

# 2010 SUMMER PROGRAMS REGISTRATION FORM

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 CHRIST THE  
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**GRADUATE COURSES (3 credits)** – REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MAY 7, 2010  
**\$1,095 (includes course and fees)**

- SS 990 Prophetic Literature and the Psalms  
 SY 990 The Scandal of Suffering: Theological Explorations  
 PS 641/741 Theological Field Education

**CONTINUING EDUCATION** – REGISTRATION DEADLINE: MAY 7, 2010

**\$155 per course, \$270 for 2 courses for one person**

- CE-HT 02 Church History  
 CE-MO 02 Foundations of Christian Ethics  
 CE-SS 05 Pauline Literature  
 CE-PS FE Field Education Practicum

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If currently enrolled, please check program:

- M.Div.  M.A.P.M.  M.A.T.  
 Diaconate Formation Program  Continuing Education Program  
 I am taking this course for personal enrichment

I have previously attended a:

- Graduate Course  Cont. Ed. Course  Workshop/Lecture

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**Payment due at time of registration.** Please make check payable to Christ the King Seminary. Mail registration form & check to: Christ the King Seminary, Academic Office, PO Box 607, East Aurora, NY 14052-0607.

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**REFUND POLICY:** GRADUATE COURSES – Refer to catalog for full refund policy. CONTINUING EDUCATION – A full refund may be granted if requested in writing prior to the first day of class. No refund can be given after the first day of class.

**FINANCIAL AID** may be available to certificate and graduate program students. Contact Nancy Ehlers, (716) 655-7085, or visit the finance office for more information.

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**GRADUATE COURSES**  
**CONTINUING EDUCATION**

**CLASSES BEGIN**  
**MAY 17**



## GRADUATE COURSES

### SS 990: PROPHETIC LITERATURE AND THE PSALMS

The first part of this course concentrates on the phenomenon of Old Testament prophecy and its place within the history and religion of ancient Israel, as well as within other cultures of the Ancient Near East. The principal prophetic books are studied with exegesis of selected passages. The second part of the course focuses on a critical study of the Psalter. The different psalm forms are examined with attention given to selected psalms and their theology.

**Instructor: Sr. Marion Moeser, OSF**  
**May 26 to June 30. Classes will meet on Mondays and Wednesdays, as well as two Fridays (May 28 and June 4), 6:30 – 9:30 p.m.**

### SY 990: THE SCANDAL OF SUFFERING: THEOLOGICAL EXPLORATIONS

Why is God doing this to me? To us? In the face of deadly natural disasters, of horrendous moral abuses like genocide, unjust war, systematic or random violence, of situations of grinding poverty and deprivation of natural rights, of lethal diseases and genetic disorders of all sorts, a human outcry often indicts both the integrity of the cosmos and the graciousness of its creator and redeemer. How may people of faith make sense of the scandal? What accounts for such overwhelming suffering?

This graduate theology seminar investigates the theme of suffering (especially innocent suffering) in the Jewish and Christian Scriptures. Then, attention focuses upon various classical and modern

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attempts in philosophy and theology to account for this so-called problem of evil by defending God, decrying sin, accusing or excusing an evolutionary cosmos. Students will participate actively in the seminar and present a research paper for critical discussion. In the end, the seminar struggles to confront the scandal and impasse of suffering with the hope of a peaceable kingdom through surrender to holy mystery, empathetic engagement, and radical solidarity with all creation.

**Instructor: Rev. Gabriel Scarfia, OFM**  
**Tuesdays and Thursdays, May 25 to July 6 (no class June 10), 6:30 – 9:30 p.m.**

### PS 641/741: THEOLOGICAL FIELD EDUCATION

Field Education can be arranged through the Director of Theological Field Education, Kathleen Castillo at (716) 655-7094.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSES

### CE-HT 02: CHURCH HISTORY

This course is a survey of the history of the Church from its origins to the present day. This overview will highlight key developments during the periods of the Early Church, the Middle Ages, the Reformation Era, and the Modern Era.

**Instructor: Dennis Castillo**  
**Tuesday and Thursdays, 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m., 10 classes beginning May 18.**

### CE-MO 02: FOUNDATIONS OF CHRISTIAN ETHICS

This course analyzes some of the foundational issues of Christian Ethics, especially from the perspective of Roman Catholic Theology. >

Special attention is given to: moral experience as a starting point of ethical reflection; the interaction between character, choices and community in shaping ethical behavior; the renewal of moral theology; the human person as moral agent; fundamental option, human action, and moral attitude; formation of conscience; the function of moral norms and principles; the reality of sin; Christian moral conversion and moral discernment; morality and spirituality; the call to holiness.

**Instructor: Rev. Paul Varuvel**  
**Wednesday and Thursdays, May 19 to June 23 (no class June 10), 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.**

### CE-SS 05: PAULINE LITERATURE

The letters of St. Paul changed the known world and became the foundation of the church's theology and spirituality. This course will introduce the student to the known writings of St. Paul, situating them within the context of his own historical time and circumstances, and will examine some of the major themes and teachings that remain relevant for contemporary society and the church.

**Instructor: Michael Sherry**  
**Monday and Wednesdays, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m., 10 classes beginning May 17.**

### CE-PS FE: FIELD EDUCATION PRACTICUM

Track I students who have completed six courses should contact Kathleen Castillo, Director of Theological Field Education at (716) 655-7094 for field education, which is required to complete your certificate course work. Track II students have the option of field education. Please register AFTER arranging the placement with the instructor.

*All summer classes will be held at Christ the King Seminary's East Aurora campus in the classroom building.*