



ACADEMY FOR VITAL CHRISTIANITY

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Are you interested in...

- **deepening** your faith and broadening your knowledge of the Christian faith?
- **enhancing** your congregational life?
- **exploring** meaningful conversations with others?

Consider taking an Academy for Vital Christianity class!



What are people saying about the Academy?

"This course was extremely informative on the origins of the gospels and how they are the same and different from each other. Paul Capetz is extremely knowledgeable and a great teacher." ~ Dan Durdin, Maple Grove MN

"I would highly recommend that anyone who is able, take the time and experience this gem. I feel so fortunate to have a resource like this so available." ~Marty Watson, St. Paul's UCC

What is the cost?

Fees range from \$70 to \$200, depending on the number of contact hours. Costs for reading materials or occasional incidentals are not included. Scholarships may be available through your denomination or church.

Academy classes are held throughout the state of Minnesota and the Twin Cities metropolitan area. For a complete list of classes and all class descriptions, see our Web site at www.unitedseminary.edu/CommunityPrograms/academy.asp.

Duluth ACADEMY CLASS

SPRING 2011-2012

How the Congregation Can Empower Its Laity for Ministry
..... First United Methodist Church

Churches struggle to find better ways to live out the priesthood of all believers. This class will offer an organized way to empower laity for ministry that goes beyond time and talent forms.

Instructor: Jean Morris Trumbauer

Dates: Saturdays – March 3 & 17

Times: 9:30 AM-3:30 PM

Cost: \$196.00. Class fee includes lunch.

Congregational Discount: Groups of two or more congregants can register for a reduced rate by calling Renee Flesner at 651.255.6138.

REGISTRATION

Or get more information at www.unitedseminary.edu.

Name _____

Address _____

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Denomination _____

Class Choice

___ How the Congregation Can Empower Its Laity for Ministry

Amount enclosed \$ _____ (check payable to 'UTS')

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