

Twice Born Ministry

MD-504: Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Course Code: MD-504

Credit Hours: 3

King James Version (KJV) — Sola Scriptura Curriculum

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Course Description

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Graduate soul care: confidentiality, referral, crisis, abuse reporting, and Scripture-saturated counseling ethics for pastors and biblical counselors.

This course is part of **6-Graduate-Programs** (Track A: Ministry / Pastoral / Biblical Counseling) in the Twice Born Ministry Bible School catalog. **College category:** Pastoral Arts.

Course Details

| Field | Value |

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| **Course Code** | MD-504 |

| **Career Track** | A — Ministry / Pastoral / Biblical Counseling |

| **Catalog Track** | Master of Divinity / Ministry |

| **College Category** | Pastoral Arts |

| **Credit Hours** | 3 |

| **Weeks** | 12 |

| **Lessons** | 12 |

| **Prerequisites** | CS-714, PM-703, or MD-502 recommended |

| **Homeschool Band** | College |

| **Primary Text** | King James Version (KJV) |

| **Source / Resources** | CS-714; SPECIALIZATION_SOURCES.md — Counseling |

TBM Cross-References

- CS-714

- CS-715

- PM-703

Learning Outcomes

Upon completion, students will be able to:

1. Explain core concepts and vocabulary for this vocational domain at college introductory level.

2. Apply biblical ethics when secular models conflict with Kingdom priorities.
3. Complete practical assignments, scenarios, or lab exercises with documented integrity.
4. Articulate connections between vocation, stewardship, and local church ministry.
5. Pass module quizzes and capstone assessments at 70% or higher.

Assessment Overview

- **Module quizzes:** JSON per module (multiple choice + short answer).
- **Assignments:** 3–4 rubric-graded projects.
- **Group projects:** 2 collaborative exercises.
- **Final exam:** Comprehensive short and extended responses.
- **Video scripts:** 3–5 instructor scripts for optional production.

Christian Guardrails

- KJV citation standard; Christ-centered instruction.
- Career exploration does not replace licensure, trade apprenticeships, or professional counsel where required.
- AI tools may assist research but not replace original work or pastoral judgment.

Instructor Notes

Professor Shepherd AI instructor shortcode: [tb_ai_instructor course_code="MD-504"]

Twice Born Ministry Bible School — Layer 4 Career Tracks

Degree level: masters · **Major track:** md-min · **Programs:** MD-MIN

Course Modules

MD-504 — Lesson 1: Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models

Introduction

Welcome to Lesson 1 of **Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care** (MD-504). This session explores **Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models** within the **Track A — Ministry / Pastoral / Biblical Counseling** pathway at Twice Born Ministry Bible School.

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Christian Ethics Integration — Stewardship

The earth is the LORD's, and the fulness thereof (Psalm 24:1, KJV). Every vocation—accounting, medicine, media, or cloud engineering—is borrowed stewardship.

Apply this principle while studying **Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models

Peter exhorts elders to feed the flock willingly, not for filthy lucre, being examples rather than lords (1 Peter 5:2-3, KJV). Pastoral ministry is exemplary leadership. Character precedes charisma; humility precedes platform.

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Practical Focus

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Competency targets for this lesson:

- Define key terms and industry-standard vocabulary at introductory level.
- Identify biblical principles that govern ethical decisions in this domain.
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Professional Standards

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Graduate-Level Expectation

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Application for Vocation and Ministry

Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models should change how you work, lead, serve customers, and witness.

Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

Personal devotion: Write a brief prayer connecting today's vocational theme to Christ's lordship over your schedule, income, and relationships.

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Lab, Scenario, or Field Exercise

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Discussion Questions

How does **Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

What is one measurable action you will take this week based on this lesson?

Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 1 Summary: We examined **Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

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Supplemental Reading and Reflection

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Worship Integration

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MD-504 — Lesson 2: Confidentiality, Mandated Reporting, and Legal Ethics

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration — Truth

Buy the truth, and sell it not (Proverbs 23:23, KJV). Financial reports, news scripts, and research data must reflect reality—not convenience.

