

A circular wreath made of white line art, featuring holly leaves and snowflakes, set against a dark blue textured background. The wreath is composed of several branches of holly leaves, each with a pointed tip and a small notch, interspersed with six-pointed snowflakes. The branches are arranged in a circular pattern, with some leaves pointing outwards and others inwards. The snowflakes are also arranged in a circular pattern, with some pointing outwards and others inwards. The entire wreath is centered on the page.

Merry
Christmas



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for your support!

Dear friends,

59 students have graduated from our new, five-month program Bible Survey Express, more than 300 students are currently enrolled at the EBTC and more than 1,000 people attended our online Shepherds' Conference – they all attest that the study of God's Word is at the heart of the EBTC's ministry.

We are convinced that God and His Word must always be our focal point. What the world needs more than anything else right now is the unchanging truth of Scripture. As believers we must keep hold of that truth and be witnesses of Christ. Paul fought the good fight of faith (2 Tim 4:7), challenging Timothy to do likewise (1 Tim 1:18; 6:12). We are disciples of Christ, and therefore we are called to pass on the Word of God that was entrusted to us – whether that be at church, in our homes or in the world (1Pet 3:15).

We would like to thank you for your prayers and the support which has allowed us to teach God's Word at the EBTC this past year. At the same time, we would be very grateful if you would continue to keep the EBTC in your prayers and support us financially so that we can continue to preach God's Word and teach our students to be faithful stewards.

Hebrews 10:23-25 reminds us:

Let us hold fast to the confession of hope without wavering - for he is faithful who has made the promise - and let us take care of one another, so that we may spur one another on to love and good works, not leaving our own assembly as some would do, but admonishing one another, all the more so as you see the day approaching!

It is our goal at the EBTC to equip disciples for life and church ministry.

Please continue to pray for our stewardship, especially in these uncertain times.

With deep gratitude for God's faithfulness this year, we wish you a blessed Christmas, reflecting on God's unfathomable gift in Christ. Although He was rich, He became poor for our sakes, so that we by His poverty might become rich (2Cor 8:9).

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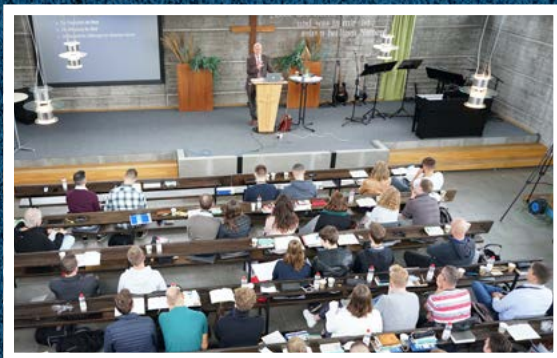
305

graduates were trained for ministry in the local church in the last school year

1.000+

people viewed the livestream of the Hirtenkonferenz





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We would like to commemorate our upcoming 20th anniversary by taking our staff and teachers on a three-day training retreat in Poland.

You are welcome to support the celebration of this milestone with your donation.



Merry Christmas
from your EBTC team