

This is Aenon

Since 1941, Aenon Bible College has been the official ministerial training and leadership center of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World. Founded in Columbus, Ohio by the late Bishop Karl F. Smith, Aenon has faithfully equipped Apostolic Pentecostal ministers and leaders across the U.S. and around the world for over eight decades.

Rooted in our rich heritage and anointed by the Holy Spirit, Aenon's mission is clear: to provide systematic, faith-driven higher education that prepares ministers and leaders with the 21st-century skills they need to serve effectively and lead boldly.

Our experienced, credentialed, Holy Ghost-filled faculty and staff carry forward Aenon's legacy as the International Clearinghouse for Licensing and Ordination of Apostolic Pentecostal ministers — training men and women to lead with excellence and conviction, wherever God calls them.

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EXPERIENCE AENON BIBLE COLLEGE

The Department of Episcopal Formation





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Program Overview

The Making of a Bishop

The Episcopacy Formation framework is designed to ensure that those elevated to the office of Bishop within Apostolic Pentecostal organizations are fully prepared for their responsibilities as spiritual overseers, administrative leaders, doctrinal defenders, and mentors to pastors and churches under their jurisdiction.

The Bishop has significant responsibility serving essentially as a leader of clergy, managing ecclesiastical matters, and has a comprehensive set of leadership responsibilities that are spiritual, administrative and jurisdictional. Among the many roles of the Bishop, there are assignments associated with ordination, consecration, dedication, and tasks associated with the management of pastors and leaders within the organization.

Effective training and high-level academic experiences are central to ensuring the ongoing viability of the Apostolic Pentecostal organization.

Implementation Framework

- 1. Structured curriculum for training & assessment
- 2. Clear set of eligibility criteria
- 3. Step-by-step process for candidates
- 4. Practical & theological curriculum



- Organized in a cohort format
- Hybrid deliver
 - o virtual & in-person
- Spring & Winter admissions
- 5 semesters to completion (19 classes/modules/seminars)
 - o intensive Executive Model available
- Completion timeline is 36-48 months

Criteria for Admission

- 1. Ordination as an Elder
- 2. Ministerial & Pastoral experience
- 3. Theological education & training
- 4. Demonstrated leadership & governance
- 5. Doctrinal integrity & personal character
- 6. Commitment to Episcopal training
- 7. Initial Theological & leadership assessment
- 8. Letter of recommendation from their Diocesan Bishop & 2 civic leaders

Only The Best

Our Educational Commitment

Aenon Bible College is committed to excellence in education, training, and spiritual development. We encourage our leaders to engage in ongoing growth experiences to ensure that our students are well prepared to do the service of the Lord anywhere in the world. Our commitment is to provide high quality training for Apostolic Pentecostal leaders and to promote spiritual development to enhance the vision in the world and spread the word of the Lord.

- Apostolic Pentecostal
 Professional Trainers &
 Facilitators
- Updated Research, Methods, & Spiritually Skilled Instructors
- Licensure Programs Can Be
 Merged Intro Academic
 Certification & Degree
 Programs

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