

**ARCHDIOCESE OF NEW ORLEANS**  
**Office of Black Catholic Ministry**

**CATECHETICAL AND PASTORAL MINISTRY PROGRAM**

**The Institute for Black Catholic Studies (IBCS) in collaboration with the Archdiocese of New Orleans' Office of Black Catholic Ministries (OBCM) offers several one-week catechetical and/or pastoral ministry formation and enhancement courses.**

**These courses are designed for New Orleanians, who are active members in the Archdiocese, but are unable to participate in the daytime catechist and academic courses of the Institute.**

**Students who wish to be certified as catechists for the Archdiocese will be able to receive accreditation points through this program. Courses are offered in the evenings to all interested parishioners seeking faith enrichment.**

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