

ELECTIVE COURSE

SHARING THE LECTIONARY

INSTRUCTOR: Dr. Deirdre Good

This course is an opportunity for an online discussion for our Sunday lectionary lessons. Inspirational posts serve to engage the learner in the inter-relationship of all the lessons, the collect and especially the gospel lesson. This is a great course for anyone who is teaching, preaching, or want to learn about the lessons the week before they are experienced in liturgy.

ELECTIVE COURSE

CONVERSATIONS IN CELTIC SPIRITUALITY

INSTRUCTOR: The Rev. Dr. Mark Scheneman

This course is developed for small groups in parish life. This course requires a group facilitator. As your guide in this pilgrimage, questions will be posted and power points will be provided to offer ways to go deeper into our text. Our course will feature one chapter of the book each week, but you might want to get started with reading and review the chapters each week as we take them in order. Esther decal's, "Every Earthly Blessing-Recovering the Celtic Tradition" published by Morehouse Publishing is easily accessible. We will have the opportunity to close this five week module with a Celtic Eucharist.

ELECTIVE COURSE

"BECOMING THE BELOVED COMMUNITY"

This course is available in five or 10 week online modules

INSTRUCTORS: Dr. Kevin Barron and Dr. Marion Schwartz

Using the framework of the Episcopal Church's "Becoming Beloved Community" this course on antiracism will lead participants through four pillars rooted in the Baptismal Covenant; Telling the Truth about the Church and Race; Proclaiming the Dream of Beloved Community; Practicing the Way of Love; and Repairing the Breach in Society and Institutions. The course is designed to provide current and future leaders of the church with the knowledge and background to combat the sin of racism, particularly focusing on dismantling systemic racism within and outside of the institution of the Church.

ELECTIVE COURSE

MEETING GOD'S CALL IN SACRAMENT & STORY

INSTRUCTOR: The Rev. Canon Kate Harrigan

This is a 5–6 week online module that begins October 4th and 5th and is designed to deepen our understanding of how God calls us through our Baptism.

FALL SEMESTER COURSES

BEGINNING OCTOBER 4TH & 5TH 2018
(FALL COURSE REGISTRATION WILL OPEN SEPTEMBER 1ST)



If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Dean Robyn Szoke-Coolidge (717) 315-8088, rszoke@diocesecpa.org

10 WEEK ONLINE COURSE

INTRODUCTION TO HEBREW SCRIPTURES

INSTRUCTOR: The Rev. Dr. David Zwifka

The first part of this course deals with those background issues necessary for a proper understanding of the sacred texts, including inspiration, inerrancy, canonicity, biblical history, how the reader is to interpret biblical texts. The second part of the course applies these concepts to a study of the Pentateuch, concentrating on Genesis, Exodus, and Deuteronomy.

10 WEEK ONLINE COURSE

CHURCH HISTORY I

INSTRUCTOR: The Rev. Dr. Mark Scheneman

This course focuses on eight “Crossroad Moments” in church history:

- Conversion of Constantine
- Patrick’s Mission to Ireland
- Benedict establishes Monastic Order
- Martin Luther Posts the 95 Theses
- Cramner’s Book of Common Prayer
- Establishment of the Episcopal Church
- The Second Vatican Council

10 WEEK ONLINE COURSE

PRAYER BOOK STUDIES I

INSTRUCTOR: The Rev. Shawn Strout

This course will provide students with an overview of the history of liturgy in the western church, Anglican Tradition, with an emphasis on the liturgical theology of the Book of Common Prayer, Baptism and Eucharist along with the Daily Office. Reading, reflection, class discussion will help students articulate the Episcopal Church’s theology of Baptism and Eucharist and have a better understanding of the shape of the daily office.

10 WEEK ONLINE COURSE

THEOLOGY I

INSTRUCTOR: Dr. Joshua Davis

“And if someone asks about your Christian hope, always be ready to explain it.” Systematic theology is the theological discipline that seeks to give an answer for the hope that lies within us. In this course, we will explore topics including the nature of God, Christology, Pneumatology, and Trinitarian theology. We will use multiple media including readings, YouTube videos, and live online discussions.

10 WEEK ONLINE COURSE

HOMILETICS

INSTRUCTOR: The Rev. Dr. David Zwifka

How do you proclaim so that others may believe? Deepen your exegetical practices, strengthen your preaching, challenge yourself to reflect on your practice of preaching. This course is for lay preachers as well as those in vocational process for ordination.

10 WEEK ONLINE COURSE

LITURGICAL THEOLOGY

INSTRUCTOR: The Rev. Shawn Strout

Using Kevin Irwin’s book, “Context and Text”, as our main guide, we will build a practical methodology for liturgical theology, focusing primarily on the Eucharist. Students will construct their own liturgical theology using their parish as the context. We will use various forms of media including readings, module discussion group, live online discussions and group presentations.