

THE  
GOTHAM  
FELLOWSHIP



*How might a church, committed to the renewal  
of the city, invest in the next generation  
to impact New York City's culture and  
marketplace with the fullness of the gospel?*

For more information and to apply, visit:  
[redeemer.com/gotham](http://redeemer.com/gotham)

# OVERVIEW

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In September 2008, Redeemer initiated an intensive, top-tier training program to equip participants for gospel leadership in New York City and the world.



The Gotham Fellowship is a 9-month learning community designed to broaden your understanding of and deepen your connection to God's redemptive work by applying theology, spiritual practices, and cultural renewal to your work, your relationships, and New York City. Each Gotham class typically includes a balance of women and men with varied professional and personal backgrounds. Cohorts are primarily organized around affiliation with or proximity to the Redeemer churches.

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The Gotham Fellowship provides three foundational elements needed for applying the fullness of the gospel and the integration of faith and work:

## **GOSPEL-CENTERED THEOLOGICAL TRAINING**

Drawing from the deep resources of the Reformed tradition, our program develops a worldview and fosters a commitment to consider how the gospel impacts every area of life, from personal relationships to the diverse culture of New York City.

## **LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT**

Gotham cultivates spiritual growth that activates personal and professional development through relationships, daily practices and projects.

## **COMMUNITY FORMATION**

Gotham provides a community of peers, from diverse backgrounds and vocations, who are committed to each other's spiritual growth and calling to serve the common good of the city.

# PROGRAM

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## DETAILS & COMMITMENT

The Fellowship runs from Labor Day Weekend through mid-May. The program incorporates:

- ▶ **Daily devotionals**
- ▶ **Weekly reading assignments**
- ▶ **Prayer Partners**
- ▶ **Pastoral Mentorship**
- ▶ **Applied projects and exercises**
- ▶ **Weekly 2.5-hour meetings**
- ▶ **Five-Monthly Saturday gatherings**
- ▶ **Three weekend long gatherings** — Labor Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day and a NYC Finale the third weekend in May.

## TUITION

\$2850: Redeemer members, \$3250: regular attenders of Redeemer churches. \$3600: for participants from Neighboring Churches. This fee helps offset program expenses, including, but not limited to, reading materials, rental space, and all housing and meals for the retreats. Scholarships and financial aid are available. If you are interested in applying for financial assistance or contributing to the scholarship fund, please email [gotham@redeemer.com](mailto:gotham@redeemer.com).

## APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications open in January and the deadline for submission is April 30. An admissions committee selects fellows from applicants who best demonstrate: 1) spiritual maturity, 2) ability to fulfill the responsibilities of the program, and 3) commitment to the city.

# BENEFITS

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## OF BEING A GOTHAM FELLOW

**Solid theological foundations** from teachings, readings and group discussions

**Cultivation of spiritual disciplines and practices** through guided daily devotionals

**Living learning community** to process everyday life and work in the city

**Strong relationships** across the Redeemer churches and ministries

**Engagement** with the art and culture of New York City

*The Gotham Fellowship embodies everything Redeemer has been about from the beginning. From the beginning, we talked about how the gospel changes the heart and how the gospel shapes every area of your life including your public life. Gotham is realizing this vision and finding a way to instill the gospel DNA in people in a deliberate and systematic way.*

— REV. TIMOTHY J. KELLER



## REFLECTIONS

FROM GOTHAM ALUMNI

“Before my involvement in the Center for Faith & Work, I had no context for how faith and work went together. Specifically through the Gotham program, I learned about God’s larger plan to renew the entire world. This changed my perspective from being about personal salvation to whole world renewal. And that I have a responsibility in my work to be engaged in this work of restoration. This was a real game changer.”

“Words fail me to describe what an impact Gotham has had on my life. Perhaps the greatest evidence is that my wife has noticed a change in my attitude, behavior, and spiritual discipline.”



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