

AIM INSTITUTE | HOMILETICS I
Course Syllabus
with Terry King and Miguel Pabilonia

COURSE: Homiletics I

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Homiletics is the art and science of preaching. In this introductory course, the basic structure of the message will be explored. Three basic types of sermons will be explained. We assume the New Testament proclamation is the work of a messenger. We will devote specific time to exploring biblical principles and practices needed to prepare ourselves to be messengers of God. Since similar methods are used to structure teaching, and other public opportunities to minister the Word of God. Therefore, this course will be useful even if one does not preach from a pulpit regularly.

OBJECTIVES

- To challenge the student with the importance of preaching
- To produce preachers who are messengers of the most high God
- This course takes a multi-track approach, practical and inspirational
- To introduce the student to the basic structure of a message
- To give the student an opportunity to put to practice the lessons learned by preaching a short message in class

INSTRUCTOR: Terry King

Terry often says, "I love to train and resource leaders!" Terry's teaching and equipping calling has taken him across the United States and to forty-one countries. Terry has served as a trainer, leadership coach, mentor, pastor, conference and seminar speaker, college instructor and academic dean. Married to Linda in 1972, the Kings are based in Hagerstown, Maryland, having previously lived in Zimbabwe and the Philippines. Terry's academic preparation includes Master of Arts degrees in Cross Cultural Communication, and in Leadership Development and a Doctor of Ministry. Terry currently serves as the executive director of Leadership Development Resources and is part of the leadership team of Alliance International Ministries.

FACILITATOR: Miguel Pabilonia

Miguel began teaching at age 18. He came to love teaching and eventually became a Bible College teacher serving in his home country, Philippines, and abroad. In the span of 30 years, Miguel has served as pastor, Bible college teacher, denominational leader

and an itinerant minister in North America, Europe and Asia. He is a John Maxwell Team certified coach, trainer and speaker. Miguel Pabilonia has Master's Degree in Theology (ThM) from Westminster Theological Seminary in Philadelphia, USA, as well as a special pastoral and theological training at London Seminary in London, UK.

COURSE FORMAT

This directed study format enables you to receive college level instruction while studying at home. (Note, AIM Institute does not offer accredited college credits.) Course elements include:

- Weekly video assignments
- Required textbook reading assignments
- Contact time with the instructor and classmates is provided in a weekly Zoom debrief classroom.
- Study questions are for your personal benefit as well as preparation for the weekly debrief.
- Course will be graded as pass or fail. Bear in mind your weekly preparation will have a direct bearing on how much you gain from the course.

COURSE SCHEDULE

- The first of twelve debriefs will be on September 14, at 8:00 AM EST.
- You will receive a Zoom invite by email for each debrief.
- Preparation can be done at any time before the debrief.
- To maximize the use of your time, we will not cover information from the videos in the debrief unless there are questions.
- Completion of the course requires a project, the preparation and delivery of a 10-minute sermon during our last two Zoom debrief sessions.
- A complete schedule with weekly assignments will be sent to you after you are registered.

REQUIREMENTS

- This is an intensive course; students should plan to participate in all class sessions.
- Complete all course reading, watch videos, and writing assignments.
- Complete course project.

LECTURE VIDEOS

- Videos are available at [Click Here](#)

- Use the manual while watching the videos (there is more material in the manual than the videos, consider returning to review additional material)

TEXTS

- Holy Bible (Translation of your choice)
- The “Homiletics, An Introduction to Preaching” by Terry King manual will be provided upon registration.

Suggested

- How to Prepare Bible Messages by James Braga (Multnomah Books, Colorado Springs, CO, Revised Edition 2005). Assigned reading begins in session 6.
- A Manual for Biblical Preaching by Lloyd M. Perry (Baker Book House, Grand Rapids, MI, March 1992).

Homiletics I registration form is available at [Click Here](#), scroll down to the Homiletics section, click “Register Here” and chose “Homiletics.”