Apply this principle while studying **Confidentiality, Mandated Reporting, and Legal Ethics**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Confidentiality, Mandated Reporting, and Legal Ethics

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want (Psalm 23:1, KJV). Pastoral care flows from the Chief Shepherd's pattern—leading, feeding, protecting, and restoring sheep who stray. Every visit, phone call, and prayer embodies this metaphor when conducted in Scripture-saturated love.

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Practical Focus

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Competency targets for this lesson:

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MD-504 — Lesson 3: Assessment, Referral Networks, and Scope of Practice

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Christian Ethics Integration — Wisdom

If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God (James 1:5, KJV). Markets, laws, and technologies change; Scripture-grounded wisdom endures.

Apply this principle while studying **Assessment, Referral Networks, and Scope of Practice**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Assessment, Referral Networks, and Scope of Practice

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MD-504 — Lesson 4: Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage Pastoral Frameworks

Introduction

Welcome to Lesson 4 of **Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care** (MD-504). This session explores **Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage Pastoral Frameworks** within the **Track A — Ministry / Pastoral / Biblical Counseling** pathway at Twice Born Ministry Bible School.

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Christian Ethics Integration — Stewardship

The earth is the LORD's, and the fulness thereof (Psalm 24:1, KJV). Every vocation—accounting, medicine, media, or cloud engineering—is borrowed stewardship.

Apply this principle while studying **Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage Pastoral Frameworks**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage Pastoral Frameworks

Peter exhorts elders to feed the flock willingly, not for filthy lucre, being examples rather than lords (1 Peter 5:2-3, KJV). Pastoral ministry is exemplary leadership. Character precedes charisma; humility precedes platform.

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want (Psalm 23:1, KJV). Pastoral care flows from the Chief Shepherd's pattern—leading, feeding, protecting, and restoring sheep who stray. Every visit, phone call, and prayer embodies this metaphor when conducted in Scripture-saturated love.

Practical Focus

Graduate soul care: confidentiality, referral, crisis, abuse reporting, and Scripture-saturated counseling ethics for pastors and biblical counselors.

Competency targets for this lesson:

- Define key terms and industry-standard vocabulary at introductory level.

- Identify biblical principles that govern ethical decisions in this domain.
- Complete hands-on or scenario-based exercises in assignments and quizzes.
- Connect vocational skills to local church ministry or community service where applicable.

Professional Standards

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TBM & Catalog Cross-References

- CS-714
- • CS-715
- • PM-703

Graduate-Level Expectation

This module targets **masters** rigor: primary-source engagement, annotated bibliography entries, and synthesis across prior coursework. Minimum written reflection: 400 words with KJV citations.

Application for Vocation and Ministry

Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage Pastoral Frameworks should change how you work, lead, serve customers, and witness.

Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

Personal devotion: Write a brief prayer connecting today's vocational theme to Christ's lordship over your schedule, income, and relationships.

Local church: Share one insight with your pastor, deacon team, or small group—especially where bi-vocational ministry applies.

Evangelism: Prepare a 60-second testimony linking honest work or digital stewardship to the gospel hope you profess.

Lab, Scenario, or Field Exercise

Exercise 4: Role-play a pastoral visit, counseling intake, or board meeting scenario. Debrief using scripture and ethics checklists.

Document assumptions, resources consulted, and limitations. Submit via LMS with honor statement. Supervised field hours may count toward capstone portfolios where approved by cohort facilitator.

Discussion Questions

How does **Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage Pastoral Frameworks** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

What is one measurable action you will take this week based on this lesson?

Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 4 Summary: We examined **Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage Pastoral Frameworks** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

Preview: Continue to Lesson 5. Review SPECIALIZATION_SOURCES.md or Kingdom Capital / TBM Marketing docs as listed in your syllabus.

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Supplemental Reading and Reflection

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Worship Integration

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MD-504 — Lesson 5: Addiction, Trauma, and Grief at Graduate Depth

Introduction

Welcome to Lesson 5 of **Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care** (MD-504). This session explores **Addiction, Trauma, and Grief at Graduate Depth** within the **Track A — Ministry / Pastoral / Biblical Counseling** pathway at Twice Born Ministry Bible School.

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Christian Ethics Integration — Truth

Buy the truth, and sell it not (Proverbs 23:23, KJV). Financial reports, news scripts, and research data must reflect reality—not convenience.

