

FALL 2010

EDUCATIONAL AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH OPPORTUNITIES FOR

CLERGY AND LAY MEMBERS
CONGREGATIONS
COMMUNITY MEMBERS

You don't have to be a minister to go to seminary

- teacher
- psychiatrist
- prison chaplain
- college professor
- youth minister
- liturgical artist
- musician
- playwright
- christian educator
- chemical dependency counselor
- community organizer
- liturgist
- worship leader
- campus minister
- writer
- physician
- legislator
- activist
- church educator
- nursing home administrator
- educational consultant
- denominational official
- psychologist
- poet
- volunteer
- social worker
- hospital chaplain
- lawyer
- nurse
- camp director
- artist
- publisher
- historian
- missionary
- development officer
- librarian
- therapist
- nonprofit administrator
- spiritual director
- pastoral counselor
- military chaplain
- choir director

DEEPENING KNOWLEDGE. DEEPENING FAITH.



WE WELCOME PEOPLE OF ALL FAITHS AND WALKS OF LIFE.

United Theological Seminary is a small, intimate seminary nestled in a quiet, suburban neighborhood near the intersection of I-35W and I-694 in northwest St. Paul. An ecumenical seminary, we pioneer new ways to educate people for ministry in a changing world through our:

- carefully planned, integrated curriculum;
- rich mix of theological traditions;
- focus on the arts as a source of inspiration for worship;
- commitment to move people and communities to greater wholeness and justice.

UNIQUE OPPORTUNITIES FOR LAITY AND CLERGY

Created to serve your needs, United's Academy for Vital Christianity and Institute for the Support of Pastoral Ministry are part of the seminary's commitment to academic excellence and a prophetic voice.

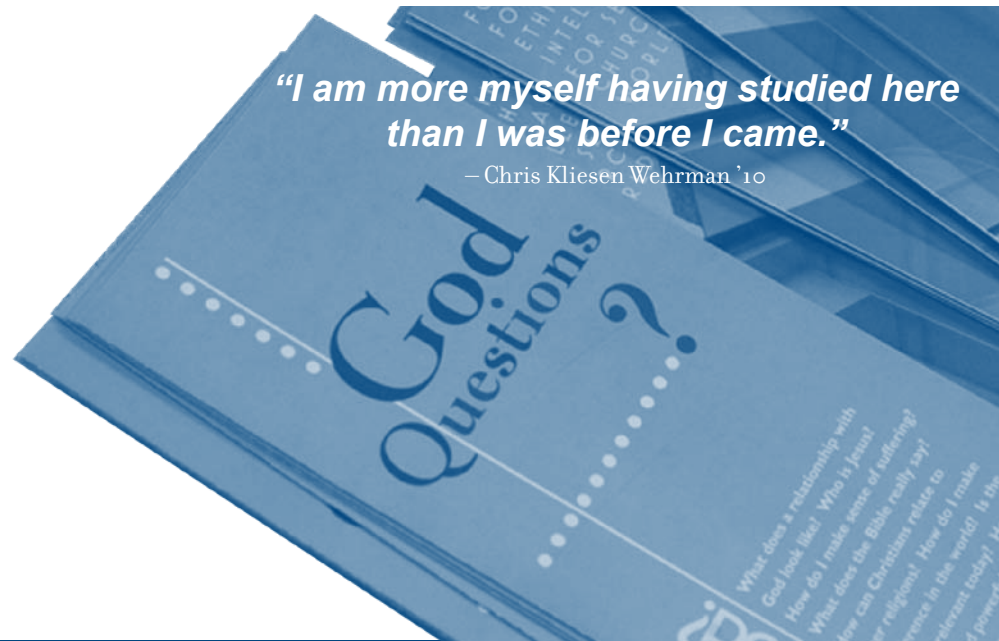
The Academy, in partnership with the Minnesota Conferences of the United Church of Christ and the United Methodist Church, offers seminary-quality education in locations and formats that make it possible for individuals and clergy to pursue a deeper understanding of the Christian tradition without the commitment needed to take a seminary class.

The Institute, directed and founded by Christie Cozad Neuger, a world-renowned leader in the field of pastoral care and counseling, provides religious leaders in parish and specialized ministries the opportunity to participate in year-long consultation groups designed to support and enhance their ministries. The focus is deepening reflection on, and practice of, the arts of ministry.



BIGELOW CHAPEL

The Bigelow Chapel serves as a beautiful and inspiring setting for public lectures and convocations, offers gallery space for art exhibits, and provides a venue for musical concerts, liturgical dance, and chancel drama. View the stunning Bigelow Chapel at www.unitedseminary.edu/Bigelow/photos.asp.



UNITED THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OF THE TWIN CITIES 2010 Fall Event Offerings

For more details, including registration information, see our Web site at www.unitedseminary.edu, call 651.255.6138, or e-mail rflesner@unitedseminary.edu. Check for additional events at www.unitedseminary.edu/events/index.asp.

SEPTEMBER 2010

Evenings at the Bigelow: Art and Soul Visual Theology: The Role of Art and Faith, with Wilson Yates

Bigelow Chapel
Thursday, September 23
7:30 PM
\$15
No charge for seminary students.

