

A Wonderful Opportunity

Do you need to replenish your inner life?

Do you want to deepen or strengthen
your sacramental life

in order to continue and invigorate your outer
journey?

The setting of the seminary, its structured day
and content of study, provide a unique
environment for such a deepening.

To this end we will be opening some of our
courses to members and friends in the form of
week-long retreats. The retreats also offer a
wonderful opportunity to participate in the life of
the seminary and to develop a more intimate
relationship to our Movement for Religious
Renewal. Come and join us!



The Seminary Building, 2014 W Sunnyside, Chicago



SEMINARY

Winter – Spring 2009

THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY
THE CHICAGO



Week-Long Retreats

*Our whole life is an act of worship. In
ordinary life, we serve like priests at the altar.*
-Novalis

In addition to providing training for the vocation of
priest, the Seminary of the Christian Community
wishes to support all those seeking a relationship
with the living Christ by offering weeklong
retreats.

The Program

Each day will begin with the Act of Consecration of
Man in the chapel of the Chicago congregation.
After breakfast, daily courses will continue in the
church or at the seminary building, which is within
walking distance. Courses will include gospel
studies, speech, eurythmy, and more. Out of
town participants are also encouraged to take
advantage of the cultural wealth of the city and
those who come for one week only are welcome to
stay through the weekend.

Contributions

Even if you are unable to attend a retreat, you can
participate in the life of the Seminary through a
financial contribution. If you are able and willing to
make a donation, please send a check payable to
the Seminary of the Christian Community, to the
address on the reverse. Thank You!

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Open Courses

Jan. 26 – Jan. 30

'Not I, but Christ in me'

A Path of Inner Attitude and Outer Deed

Rev. Richard Dancey

Feb. 2 – Feb. 6

**Space, Time and the Divine:
Exploring everyday experiences as
doorways**

Rev. Oliver Steinrueck, San Francisco

Feb. 23 – Feb. 27

**The Water of Life-- in Fairy Tales, in the
Apocalypse, in the Sacraments**

Rev. Susan Locey, Vancouver, BC

March 2 – March 6

**The Activity of the Temple of Liberty in
American History**

Rick Spalding, Chicago

March 9 – March 13

Trinity: Light, Life and Love

Rev. Gisela Wielki

March 30 – April 3

**The Countenance of Creation – Vertical and
Horizontal**

Rev Gisela Wielki

April 6- April 10 **Holy Week**

Death and Resurrection of the Body

Rev. Richard Dancey

Our life is an apprenticeship to the truth.... No facts to me are sacred; none are profane; I simply experiment, an endless seeker...the coming only is sacred. Nothing is secure but life, transition, the emerging spirit.

R.W. Emerson

Cost and Contact Information

The cost for the weeklong retreats (including tuition, room, kitchen use, and breakfast (5 days)) is \$350. If you are interested, please fill out the enclosed sign-up form and send it to the address below.

For more information, also regarding course content, please contact:

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Sign-up Form

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

Please sign me up for the following Course(s)/Dates:

Please indicate which option(s) you are interested in:

- Full One Week Program: \$350
(Including Accommodations/Breakfast/Tuition)
- Full One Week Program \$200
without accommodations
- Course Only: \$50

Retreat participants, please send a \$25 non-refundable deposit along with this application; the remaining fees are payable upon arrival. For the Course Only, please pay at the door. Make your check payable to:

The Seminary of the Christian Community
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Chicago, IL 60625

