

Announcement of 2017 Summer Seminary Session

St. Joseph of Arimathea Anglican Theological College will again be hosting an intensive Summer Seminary Session at Berkeley, CA, from Monday, July 17th – Friday, July 28th, 2017. The Summer Seminary Session strives to immerse participants in a typical course of study that would be experienced in a Seminary environment complete with corporate worship, instruction, daily Eucharist, and spiritual formation. Topics to be covered this summer include an in-depth study of the 1928 Book of Common Prayer, the Catholic Epistles, Spiritual Formation, Ecclesiastical Latin, and Church Music. Instructors will include Bishop Donald Ashman, Provost of the Seminary and Bishop Ordinary of the Diocese of the Western States; Bishop Frank Brulc, Bishop Ordinary of the Diocese of the Southwestern States; Bishop John Upham, Bishop Ordinary of the Diocese of the Atlantic States; Dr. Paul Russell, and Fr. Matthew Weber. Classes will be arranged in a block system of instruction with worship interspersed. A sample schedule is included below:

9:00 am – Morning Prayer in the Chapel
10:00 am – Noon – First block of instruction
Noon – Daily Mass in the Chapel
1:00 – 2:00 pm – Lunch
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm – Second block of instruction
4:00 – 5:00 pm – Ecclesiastical Latin
5:00 pm – Evensong in the Chapel

This schedule provides adequate time for instruction and interaction between the students and instructors. Final exams will be given on the first and second Fridays with certificates of completion given upon successful mastery of the information covered.

Participants will be lodged in the Seminary for the two-week session. There are many inexpensive venues where participants can dine during their stay in Berkeley. The Saturday is usually free during the Summer Seminary Session, while it is expected that participants visit one of the APCA parishes in the area for Sunday Mass.

Application to attend the 2017 Summer Seminary Session should be made to Bishop Don Ashman, Provost of St. Joseph of Arimathea Anglican Theological College through his email, bishopashman@gmail.com. The cost of the two-week session is \$300.00. Scholarships are available for those who need them by contacting Bishop Ashman at his email address.

We look forward to seeing you at the 2017 Summer Seminary Session in Berkeley, CA. Thank you.

Saint Joseph of Arimathea Theological College
Summer Session Registration Form 2017
July 17th to July 28th

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

APCK Parish or Church Affiliation _____

Are you a postulant for Holy Orders in the APCK? Yes () No ()

Email _____

Telephone (cell) _____

Telephone (other) _____

Emergency Contact Information

Name _____ Relationship _____

Telephone _____

Will you need housing? Yes () No ()

Have you attended Summer Session already? Yes () No ()

If yes, when? _____

Why do you wish to attend Summer Session? _____

A Note to Students

In our modern age with its demands and complexities, many men are forced to “read for orders.” The primary purpose of the St. Joseph’s Summer Session is to assist men to prepare for ordination as deacons and priests in the Anglican Province of Christ the King. One important goal is to form a sense of community not just in common study with rigorous standards but also in common worship and fellowship. To that end, permanent deacons, priests and students from other jurisdictions are always welcome.

Mornings begin with Morning Prayer in the Chapel and students will be assigned both leading the service and reading the lessons. From 10:00 a.m. to Noon, there will be a morning class followed by Mass in the Chapel. Lunch is from one to two followed by a second class from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. The classes will be devoted to the 1928 Book of Common Prayer (two blocks), the Catholic Epistles and the spiritual formation and discipline necessary for Holy Orders. The Ecclesiastical Latin course will be at an elementary level and will strive not only to teach basic Latin necessary for understanding Church Latin and the Vulgate but also supply enrichment for a deeper understanding of the Western Civilization. The day will end at 5:00 p.m. with Evensong in the Chapel. All offices may include musical instruction.

The fee for the two week session is \$300 or \$150 for one week. Contact the Provost at bishopashman@gmail.com, if financial aid is needed.

Please make two copies of this form. Send one to your Diocesan Bishop (APCK only) and the other to the Provost via email or via snail mail at Church of Our Saviour, 6301 West Olympic Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, 90048.

Yours faithfully in our Blessed Lord,

+Donald M. Ashman

Provost