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Doctor of Ministry in Preaching

in a unique internet-enhanced format



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What attracted you to the D. Min. program at Aquinas Institute?

It combines the convenience of online education, the discipline of being a self-directed learner, and a group with which you build a strong bond of collegiality during the course of study.

I could see that the program promised lots of room to stretch and grow in new ways.

How have doctoral studies helped you grow as a preacher?

I have become much more focused on the needs of the 'hearers' in a way that enables an encounter with God to happen. I have also grown more convinced that the vocation of preaching is *a way of life* undergirding all other aspects of ministry.

What has been the greatest impact on your life and your preaching?

Affirmation that God has called and gifted me for preaching ministry.

Why should someone consider applying to the Doctor of Ministry in Preaching degree program at Aquinas Institute?

If you want to be the best possible preacher you can be, this program will stretch you beyond where you ever thought you could go.

It calls for faith-filled excellence!

- Nourish your spirit in a diverse, ecumenical community —
- Preach persuasive sermons based on sound theology —
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