

**XAVIER UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA'S
INSTITUTE FOR BLACK CATHOLIC STUDIES**

**CERTIFICATE AND
ENRICHMENT
PROGRAMS**

Registration Forms

SUMMER 2010

Week One



2010

WEEK 1- June 25-July 3, 2010

Name _____ Email _____ Phone _____

CORE COURSES
Monday-Friday 8:45-11:45AM

_____ **CORE0001B - HISTORY of SPIRITUALITY**

This course is a historical survey of Black Spirituality with emphasis on the stories of African and African American Saints and Holy men and women.

Instructor: Fr. Donald Sterling, D. Min.,

_____ **CORE0006A - SOCIAL JUSTICE TEACHINGS**

This course introduces the seven major themes and values and explores the implications of Catholic Social Teaching for the Black Community.

Instructor: Ms. Carol Smith, M.Div.,

CATECHIST FORMATION IN THE BLACK CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

MTThF 1:45-4:45PM

_____ **CATF 0001: THE NATURE AND GOALS OF AFRICENTRIC CATECHESIS**

An interactive seminar that explores (1) the mission and tasks of Africentric catechesis including an overview of theological / pastoral documents that encourage Inculturation and holistic faith formation, (2) qualities of a catechist, (3) Black learning styles, catechetical environments and methods, (4) an initial exploration of resources. **-Instructor: Cynthia Battle**

_____ **YAFF 0003: (Catechetics IV) ADULT FAITH FORMATION**

This course will examine and critique existing modes of adult catechesis and propose ways to incorporate new approaches to adult catechesis in the parish. An African American perspective will be emphasized as students are exposed to the goals, tasks and components of adult catechesis and its connection to evangelization

Instructor: Fr. J. Derran Combs, Ph.D. Cand.

_____ **CATF0004: SYNTHESIS SEMINAR**

Prerequisite: Successful completion of Catechetics I, II, III, IV, four BRE and four core courses. The Synthesis Seminar requires three consecutive weeks during the second summer. During this seminar, participants will:

- choose a topic and target audience for a written practicum
- meet with an advisor to present an outline of the practicum, design a draft which will be edited

and revised, and submit the final copy of the practicum at the end of the third week.

-Instructor: Ms. Kaffy Babineaux Belvin, M.A.

YOUTH/YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY
MTThF 1:45-4:45PM

_____ **YOUTH 0003: PSYCHOLOGICAL AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT OF YOUTH**

examines: (1) the stages/complexities of adolescence, (2) the strengths/cultures of African American youth, (3) the myths about African American youth, (4) the sources of current "trouble areas", (5) the possible bridges between youth and adults, (6) and the ways to encourage African American youth to embrace psychologically and spiritually healthy lives.

Instructor: TBA

LEADERSHIP IN THE FAITH COMMUNITY 2010: LAY ECCLESIAL MINISTRY

MTThF 1:45-4:45PM

_____ **LEADER 0001: LEADERSHIP IN THE U.S. CATHOLIC CHURCH**

will discuss

- *Coworkers in the Vineyard*: its terminology, background, history and supporting documents;
- Preparation of Lay Ecclesial Ministers: Specialized training, vision, and goal setting;
- Learning experiences & networking;
- Leadership roles and authority;
- Understanding Church structures and processes; certification and credentialing;
- The Ministerial Workplace.

Instructor: Ms. Beverly Carroll

BLACK RELIGIOUS EXPRESSION SEMINARS*

**Wednesday Afternoons - Week 1 thru 3
 1:45-4:45PM**

_____ **BRES0001: Art-TBA**

_____ **BRES0002: Dance-TBA**

_____ **BRES0003: Drama-Mr. Chakula Cha Jua**

_____ **BRES0004: Music -Ms. Veronica Downs-Dorsey, M.M.**