Fall Convocation "Faith Communities and their Truth in an Information Age"

Peg Chamberlin
Bigelow Chapel
Tuesday, September 28
11:35 AM-12:05 PM
No charge.

OCTOBER 2010

Creating Significant Worship*

Arthur Clyde
First Congregational UCC, Alexandria
Saturdays, October 2 & 30
9:30 AM-3:30 PM
\$240 or \$190 (early registration)
Includes lunch.

Christianity's Enduring Life: Contemporary Stories of Diversity, Renewal, and Global Growth*

Mary Farrell Bednarowski
Wayzata Community Church
Mondays, October 4 & 11
7:00-9:00 PM
\$85 or \$70 (early registration)

What does the Bible have to do with Life Today?*

Neil Elliott
Cottage Grove UCC
Thursdays, October 7, 14, 28; November 4, 11
7:00-9:00 PM
\$225 or \$175 (early registration)

Making Sense of Paul in a Global Village*

Neil Elliott
Messiah UMC, Plymouth
Saturdays, October 16 & November 6
9:30 AM-3:30 PM
\$240 or \$190 (early registration)
Includes lunch.

Understanding the New Testament in Today's World*

Marilyn Salmon
Centenary UMC, Mankato
Saturdays, October 16 & November 6
9:30 AM-3:30 PM
\$240 or \$190 (early registration)
Includes lunch.

Reading the Prophets in the 21st Century*

Richard Weis
Peace UCC, Duluth
Saturdays, October 16 & November 13
9:30 AM-3:30 PM
\$240 or \$190 (early registration)
Includes lunch.

Reimagining the Church for Our Contemporary Time*

Eleazar Fernandez
Christ UMC, Rochester
Saturdays, October 16 & November 13
9:30 AM-3:30 PM
\$240 or \$190 (early registration)
Includes lunch.

Effective Caregiving*

Christie Neuger
Normandale Hylands UMC, Bloomington
Mondays, October 18, 25; November 1, 8
7:00-9:00 PM
\$180 or \$140 (early registration)

Narrative Resources for Pastoral Counseling**

Christie Neuger
Strobel Room (McMillan 209)
Tuesday, October 19
9:00 AM-3:30 PM
\$60 or \$30 (seminary student rate)

Evenings at the Bigelow: Art and Soul

Susan Deborah (Sam) King
Bigelow Chapel
Tuesday, October 19
7:30 PM
\$20 or \$10 (seminary student rate)
Readings from "Bog Orchids: Island Poems."

From Divine Revelation to Media Revolution: Leading in the Era of Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube

Rabbi Hayim Herring & Digital Wagon Train
Strobel Room (McMillan 209)
Tuesday, October 26
9:00 AM-5:00 PM
More details later.

Love Songs to Lament: Poetry and the Hebrew Bible*

Carolyn Pressler & Pamela Wynn
Wayzata Community Church
Thursdays, October 28; November 4, 11, 18
7:00-9:00 PM
\$180 or \$140 (early registration)

First Divinity

Susan Deborah (Sam) King
Strobel Room (McMillan 209)
Fridays, October 29; November 5, 12, 19; December 3
1:00-3:30 PM
\$180 or \$140 (seminary student rate)
An exploration of the divinity as a female figure revealed in art, architecture, and poetry in early cultures.

NOVEMBER 2010

What's Next?

Strobel Room (McMillan 209)
Tuesday, November 2
11:30 AM-8:00 PM or
3:00-8:00 PM
An event for people considering seminary. Meals included. No charge.

How the Congregation Can Empower Its Laity for Ministry*

Jean Morris Trumbauer
St. Paul's UCC, St. Paul
Saturdays, November 6 & 20
9:30 AM-3:30 PM
\$240 or \$190 (early registration)
Includes lunch.

Facilitating Difficult Discussions**

Rabbi Amy Eilberg
Strobel Room (McMillan 209)
Tuesday, November 9
9:00 AM-3:30 PM
\$60 or \$30 (seminary student rate)

What's Next?

Strobel Room (McMillan 209)
Saturday, November 13
9:00 AM-3:00 PM
An event for people considering seminary. Includes lunch. No charge.

The Church of the Future: Communicating the Good News

Doug Pagitt
Strobel Room (McMillan 209)
Thursday, November 18
9:00 AM-12:00 noon
\$30 or \$15 (seminary student rate)
First of a three-part series.

Advanced Narrative Resources for Pastoral Counseling**

Christie Neuger
Strobel Room (McMillan 209)
Monday, November 29
9:00 AM-3:30 PM
\$60 or \$30 (seminary student rate)

30 Years/30 Lives: Documenting a Pandemic

Kimberly Vrudny
Tuesday, November 30
Art opening and panel.
More details later.

DECEMBER 2010

The Festival of Lessons and Carols

Bigelow Chapel
Thursday, December 16
11:35 AM
No charge.

WEEKLY

Chapel Services

Bigelow Chapel
Tuesdays & Thursdays
11:35 AM-12:05 PM
When classes are in session.

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