



# HENDRICKS CENTER | MLC

## Ministry Leadership Cohort

### FELLOW DALLAS THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY ALUMNI,

We know how rare it is to truly step away—not to prepare sermons, solve problems, or carry the weight of ministry leadership but simply to be renewed. We know many leaders relish the idea of sitting alongside other leaders who genuinely understand both the joys and the pressures of ministry. Does that sound like something you need, too? That shared need is exactly why The Hendricks Center created the Dallas Theological Seminary Ministry Leadership Cohort. This experience is designed exclusively for DTS graduates currently serving in ministry who want to remain healthy, sharp, and deeply connected.

#### COHORT TIMELINE:

Registration Opens:  
**January 1**

Registration Closes:  
**August 1**

In-Person Launch (Dallas):  
**September 28–30**

Monthly Cohort Gatherings:  
**First Thursday  
of every Month  
(from October–August)**

#### MEMBER EXPECTATIONS:

\$150 registration fee

Attend the  
on-campus gathering  
& monthly meetings

Pray for one another

Be prepared for  
& participate in  
each gathering

### WHY JOIN A COHORT?



#### SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

Find rest from the relentless pace of ministry and refocus your heart through prayer, reflection, and worship. Return home leading, not from depletion but from overflow.



#### EDUCATIONAL ENRICHMENT

Hear from DTS faculty and gain insights for today's ministry challenges. Your coach will work with you to develop a Personal Development Plan, which will serve as a guide when your cohort meets monthly for the rest of the year.



#### RELATIONAL CONNECTION

Build deep, lasting friendships with fellow DTS alumni who understand your ministry context. Experience vulnerability and support in a safe environment. Receive contextualized coaching from ministry-experienced alumni who will invest in you long-term. Each cohort is limited to eight participants and two coaches per group to allow greater in-depth discussion and personal one-on-one coaching.

# THE COHORT EXPERIENCE

## Dallas Launch



**Monday 9/28**

**9:00am–12pm**

Vocational Leadership

Mr. Bill Hendricks

**1pm–3:00pm**

Group Discussion



**Tuesday 9/29**

**9:00am–12pm**

Ministry Challenges

Dr. Roger Poupart

**1pm–3:00pm**

Group Discussion



**Wednesday 9/30**

**9:00am–12pm**

Current Cultural Challenges

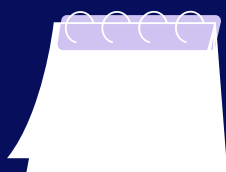
Dr. Darrell Bock

**1pm–3:00pm**

Group Discussion

## Monthly Gatherings

Each participant will be paired with two seasoned ministry coaches for monthly discipleship in a small-group setting. These sessions, held virtually or in-person, provide personalized support, shared wisdom, accountability, and encouragement. Your coach will also work with you to create a Personal Development Plan. Cohorts are limited to eight participants to foster meaningful dialogue and genuine community.



**October:** Takeaways from Launch

**November:** Pastoral Leadership

**December:** Cultural Leadership

**January:** Organizational Leadership

**February:** Spiritual Formation

**March:** Personal Growth

**April:** Ministry Growth

**May:** Challenges

**June:** Personal Assessment

**July:** Moving Forward

**Invest in your soul, your family, and your ministry.**

Take the next step toward greater health, growth, and connection.  
Scholarships are available, and I would be honored to walk this journey with you.

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