.00	8
MTC010	Spiritually Caring for Your Community	\$300.00	16
	TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS		104
ELECTIVES			
Students choose any remaining courses totaling 56+ hours			
MTC006	Missional Church and Outreach	\$150.00	8
MTC007	Teaching the Faith	\$300.00	16
MTC009	God's Mission in the Early Church: The Time of Christ-1500AD	\$150.00	8
MTC011	Congregational Change: Recognizing and Managing It	\$150.00	8
MTC013	Starting New Ministries	\$150.00	8
MTC014	Urban Ministry	\$150.00	8
MTC015	Defining and Engaging Your Community	\$150.00	8
MTC016	Spiritual Leadership Formation	\$150.00	8
MTC017	Rural Ministry	\$150.00	8
MTC018	Engaging Older Adults In Ministry	\$150.00	8
MTC019	Lutheran Worship – Its Roots and Meaning	\$150.00	8
MTC020	Church Administration – Organizing for Missional Ministry	\$150.00	8
MTC021	Sharing the Faith	\$150.00	8
	TOTAL HOURS		160+