

The Academy for Vital Christianity United Theological Seminary of the Twin Cities

What is the Academy for Vital Christianity? A chance to take seminary-level classes on religion and spirituality at a convenient time and place! Classes take place in the metro area and have also been offered in Alexandria, Duluth, Little Falls, Mankato, and Rochester.

The Academy, which offers short-term classes in churches around Minnesota, is a joint venture of United Theological Seminary in New Brighton and the Minnesota Conferences of the United Church of Christ and the United Methodist Church. Classes focus on such timeless issues as great theologians of the church, religion and the arts, and understanding the Bible in contemporary terms. An interactive format encourages a lively give-and-take, and United's tradition of hospitality creates a sense of inclusiveness. Taught by United faculty members and regional experts, the classes are offered evenings and weekends. Class costs range from \$70 to \$200.

Join others interested in strengthening their faith and understanding!

Limited scholarships are available. Financial assistance may be available through your church or denomination. For more information, including class details and registration, go to www.unitedseminary.edu/CommunityPrograms/academy.asp or direct questions to Renee Flesner at 651.255.6138 or rflesner@unitedseminary.edu.