

Degree Program Course List (DPCL) of major requirements for students entering Loyola in 2025-2026									
Master or Certificate of Pastoral Studies (CIP 39.0699) or Master or Certificate of Religious Education (CIP 39.0401)									
NAME:		CWID:		ADVISOR:		DATE:			
Program: On-Campus Online Extension		Status: MRE CRE		MPS Focus Area: CPS Focus Area:				Notes: <i>Transfer Credit</i> 6 to 9 hours of approved transfer credit allowed. See the LIM section of the <i>Graduate Bulletin</i> . Students are responsible for following all the academic policies in the <i>Graduate Bulletin</i> . Grade Point Average Graduate students must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or higher in Loyola University graduate course work. A grade below C cannot be used to meet graduation requirements. A student whose cumulative grade point average falls below 3.0 will be placed on academic probation.	
THEOLOGICAL CORE (18 Credit Hours or CEUs)					Course Title RELIGION AND ECOLOGY				
Course	Title	Crs./CEUs	Yr./Sem.	Grade					
LIM 813	Universe as Divine Manifestation	3							
LIM 703	Intro. to Practical Theology	3			LIM 814	The Emergent Universe	3		
LIM 711	Jewish Roots (Old Testament)	3			LIM 861	Pastoral Leadership & Organ.	3		
LIM 712	Christian Origins (New Test.)	3			YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY				
LIM 714	Grace, Christ & Spirit ^a	3			LIM 870	Foun. of Youth & Young Adult Min.	3		
LIM 722	Church, Sacraments & Liturgy	3			LIM 876	Youth & Young Adult Spirituality	3		
LIM 704	Spirituality, Morality & Ethics ^b	3			LIM 861	Pastoral Leadership & Organ.	3		
FOCUS AREA (9 Credit Hours or CEUs)					DIGITAL CULTURE AND MINISTRY				
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION					LIM 826	Digital Media and Ministry	3		
LIM 837	Foundations of Rel. Education	3			LIM 885	Religious Communication	3		
LIM 838	Curriculum Development	3			LIM 861	Pastoral Leadership & Organ.	3		
LIM 839	Rel. Ed. across the Curriculum				INDIVIDUALIZED PROGRAM				
	<i>or</i>	3			LIM		3		
LIM 846	Catechetical Leadership				LIM		3		
CHRISTIAN SPIRITUALITY FOR MINISTRY					LIM 861	Pastoral Leadership & Organ.	3		
LIM 827	Spirituality for Ministers	3			PASTORAL CARE¹				
LIM 828	History of Christian Spirituality	3			LIM 849	Intro. to Past Care & Counsel.	3		
LIM 861	Pastoral Leadership & Organ.	3			CNSL 830	Counseling Theories	3		
PASTORAL LIFE AND ADMINISTRATION					CNSL 835	Intro. to Clinical MH Counsel. ²	3		
LIM 844	Parish Life and Ministry	3			LIM 897	CPT Practicum (in lieu of LIM 886)	3		
LIM 845	Contemp. Issues in Past. Ministry	3			¹ This focus area is available to MPS students only on a limited basis in the online program.				
LIM 861	Pastoral Leadership & Organ.	3			² Required co-requisite CNSL A836 Individual Counseling Skills Lab (1 cr) when taken at Loyola.				
MARKETPLACE MINISTRY					ELECTIVES (6 Credit Hours or CEUs)				
LIM 819	Spirituality & Theol.of Work	3					3		
LIM 820	Ministry in the Marketplace	3					3		
LIM 861	Pastoral Leadership & Organ.	3			CAPSTONE (3 Credit Hours or CEUs)				
SMALL CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY FORMATION					LIM 886	Pastoral and Educational Praxis ^c	3		
LIM 809	The Inner Life of SCCs	3							
LIM 810	The Public Life of SCCs	3							
LIM 861	Pastoral Leadership & Organ.	3							

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