

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? To this end we will be opening some of our courses to members and friends in the form of weeklong 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 OF THE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY IN NORTH AMERICA

Retreats, Open Courses

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 workshops, week-long courses and retreats.

The Program

The program will vary, depending on its length and location. It will include the celebration of the Act of Consecration of Man, some shared meals, gospel or some other study, conversation and artistic activity in addition to the morning or evening main course.

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 below. Thank You!

Fall 2011
Open Courses,
Week-long Retreats

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

Oct. 3 – 7, 9:30 – 10:45 am

Christ and the Earth

The earth is a living organism with soul moods, and even a self, all of which are undergoing a fundamental change since the Mystery of Golgotha.

Daniel Hafner, Toronto

Oct. 17 – 21, 9:30 – 10:45 am

Apostles of the Living Light: Paul - Mani – Rembrandt

Themes of reconciliation between light and darkness, good and evil, of serving and transforming

Gisela Wielki, Chestnut Ridge

Nov. 7 – 11, 9:30 – 10:45 am

Christology

Erk Ludwig, New York

Nov. 14 – 18, 7:30 pm – 8:45 pm

Traces of the Ancient Mysteries in Modern Life

The theme of this course will be the relationship between the ancient mysteries and spiritual experiences in our time, emphasizing the mystery motifs in modern life.

Bastiaan Baan, The Netherlands

Nov. 21 & 22, 7:30 pm

Two lectures in celebration of the 150th Anniversary of Rudolf Steiner's birth

Christ: A Central Theme in Anthroposophy

Douglas Sloan, Prof. Emeritus
\$10/12 suggested donation

Nov. 28 – Dec. 2, 9:30 - 10:45 am

The Gospel According to John

This book of initiation is given to us to connect us with its Source, which is at the same time the source of esoteric Christianity.

Daniel Hafner, Toronto

Location:

At the Christian Community
15 Margetts Rd.
Chestnut Ridge, NY

Cost:

Course only, five sessions: \$50
Full participation includes all classes and breakfast, but not lodging: \$200

Lodging:

Please arrange with Holder House:
www.threefold.org/housing
or contact the seminary if you would like to be housed with someone from the congregation.

For more information, the daily schedule and to register, please contact:

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