

Chapel Alternatives

Students who have completed 30 Baylor credit hours and who have completed one semester of traditional chapel may petition through the Office of Spiritual Life to fulfill their second semester requirement through one of the following alternatives.

101 - Afternoon Prayer Services (3:30 – 4:00 Tuesday/Thursday) A quiet service of singing, meditation, and scripture readings. (Spiritual Life Center Chapel)

102 - Spiritual Formation Practices (2:30-3:20 Wednesday) Spiritual Formation Groups will provide practical ways to help you become spiritually formed and transformed into the image of Jesus Christ. This small group will offer fresh perspectives on the Christian faith and practice. If you want to move beyond an artificial faith to a deeper substantive connection with God, then this group might be for you. (Spiritual Life Center Classroom)

103 – Evening Worship at the Spiritual Life Center (6:00-7:15 pm Wednesdays) A time to creatively connect with God through authentic worship in a relaxed setting. This time will combine worship elements spanning the Christian tradition- from ancient to modern. This service will be open to the entire Baylor community. (Spiritual Life Center – Main Meeting Area)

104 - University Mission Trips (TBA) In addition to participating in a discipline-specific mission trip, students will attend a weekly training experience that will help them prepare for and understand the significance of this experience. Most trips are planned to take place during the last two weeks of May, leaving after graduation and returning before Summer I session. A program fee will be applied to cover the cost of the trip. (*available only in the Spring*) (Spiritual Life Center Classroom)

Like all course work at Baylor, students must attend 75% of the classes. Receiving credit for chapel by an alternative requires participating intentionally and thoughtfully in the alternative selected. Students are expected to engage the experience whole-heartedly.

Chaplain-Student Agreement

To be attached to formal petition

Student _____ ID _____

Phone _____ Email _____ Major _____

Chapel Alternative Selected _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Chaplain's Signature _____ Date _____

This agreement will be kept on file in the Chaplain's office until the above chapel alternative has been completed. Upon completion, the supervising chaplain will sign this form, which will be filed in the chaplain's office. A copy will also be given to the student.

_____ *has participated fully in the selected chapel alternative above and has received credit from the Chaplain's office for one semester of University Chapel.*

Chaplain's Signature _____