Apply this principle while studying **Addiction, Trauma, and Grief at Graduate Depth**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Addiction, Trauma, and Grief at Graduate Depth

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want (Psalm 23:1, KJV). Pastoral care flows from the Chief Shepherd's pattern—leading, feeding, protecting, and restoring sheep who stray. Every visit, phone call, and prayer embodies this metaphor when conducted in Scripture-saturated love.

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Practical Focus

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Professional Standards

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TBM & Catalog Cross-References

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Graduate-Level Expectation

This module targets **masters** rigor: primary-source engagement, annotated bibliography entries, and synthesis across prior coursework. Minimum written reflection: 400 words with KJV citations.

Application for Vocation and Ministry

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Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

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Discussion Questions

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What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

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Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 5 Summary: We examined **Addiction, Trauma, and Grief at Graduate Depth** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

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MD-504 — Lesson 6: Mid-Course Ethical Dilemma Workshop

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration — Wisdom

If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God (James 1:5, KJV). Markets, laws, and technologies change; Scripture-grounded wisdom endures.

Apply this principle while studying **Mid-Course Ethical Dilemma Workshop**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Mid-Course Ethical Dilemma Workshop

Peter exhorts elders to feed the flock willingly, not for filthy lucre, being examples rather than lords (1 Peter 5:2-3, KJV). Pastoral ministry is exemplary leadership. Character precedes charisma; humility precedes platform.

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want (Psalm 23:1, KJV). Pastoral care flows from the Chief Shepherd's pattern—leading, feeding, protecting, and restoring sheep who stray. Every visit, phone call, and prayer embodies this metaphor when conducted in Scripture-saturated love.

Practical Focus

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Professional Standards

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TBM & Catalog Cross-References

- CS-714

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Graduate-Level Expectation

This module targets **masters** rigor: primary-source engagement, annotated bibliography entries, and synthesis across prior coursework. Minimum written reflection: 400 words with KJV citations.

Application for Vocation and Ministry

Mid-Course Ethical Dilemma Workshop should change how you work, lead, serve customers, and witness.

Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

Personal devotion: Write a brief prayer connecting today's vocational theme to Christ's lordship over your schedule, income, and relationships.

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Discussion Questions

How does **Mid-Course Ethical Dilemma Workshop** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

What is one measurable action you will take this week based on this lesson?

Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 6 Summary: We examined **Mid-Course Ethical Dilemma Workshop** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

Preview: Continue to Lesson 7. Review SPECIALIZATION_SOURCES.md or Kingdom Capital / TBM Marketing docs as listed in your syllabus.

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MD-504 — Lesson 7: Abuse, Safety Plans, and Church Policy

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration — Stewardship

The earth is the LORD's, and the fulness thereof (Psalm 24:1, KJV). Every vocation—accounting, medicine, media, or cloud engineering—is borrowed stewardship.

Apply this principle while studying **Abuse, Safety Plans, and Church Policy**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Abuse, Safety Plans, and Church Policy

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want (Psalm 23:1, KJV). Pastoral care flows from the Chief Shepherd's pattern—leading, feeding, protecting, and restoring sheep who stray. Every visit, phone call, and prayer embodies this metaphor when conducted in Scripture-saturated love.

Peter exhorts elders to feed the flock willingly, not for filthy lucre, being examples rather than lords (1 Peter 5:2-3, KJV). Pastoral ministry is exemplary leadership. Character precedes charisma; humility precedes platform.

Practical Focus

Graduate soul care: confidentiality, referral, crisis, abuse reporting, and Scripture-saturated counseling ethics for pastors and biblical counselors.

Competency targets for this lesson:

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- Identify biblical principles that govern ethical decisions in this domain.
- Complete hands-on or scenario-based exercises in assignments and quizzes.
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Professional Standards

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TBM & Catalog Cross-References

- CS-714
- • CS-715
- • PM-703

Graduate-Level Expectation

This module targets **masters** rigor: primary-source engagement, annotated bibliography entries, and synthesis across prior coursework. Minimum written reflection: 400 words with KJV citations.

