

Souljourners Session Topics

Knowledge of God and the Christian Spiritual Tradition

Topic	Faculty	Month
Biblical Spirituality	Mary Irene Nowell, OSB	September <i>even yr.</i>
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Covenant as model in Old and New Testament 2. Covenant with all of creation 3. On-going personal covenant with God 	
Patristic Spirituality	Judith Sutera, OSB	October <i>even yr.</i>
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understanding the roots of spirituality 2. Transcendence-universal hunger 3. Ancient wisdom-part of our living experience today 	
Medieval Spirituality	Dr. Ernest Jenkins	November <i>even yr.</i>
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understanding of Medieval Culture & Spirituality 2. Acquaintance with important figures of that time/Birth of the individual 3 Expressing Oneself 4. Emerging Vernacular 	
Reformation Spirituality	Rev. Jim Gordon, Judith Sutera, OSB	January <i>odd yr.</i>
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understanding Reformation Spirituality 2. Understanding the Catholic response 	
World Religions	Dr. Vern Barnett	February <i>odd yr.</i>
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Growing in knowledge, appreciation and understanding of the world's religions 2. Finding the "Sacred" in our lives 	
Creation Spirituality	Lucy Slinger, FSPA	March <i>odd yr.</i>
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Theological context 2. Application of spiritual guidance 3. Understanding the gift and how we care for it 4. Living out of "Love, Abundance and Gratitude" as opposed to "Sin, Fear, & Scarcity" 5. How this relates to Spiritual Guidance 	
Celtic Spirituality	Therese Elias, OSB	April <i>odd yr.</i>
Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. History of Celtic People 2. Celtic Spirituality 3. Celtic Prayer 	
Residency	Rev. Margaret Gunther	June

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Knowledge of Self and Graced Human Development

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Listening Skills	Esther Fangman, OSB	September <i>odd yr.</i>
	Objectives	
Discernment	James Blumeyer, SJ	October <i>odd yr.</i>
	Objectives	
Faithful Change	Janelle Maes, OSB	November <i>odd yr.</i>
	Objectives	
12 Step Spirituality	Phillip St. Romaine	January <i>even yr.</i>
	Objectives	
Integral Spirituality	Kathryn Damiano	February <i>even yr.</i>
	Objectives	
Feminine/Masculine Spirituality	James Brandt Lisa Whitlow	March <i>even yr.</i>
	Objectives	
Ethics in Spiritual Direction	Lucy Abbot-Tucker	April <i>even yr.</i>
	Objectives	
Residency	Rev. Margaret Gunther	June