Emerging FEATURES...

✦ Core faculty offering instruction in the classic "Body of Divinity": Holy Scripture, Biblical languages, Church History, Theology, Homiletics, Worship and other related topics

✦ Adjunct faculty from the broader University community including Departments of Religion, Classics Economics, Philosophy and Communication, as well as the Schools of Management, Law, Medicine and Graduate Studies

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✦ A Congregational Studies Program offering formation for ministry, spiritual information, mentoring relationships on the faculty and in the Church, and specialized internships

✦ Potential for extensive student scholarship support and student-ministry placement

✦ Master of Divinity programs last about 2½ - 3 years

✦ Accreditation through the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) and the Association of Theological Schools

Degrees available:

✦ Master of Divinity

✦ Master of Arts (through the WFU Department of Religion)

✦ Master of Arts in Pastoral Care (through the WFU Department of Religion and the North Carolina Baptist Pastoral Care Center)

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Founded in Wake Forest, North Carolina, in 1834 by the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, the University moved to its Winston-Salem campus in 1956. Wake Forest University is characterized by its devotion to liberal arts learning and professional preparation for men and women, its strong sense of community and fellowship, and its encouragement of free inquiry and expression.

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The Wake Forest University Divinity School welcomes students into a community of learning, rigorous scholarship, academic freedom, and service within the Community of Faith, the Church of Jesus Christ. The Divinity School prepares individuals for ministry in the Christian Church. It is a school whose mission is Christian by tradition, ecumenical in outlook, and Baptist in heritage.

Christian
BY TRADITION...

The Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father’s only son, full of grace and truth.

John 1:14

To announce good news to the poor, to proclaim release for prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, To let the broken victims go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favour.

Luke 4:18-19

Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them.

John 13:16

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross.

Phil. 2:5-8

We recommend ourselves by the innocence of our behavior, our grasp of truth, our patience and kindliness; by gifts of the Holy spirit, by sincere love, by declaring the truth, by the power of God.

II Cor. 6:6-7

Ecumenical
IN OUTLOOK...

+ A commitment to the Church
+ A recognition of the diversity of the Churches
+ A celebration of the Church as a worshipping community
+ An exploration of the Church’s legacy of spiritual and Christian devotion
+ A concern for the Church’s mission of service to the oikumene, “the whole inhabited world”

Baptist
IN HERITAGE...

+ Baptist “Ways” inform but do not insulate:
+ Biblical Authority — Soul Liberty
+ A believer’s Church — individual and corporate
+ Word and Sacraments — Proclamation, Baptism, and the Lord’s Supper
+ Congregational Autonomy — Churchly Cooperation
+ Priesthood of all Believers — the Calling of Ministers
+ Religious Liberty — Freedom of Conscience