

**BTHM/PTHM 640 THE THEOLOGY & PRACTICE OF SPIRITUAL GIFTS IN A
MULTICULTURAL SETTING – COURSE OUTLINE**

<i>Topic</i>	<i>Estimated Duration</i>
<u>Day One</u>	
1. The Class Context & Purpose: My pilgrimage	1 hr.
2. Power & Passion: The Biblical Base	1 hr.
A. The Kingdom of God	
B. Mark, Luke-Acts, John, Paul	
3. Spirit Baptism: The Key To Breakthrough - Tongues: expected, missiological, powerful, liberating tool	1.5 hrs.
	2 hrs.
4. The Nature of the Church	
A. Pentecost	
B. Saul's conversion	
C. 5 Key Words	
D. Health & Multiplication of the Organism	
E. Ecclesia & Laos	
	2.5 hrs.
5. The Multicultural Context of the Church	
A. Early Church	
B. San Francisco & Singapore	
C. Church & Culture	
1. Homogeneous verses Heterogeneous	
2. Sensitivities	
D. Western worldview verses Eastern Worldview on the Supernatural	
E. The breakthrough into the holy of holies, touching heaven and applying God's promises.	
F. Need for apostolic ministries to cross over.	
<u>Day Two</u>	
6. Romans Structure & Thrust Leading to Ministry Gifts	1 hr.
A. Mission oriented theology (impartation till Jesus comes)	
B. Theology is grace, ethics is gratitude. Doctrine leading to Practice	
C. We worship through our walk – ethical dimensions of the gift ministry.	
D. Eschatological dimensions: Jew & Gentile (cultural barriers broken)	
7. Ephesians Structural Outline & Cosmic Worldview	2.5 hrs.
A. Worship to walk to warfare	
B. Drama of Redemption – Ephesians 3:10-13 (Cosmic perspective)	
C. Eph. 4 – Macro to micro structure	
D. Eph. 4 – Power in Structure: 6 Pillars of Growth	
F. Worship (refer to chapter 8 of the text)	

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<u>Day Two – Cont’d</u>	
8. The Corinthian Context (over-realized eschatology)	0.5 hr.
9. Incarnational Approach to Gifts (Chapter 1 of the Spiritual Gifts)	1.5 hrs.
A. Exercise & Evaluation	1.5 hrs.
B. 1 Cor. 12:1-9: Categories	1 hr.
<u>Day Three</u>	
10. Prophecy – Discussion of Jack Deere & Mike Bickle’s books on prophecy	1 hr.
11. Healing	1 hr.
12. Deliverance	1 hr.
13. Blessings & Cursings: 9 Tools from Bondage to Freedom	1 hr.
14. Coverings	1 hr.
15. The Unity of the Body	1 hr.
16. Apostolic, Prophetic, & Restoration	2 hrs.
<u>Day Four</u>	
17. Seeking the Best Gifts	0.5 hr.
18. Love as the Means of Exercising the Gifts. Share Gifts in Love	1.5 hrs.
19. Ministry in the Opposite Spirit	1 hr.
20. Forgiveness at the Core of the Gospel. Holiness, love, fruit, related to gifts. Fruit and gifts? Duplessis?	1 hr.
21. Parallel of Romans 12, 1 Cor. 12-13, Eph. 4	1 hr.
22. Love as the Ethic – 1 Cor. 14	1 hr.
23. Love in the Specific Exercise of the Gifts: Prophecy cf. Tongues & Interpretation – 1 Cor. 14	1.5 hrs.
24. Women in Ministry	0.5 hr.

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<p><u>Day Five</u></p> <p>25. Spiritual Gifts Empower You to Fulfill Your Role</p> <p>26. Gifts & Worship Context. Gifts & Daily Context. Exercise of Gifts. Atmosphere for sharing. (Beginning to exercise the gifts, refer to Chapter 6 & 7 of the text)</p> <p>27. Leadership & Gifts</p> <p>28. Evaluation of Contemporary Issues on Charismata</p> <p>29. The Battle for Biblical Authority: Diana of the Ephesians, Strategic Warfare Prayer or Pauline Approach?</p>	<p>1 hr.</p> <p>2 hrs.</p> <p>1.5 hrs.</p> <p>1.5 hrs.</p> <p>2 hrs.</p>
<p><u>Summation</u></p> <p>Discussion areas:</p> <p>Each day we should have ministry to one another.</p> <p>Each day we should practice listening to the spirit. Even jotting down what we sense in our spirit about another's needs. Learning to test and evaluate.</p> <p>Group sessions to discuss: deliverance, giving up of the territory, sharing of experiences, testimonies of healings in ministries.</p> <p>The need for cultural sensitivities and development of a "gift" environment.</p> <p>How to develop a church that moves in the gifts.</p> <p>My chapter in Systematic Theology: How to make it practical.</p> <p>Assessing different practices around the world and how to evaluate them.</p>	