Academic Year 2021-2022

To prepare ministers who inspire the Church and the world to imagine, discover, and create God’s future.

*Dates are subject to change and will be updated as needed; all times are in Eastern Standard Time (EST)*

**Chapel on Tuesdays, 11:00 am

Fall 2021
New Student Orientation (Masters Online)  August 10 & 17
New Student Orientation (Masters Residential)  August 18
New Student Orientation (DMIN)  August 19
First Day of Class  August 23
Welcome Back Lunch, 12:15-1:30pm  August 23
Founders Day Service, 11am  August 24
Last Day for Drop/Add  September 30
Labor Day Holiday—University Closed  September 6
Spiritual Formation Retreat, required for THSP 511  September 30-October 1
(choose virtual or overnight in ATL)
Student Advisement for Spring—Meet with Advisor  All of October
Priority/Scholarship Admissions Deadline for Spring  October 15
Last Day to Drop with Withdraw  October 25
Early Registration for Spring begins, 8:30 a.m.  November 4
Mercer Homecoming  November 12-13
Admissions Application Deadline for Spring  November 15
Fall Break—No Theology Classes  November 22-27
Thanksgiving Holiday—University Closed  November 25 – 28
Last Day of Class  December 18
Grades Due  December 20
University Closed  December 23-31

Spring 2022
New Student Orientation  January 5
First Day of Class  January 10
Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday—University Closed  January 17
Last Day for Drop/Add  January 18
Scholars Day Conference for Prospective Students  February 28-March 1
Student Advisement for Summer and Fall—Meet with Advisor  All of March
Theology Spring Reading Week  March 7-11
Last Day to Drop with Withdraw  March 18
Early Registration for Summer & Fall begins, 8:30 a.m.  April 12
Good Friday/Easter Holiday—University Closed  April 15 – 17
Last Day of Class  May 7
Grades Due  May 9
Graduate Reception/Commissioning Service, TBA  May 14
Graduation, Atlanta  May 15

Summer 2022
5 Weeks (Theology Session I)

New Student Orientation  May 18
First Day of Class, Session 1  May 23
Memorial Day Holiday—University Closed  May 30
Last Day to Drop/Add, Session 1  May 31
Last Day to Withdraw, Session 1  June 6
Last Day of Class, Session 1  June 24
Grades Due, Session 1  June 27

5 Weeks (Theology Session II)

First Day of Class, Session 2  June 27
Independence Day Holiday—University Closed  July 4
Last Day to Drop/Add, Session 2  July 5
Last Day to Withdraw, Session 2  July 15
Last Day of Class, Session 2  July 29
Grades Due, Session 2  August 1

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