Application for Vocation and Ministry

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Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

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Lab, Scenario, or Field Exercise

Exercise 7: Role-play a pastoral visit, counseling intake, or board meeting scenario. Debrief using scripture and ethics checklists.

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Discussion Questions

How does **Abuse, Safety Plans, and Church Policy** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

What is one measurable action you will take this week based on this lesson?

Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 7 Summary: We examined **Abuse, Safety Plans, and Church Policy** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

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MD-504 — Lesson 8: Anxiety, Depression, and Medication Conversations

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration — Truth

Buy the truth, and sell it not (Proverbs 23:23, KJV). Financial reports, news scripts, and research data must reflect reality—not convenience.

Apply this principle while studying **Anxiety, Depression, and Medication Conversations**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Anxiety, Depression, and Medication Conversations

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MD-504 — Lesson 9: Sexual Ethics, Purity, and Restoration Pathways

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration — Wisdom

If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God (James 1:5, KJV). Markets, laws, and technologies change; Scripture-grounded wisdom endures.

Apply this principle while studying **Sexual Ethics, Purity, and Restoration Pathways**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Sexual Ethics, Purity, and Restoration Pathways

Peter exhorts elders to feed the flock willingly, not for filthy lucre, being examples rather than lords (1 Peter 5:2-3, KJV). Pastoral ministry is exemplary leadership. Character precedes charisma; humility precedes platform.

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TBM & Catalog Cross-References

- CS-714

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Graduate-Level Expectation

This module targets **masters** rigor: primary-source engagement, annotated bibliography entries, and synthesis across prior coursework. Minimum written reflection: 400 words with KJV citations.

Application for Vocation and Ministry

Sexual Ethics, Purity, and Restoration Pathways should change how you work, lead, serve customers, and witness.

Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

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Lab, Scenario, or Field Exercise

Exercise 9: Role-play a pastoral visit, counseling intake, or board meeting scenario. Debrief using scripture and ethics checklists.

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Discussion Questions

How does **Sexual Ethics, Purity, and Restoration Pathways** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

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Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 9 Summary: We examined **Sexual Ethics, Purity, and Restoration Pathways** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

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MD-504 — Lesson 10: Group Care, Support Ministries, and Boundaries

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration — Stewardship

The earth is the LORD's, and the fulness thereof (Psalm 24:1, KJV). Every vocation—accounting, medicine, media, or cloud engineering—is borrowed stewardship.

Apply this principle while studying **Group Care, Support Ministries, and Boundaries**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Group Care, Support Ministries, and Boundaries

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Practical Focus

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Discussion Questions

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Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

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Summary and Next Steps

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MD-504 — Lesson 11: Documentation, Supervision, and Peer Accountability

Introduction

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Christian Ethics Integration — Truth

Buy the truth, and sell it not (Proverbs 23:23, KJV). Financial reports, news scripts, and research data must reflect reality—not convenience.

Apply this principle while studying **Documentation, Supervision, and Peer Accountability**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Documentation, Supervision, and Peer Accountability

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MD-504 — Lesson 12: Capstone: Soul Care Manual for Local Church Implementation

Introduction

Welcome to Lesson 12 of **Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care** (MD-504). This session explores **Capstone: Soul Care Manual for Local Church Implementation** within the **Track A — Ministry / Pastoral / Biblical Counseling** pathway at Twice Born Ministry Bible School.

This career track extends Twice Born Ministry's Layer 2 theology and ministry courses (TH-, PM-, CS-, MN-) with college-level pastoral formation. Cross-reference `SPECIALIZATION_SOURCES.md` and TBM books noted in your syllabus.

This is **Layer 4 — Career Tracks** content at college level (or high school dual-enrollment where noted). The King James Version remains the citation standard for all scripture. Complete BS-FND-100 or listed prerequisites before advanced modules.

Pray for wisdom before studying. Career competence without Christ-centered character produces skilled workers who build on sand. We pursue excellence **as unto the Lord** (Colossians 3:23).

Christian Ethics Integration — Wisdom

If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God (James 1:5, KJV). Markets, laws, and technologies change; Scripture-grounded wisdom endures.

Apply this principle while studying **Capstone: Soul Care Manual for Local Church Implementation**: document ethical decisions, cite KJV where appropriate, and identify when professional practice must yield to conscience.

