



ministerial internship program

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Friday, August 25 | 6:00 PM | Salem Church of God

TIME	TOPIC	PRESENTER
6:00 PM	Registration	
6:15 PM	Dinner	
7:00 PM	Welcome & Prayer	Travis Gore
7:15 PM	Orientation	Travis Gore
8:15 PM	BREAK	
8:30 PM	Worship & Communion	

Saturday, August 26 | 8:30 AM | Salem Church of God

TIME	TOPIC	PRESENTER
9:00 AM	Welcome & Devotion	Bishop Toby Morgan
9:15 AM	Session 1 – Test Taking	Dr. Erik Buxton
10:15 AM	Break	
10:30 AM	Session 2 – Mental Health/Ministry	Shannon Buxton
11:30 AM	Closing & Prayer	Travis Gore

Upcoming MIP Dates

- ◆ October 7, 2023
- ◆ November 4, 2023
- ◆ December 2, 2023
- ◆ January 6, 2024
- ◆ February 17, 2024 Prayer Conference – RiverOak Church of God
- ◆ March 9, 2024
- ◆ April 6, 2024
- ◆ May 4, 2024

- ◆ May 17-18, 2024 Commissioning Celebration – Cleveland, TN

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MIP 2023-2024 schedule

DAY	TIME	PLACE
October 7	8:30 AM – 3:30 PM	Hagee Dining Hall, Church of God Ministry Center, Roanoke, VA
November 4	8:30 AM – 3:30 PM	Hagee Dining Hall, Church of God Ministry Center, Roanoke, VA
December 2	8:30 AM – 3:30 PM	Hagee Dining Hall, Church of God Ministry Center, Roanoke, VA
January 6	8:30 AM – 3:30 PM	Hagee Dining Hall, Church of God Ministry Center, Roanoke, VA
February 17	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Prayer Conference, River Oak Church of God
March 9	8:30 AM – 3:30 PM	Hagee Dining Hall, Church of God Ministry Center, Roanoke, VA
April 6	8:30 AM – 3:30 PM	Hagee Dining Hall, Church of God Ministry Center, Roanoke, VA
May 4	8:30 AM – 3:30 PM	Hagee Dining Hall, Church of God Ministry Center, Roanoke, VA
May 17-18		Commissioning Weekend, Cleveland, TN

payments

Down payment is due at Orientation.

- \$200.00 for the Internet study venue

Balance due in monthly payments.

The final payment will be due February 1, 2024.

lodging

Dorms (Davis Hall) are available free of charge for students who need accommodations.

Please contact Kasi Meredith (kasi@vacog.org) no later than **ten days before** the scheduled seminar.

If you are interested in hotel accommodations, there is a list of Roanoke hotels at vacog.org.

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INTERN SIGNATURE

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THIS IS ONLY A TEST

1. Preparation Over Inspiration – Habits

2. If the Glove Doesn't Fit – Cramming

3. Never Walk Alone – Buddies

4. Read. Don't Speed – Breathe

5. Never Walk Alone – Buddies

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6. Empty Your Head – Buddies

7. Go With What You Know – Definite

8. Police Your Brass – Sus

9. Check the Perimeter – Sweep

10. Relax – Pray

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