

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

Spring 2018 January 9-May 9 Theology and Philosophy Courses

Th 102 Sacred Scripture II Sister Theresa Kelly, FMA

3 credits

Thursday 9:00 a.m. -11:45 a.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.

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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 12:30 p,m. - 3:15 p.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 Craig Davis, M.A., J.D.

Tuesday 12:30 p.m.-1:45 p.m. and Friday 9:00 a.m.-10:15 a.m

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.



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New Course Offerings

Women in Literature

How well do you *truly* know women? Whether you are male or female, you may wish to increase your understanding and knowledge of women, and one way to do this is to sign up for an exciting new course: *Women in Literature*, held this coming Spring at Assumption College for Sisters in Denville, NJ. We will look at some heroines from Shakespeare, as well as a rich array of compelling writers, including Kate Chopin, Susan Glaspell, and Willa Cather; while exploring the poems of Marge Piercy, Denise Levertov, Mary Oliver, Joyce Carol Oates, and Maxine Kumin. We will examine the hearts and minds of women, not only from their own perspective, but also from the male point of view. Sign up for this class and prepare to be inspired!

En 203 Special Topics in English: Women in Literature
Sister Margaret McCann, SC, PhD
p.m.

3 credits
Mon. 2:00-3:15 p.m.
Thurs. 12:45-2:00

Online Course Offering Developmental Psychology

This course is designed for those whose schedules are too tight to attend face-to-face class. However, much personal interaction is provided through postings and instructor feedback. This course surveys the physical, intellectual, emotional, and social developmental stages of the human being from conception through aging. The course will examine the genetic, environmental, and socio-cultural influences on development.

Ps 202_O Developmental Psychology Stephanie Melick

3 credits

Pre-requisite: acsOCO Online Course Orientation

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