Core Teaching

Theme: Capstone: Soul Care Manual for Local Church Implementation

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want (Psalm 23:1, KJV). Pastoral care flows from the Chief Shepherd's pattern—leading, feeding, protecting, and restoring sheep who stray. Every visit, phone call, and prayer embodies this metaphor when conducted in Scripture-saturated love.

Peter exhorts elders to feed the flock willingly, not for filthy lucre, being examples rather than lords (1 Peter 5:2-3, KJV). Pastoral ministry is exemplary leadership. Character precedes charisma; humility precedes platform.

Practical Focus

Graduate soul care: confidentiality, referral, crisis, abuse reporting, and Scripture-saturated counseling ethics for pastors and biblical counselors.

Competency targets for this lesson:

- Define key terms and industry-standard vocabulary at introductory level.
- Identify biblical principles that govern ethical decisions in this domain.
- Complete hands-on or scenario-based exercises in assignments and quizzes.
- Connect vocational skills to local church ministry or community service where applicable.

Professional Standards

Career track courses prepare students for further education, certification programs, or bi-vocational ministry—they do not replace licensure, trade union apprenticeships, CPA/legal counsel, or seminary ordination tracks unless explicitly stated in prerequisites.

TBM & Catalog Cross-References

- CS-714

- CS-715
- PM-703

Graduate-Level Expectation

This module targets **masters** rigor: primary-source engagement, annotated bibliography entries, and synthesis across prior coursework. Minimum written reflection: 400 words with KJV citations.

Application for Vocation and Ministry

Capstone: Soul Care Manual for Local Church Implementation should change how you work, lead, serve customers, and witness.

Pastoral practice: Draft a ministry response, visit plan, or counseling scenario tied to this lesson. Discuss with mentor or elder board member.

Personal devotion: Write a brief prayer connecting today's vocational theme to Christ's lordship over your schedule, income, and relationships.

Local church: Share one insight with your pastor, deacon team, or small group—especially where bi-vocational ministry applies.

Evangelism: Prepare a 60-second testimony linking honest work or digital stewardship to the gospel hope you profess.

Lab, Scenario, or Field Exercise

Exercise 12: Role-play a pastoral visit, counseling intake, or board meeting scenario. Debrief using scripture and ethics checklists.

Document assumptions, resources consulted, and limitations. Submit via LMS with honor statement. Supervised field hours may count toward capstone portfolios where approved by cohort facilitator.

Discussion Questions

How does **Capstone: Soul Care Manual for Local Church Implementation** align with Colossians 3:23 ("as to the Lord")?

What secular practice in this field most often conflicts with biblical ethics?

Which prerequisite course or TBM resource best supports this lesson?

How would you teach this topic to a high school dual-enrollment student?

What is one measurable action you will take this week based on this lesson?

Summary and Next Steps

Lesson 12 Summary: We examined **Capstone: Soul Care Manual for Local Church Implementation** through scripture, vocational standards, and ministry application.

Action item: Complete the module quiz (70% to pass) and begin assignment work if due this week.

Preview: Continue to the capstone module. Review SPECIALIZATION_SOURCES.md or Kingdom Capital / TBM Marketing docs as listed in your syllabus.

Soli Deo gloria — whether ye eat or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God (1 Corinthians 10:31).

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Appendix A — Assignments

Week 01

Week 01 Assignment — Reflection Journal

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 1: Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **analyze** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 1: Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Analyze: Write a 300–500 word reflection on **MD-504 — Lesson 1: Biblical Soul Care vs. Secular Therapeutic Models**. Include at least two KJV citations and one personal application.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Biblical, Secular

Week 02

Week 02 Assignment — Memory Verse Application

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 2: Confidentiality, Mandated Reporting, and Legal Ethics

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **apply** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 2: Confidentiality, Mandated Reporting, and Legal Ethics** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Apply: Recite this week's memory verse from memory, then write 250 words explaining how it applies to daily discipleship.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Confidentiality, Mandated

Week 03

Week 03 Assignment — Expository Outline

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 3: Assessment, Referral Networks, and Scope of Practice

