

Equipping Laity for Ministry
A Three-Tier Approach

EMPATHIC PASTORAL CARE SOLUTIONS

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Rationale and Presuppositions

RATIONALE

- Vast Pastoral Care Need
- Need for Well-trained Laity
- Future Pastoral Visitors
- Committed Faculty

PRESUPPOSITIONS

- Laity *want* to serve in substantive ministries
- Laity *want* to be challenged
- Laity are *capable* of learning
- Personal Growth

MODULE I

An Introductory Course

OVERVIEW

- Discernment process
- Skills and theory
- 12 hours of group seminars
- Didactic presentations, verbatim analysis
- Participants engaged in ministry

EXCITING NEWS!!

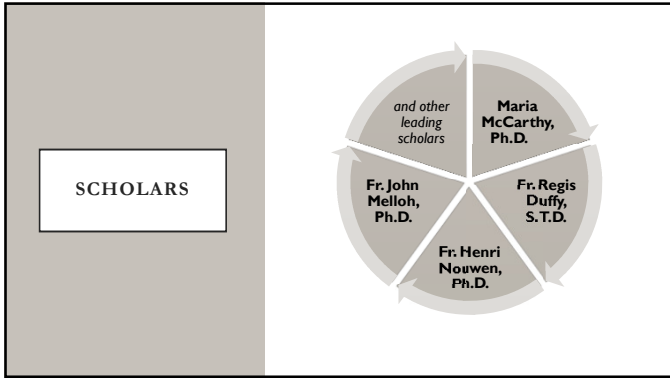
- Module I Spanish-class
- Offered this fall
- Taught by NACC Certified Chaplain
- First time in the Archdiocese!!

DISCUSSION TOPICS

- Catholic Pastoral Care
- Call to Ministry
- Pastoral / Social Conversations
- Empathic Listening
- Referral Protocol for Priests

DISCUSSION TOPICS

- Ethical Religious Directives
- Intercessory Prayer
- HIPAA
- Pastoral Presence
- Pastoral Identity





CORRELATIONS	
PILLARS	TOPICS
Human	4
Spiritual	4
Intellectual	3
Pastoral	6

CORRELATION EXAMPLE

TOPIC

Catholic Pastoral Care

PILLAR
COMPETENCIES

Intellectual

- Church's history of pc (3.3.1)
- History, major figures in pc (3.3.2)

MODULE PARTICIPANT

**DAWN
MALONE**

MODULE II

An Expanded Course

DISCUSSION TOPICS	Catholic Pastoral Care
	Grief Theory
	Physical Pain
	Trauma & Crisis Ministry
	Palliative Care

DISCUSSION TOPICS	Catholic Moral Ethics
	Death & Dying
	Secondary Traumatic Stress
	Hispanic-American Catholic Spirituality

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CORRELATIONS

PILLARS	TOPICS
Human	6
Spiritual	6
Intellectual	7
Pastoral	7

CORRELATION EXAMPLE

TOPIC	PILLARS COMPETENCIES
Hispanic-American Catholic Spirituality	Human: Open differences Spiritual: Different prayers Intellectual: Respect Pastoral: Skills which honor

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Pillars and
Competencies
in Module II – Reflections

CORRELATIONS

PILLARS	REFLECTION TOPICS
Human	7
Spiritual	7
Intellectual	3
Pastoral	5

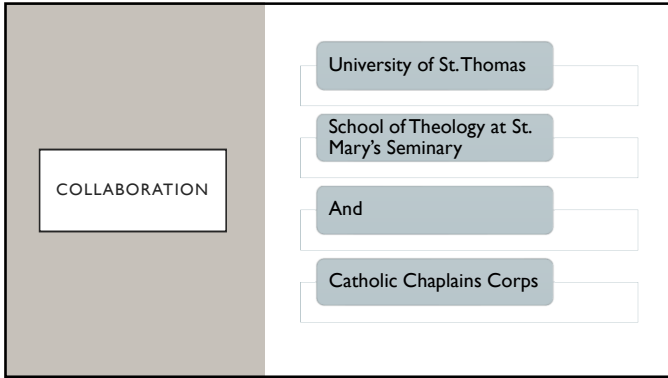
REFLECTION EXAMPLE

Spirituality
Spirituality of the Sacred Arts (2-4)

Consider art, music and architecture, do any of these expressions of the human soul feed your spirituality? Is there a sense of the sacred for you beyond the traditional sources like scripture, prayer and worship?

CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

Unique Collaborative
Enterprise







PAIRINGS – FIRST YEAR

SEMINARY COURSES

Covenant & Kingdom
Fundamental Theology
Prophets & the Writings
Moral Theology

INTEGRATIVE TOPIC

Empathic Listening
Spirituality
Intercessory Prayer
Spirituality &
Spiritual Pain

PAIRINGS – SECOND YEAR

SEMINARY COURSES

The Gospels
Moral Questions
Paul & the Letters
Anthropology/
Eschatology

INTEGRATIVE TOPIC

Suffering, Catholic
Spirituality
Grief Theory
Scripture
Family Dynamics

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Pillars and
Competencies
in Certificate Program

CORRELATION EXAMPLE

SEMINARY COURSE

PILLAR
COMPETENCY

Covenant & Kingdom

Spiritual
Integrative Spirituality (2.1)
Intellectual
Scripture & Revelation (3.1)

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