



ABOUT US

Liberty Heights Church is a Southern Baptist multi-site church of 1,300 in average weekend attendance spread across three physical locations and two languages, featuring a live preaching model at each campus, with strategies for future multiplication already in place. LHC is an incredibly strategic church with 24 month Strategic Ministry Plans serving as road maps within the framework of a larger 10 year vision plan to impact Southwest Ohio with the gospel. LHC is also home to Hope Counseling Center, a biblical counseling ministry and facilitates a small network of like minded churches in SW Ohio.

Our Mission is to make disciples who GATHER, GROW, GIVE and GO. We do this by *gathering* as a church each week, *growing* in smaller groups, and *giving & going* with local, national, and international leaders across the world to share the message of Jesus.

Core Values as a church:

- WE VALUE the authority and sufficiency of Scripture
- WE VALUE a culture of dependent prayer
- WE VALUE the priority of relationships in making disciples
- WE VALUE involvement over attendance

Core Values as a staff:

- WE VALUE a commitment to excellence
- WE VALUE being a family
- WE VALUE the intentional development of people
- WE VALUE a humble teachable spirit

For more information, head over to our website at [**www.libertyheights.org**](http://www.libertyheights.org)

INTERNSHIP OVERVIEW

www.libertyheights.org/join-our-team

A 24-month internship to develop those who have expressed a desire for pastoral ministry through formal education, experience, and an LHC structured learning track.

Formal learning options:

- 36-hour Master of Arts from either Cedarville or Liberty
- LHC track: Leadership Academy years 1 and 2, assigned readings, workshops, trainings, podcasts, articles, and ministry experiences:

Compensation:

The pastoral internship will be a mixture of compensation provided by LHC and support raised by the intern. LHC will cover the full cost of tuition for seminary courses, and the full cost of housing for interns. It is up to the intern to cover any additional living expenses.

YEAR ONE

SEPT - DEC	• Leadership Academy Year 1 Semester 1 • Two Seminary Courses • Assigned Readings • Serve on a GO Team
JAN - MAY	• Leadership Academy Year 1 Semester 2 • Two Seminary Courses • Assigned Readings • Table host for a men's bible study or lead a life group
JUNE - AUG	• Two Seminary Courses • Summer Camp and VBS • Level 1 Biblical Counseling Online Training • Simeon Trust Workshop/Olford Expository Institute • Preach the Word Sessions • Assigned readings and workshops • The Praying Leader 90 Day Course

YEAR TWO

SEPT - DEC	• Leadership Academy Year 2 Semester 1 • Two seminary courses • Assigned readings • Evaluated preaching/teaching opportunities • Serves as a Foundations Coach for student ministry
JAN - MAY	• Leadership Academy Year 2 Semester 2 • Two seminary courses • Assigned readings • Serve as a Foundations Coach for student ministry • Serve as a funeral officiant
JUNE - AUG	• Two Seminary Courses • Summer camp and VBS • Serve as a funeral officiant • Personal finance • Nuts and bolts training ◦ Staffing/Structure ◦ Facilities/Finance ◦ Assimilation/Worship service design ◦ Personal Development/Time Management • Creation of a Life Plan • Creation of a Philosophy of Ministry White Paper • Ordination into Gospel Ministry by LHC

RESOURCES

AUDIO/VIDEO	• Podcasts focused on leadership and strategy ◦ Unstuck Group ◦ Church for the Rest of Us • Sermons – need recommendations ◦ God Comes Where He is Wanted – Jon Tyson
PRE-READING	• Counterfeit Gods • The Death of Porn
BOOK READING LIST	• Dangerous Calling • Gospel Driven Church • Simple Church • Humility • Liberating Ministry from the Success Syndrome • Trellis and the Vine • Men and Women in the Local Church • Deep Discipleship • Disciplines of a Godly Man • Stop Asking Jesus Into Your Heart • What is the Mission of the Church • Leading Your House Well
PROVIDED RESOURCES	• Logos subscription • Logos training video subscriptions • Crossway 31 Day Devotionals for Life • ESV Spiral Bound Journaling Bible

SCRIPTURE MEMORIZATION

SCRIPTURE

2 Timothy 4:2
Acts 20:28
1 Peter 5:2-3
Colossians 1:28
Ephesians 4:11-12
2 Peter 1:3
Deuteronomy 29:29
John 15:5
2 Corinthians 5:21
Matthew 22:37-40
Luke 9:23
John 13:34-35
James 1:5
2 Corinthians 12:9
Joshua 1:9
Isaiah 41:10
Proverbs 3:5-6
Philippians 4:6-7
Hebrews 7:25
Hebrews 4:15
Proverbs 4:23
Psalm 119:71
Philippians 4:11
2 Timothy 4:7

PRIMARY EMPHASIS

Preach the Word faithfully
Shepherd the flock of God
Biblical pastoral leadership
Present every believer mature in Christ
Equip the saints for ministry
Sufficiency of God's provision
Authority and sufficiency of God's revealed Word
Abide in Christ for fruitful ministry
The heart of the gospel
Love God and love your neighbor
Daily discipleship and self-denial
Love as the mark of Christ's disciples
Seek God's wisdom
Strength through God's grace
Courage in leadership
God's presence and strength
Trust the Lord completely
Prayer and the peace of God
Christ's continual intercession
Christ our sympathetic High Priest
Guard your heart, the wellspring of life and ministry
God's sanctifying work through affliction
Contentment in every circumstance
Finish the ministry faithfully

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