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **outline** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 3: Assessment, Referral Networks, and Scope of Practice** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Outline: Produce a structured outline (400+ words) for the main passage in **MD-504 — Lesson 3: Assessment, Referral Networks, and Scope of Practice**. Include pericope titles and one-sentence themes.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Assessment, Referral

Week 04

Week 04 Assignment — Discussion Response

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 4: Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage Pastoral Frameworks

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **explain** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 4: Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage Pastoral Frameworks** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Explain: Answer two discussion prompts from the Week 4 reading in 200 words each. Cite KJV only.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Marriage, Divorce

Week 05

Week 05 Assignment — Practical Ministry Step

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 5: Addiction, Trauma, and Grief at Graduate Depth

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **demonstrate** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 5: Addiction, Trauma, and Grief at Graduate Depth** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Demonstrate: Complete one practical ministry action tied to **MD-504 — Lesson 5: Addiction, Trauma, and Grief at Graduate Depth** (visit, prayer walk, family worship, or service). Submit a 200-word report plus optional photo upload.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Manual review (practical/upload).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Week 06

Week 06 Assignment — Witness Outline

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 6: Mid-Course Ethical Dilemma Workshop

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **construct** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 6: Mid-Course Ethical Dilemma Workshop** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Construct: Draft a 3-minute spoken witness outline using this week's theme. Include gospel bridge, one objection with biblical answer, and call to faith.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Course, Ethical

Week 07

Week 07 Assignment — Cross-Reference Study

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 7: Abuse, Safety Plans, and Church Policy

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **compare** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 7: Abuse, Safety Plans, and Church Policy** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Compare: Find three cross-references that illuminate **MD-504 — Lesson 7: Abuse, Safety Plans, and Church Policy**. Write 400 words comparing themes (OT + NT).

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Abuse, Safety

Week 08

Week 08 Assignment — Historical Context Brief

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 8: Anxiety, Depression, and Medication Conversations

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **describe** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 8: Anxiety, Depression, and Medication Conversations** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Describe: Write 350 words on historical/literary context for **MD-504 — Lesson 8: Anxiety, Depression, and Medication Conversations**. Minimum four KJV citations.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Anxiety, Depression

Week 09

Week 09 Assignment — Christological Connection Essay

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 9: Sexual Ethics, Purity, and Restoration Pathways

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **evaluate** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 9: Sexual Ethics, Purity, and Restoration Pathways** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Evaluate: Explain how **MD-504 — Lesson 9: Sexual Ethics, Purity, and Restoration Pathways** points to Christ in 400–600 words. Use literal-grammatical-historical method.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Sexual, Ethics

Week 10

Week 10 Assignment — Teaching Prep

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 10: Group Care, Support Ministries, and Boundaries

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **design** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 10: Group Care, Support Ministries, and Boundaries** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Design: Prepare a 5-minute teaching outline for **MD-504 — Lesson 10: Group Care, Support Ministries, and Boundaries** suitable for a small group or homeschool lesson.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Group, Support

Week 11

Week 11 Assignment — Integration & Review

Course: MD-504 · Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Week focus: MD-504 — Lesson 12: Capstone: Soul Care Manual for Local Church Implementation

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **synthesize** course content from **MD-504 — Lesson 12: Capstone: Soul Care Manual for Local Church Implementation** with KJV integration and measurable evidence in the submission.

Task

Synthesize: Synthesize the top five themes from Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care. 600 words, minimum six KJV citations, one paragraph on personal growth.

Submit: Text via LMS assignment form. PDF upload optional for longer work.

Grading

Grading mode: Auto-grade eligible (written text).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

Auto-grade hints

Keywords for automated pre-check: KJV, Christ, Scripture, God, Lesson, Capstone, Manual

Week 12

Learning objective (Bloom's taxonomy)

Students will **create** an original ministry artifact synthesizing Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care with KJV fidelity and scholarship-gallery quality.

Creative Ministry Project — MD-504

Course: Counseling Ethics & Biblical Soul Care

Graduate capstone artifact integrating professional scholarship with gospel witness. Submit with rubric self-assessment (70% pass; 85% for distinction). KJV integration required.

Grading

Grading mode: Manual review (creative upload).

Pass: 70%

Rubric (100 points)

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