

ASSUMPTION COLLEGE FOR SISTERS 200A Morris Avenue, Denville, NJ 07834 www.acs350.org

Spring 2017 January 9-May 9 Theology and Philosophy Courses

Th 102 Sacred Scripture II Sister Theresa Kelly, FMA

3 credits

Thursday 12:30 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

In this course students will encounter the person and message of Jesus Christ, the Word of God, who became one of us and lives among us. It focuses on the study of and reflection on the four Gospels, the Acts of the Apostles, selected Letters, and the Book of Revelation. Students will become acquainted with background, formation and contemporary approaches to New Testament scholarship, in order to better understand the message being proclaimed by the biblical authors and relate it to their personal lives.

Th 205 Mystery of God Sister Theresa Kelly, FMA

3 credits

Tuesdays 9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

This course focuses on the Mystery of God and ways in which people have reflected on, expressed, and responded to this mystery. It is a study of the biblical, historical, and contemporary formulations of the nature and activity of God. Areas of study include: The God of the Scriptures, the development of Trinitarian doctrine, theism and atheism, experience and knowledge of God, religious language, and the problem of evil. Students will also explore contemporary issues surrounding the mystery of the Triune God, and new approaches to pastoral practice.

Th 207 Mary and the Scriptures Sister Theresa Kelly, FMA

3 credits

Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

This course invites the students to explore the figure of Mary of Nazareth as she comes across to us through the Scriptures. Students are introduced to the events where Mary appears in the New Testament writings and the connections with the Old Testament "types" of Mary. Through this study, they are brought to a deeper understanding of Mary's role in the history of salvation and of her place in the Church as the first and most faithful disciple of Jesus, our companion in our own faith journey.

Ph 203 Philosophy of the Human Person 3 credits Tuesday 12:30-2:00 and Friday(hybrid) 12:30 -1:30 pm Sr. Gabrielle Nguyen, SCC

This course is an overview of the comparative theories of human nature. It explores various world views, examines the human condition, and critiques the solution that each theory offers as a prescription to the human problem. It takes a global approach to the study of human nature, including both ancient and contemporary theories. Through this study students will engage in a philosophical analysis of human nature.

\$510/course for credit

\$255/course for audit

For registration call or e-mail by December 18:

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The College also offers a Certificate in Theological Studies.

The College awards the Certificate in Theological Studies to a student who has earned a total of 30 credits in theology and philosophy, including a minimum of 18 credits in theology and 6 in philosophy.