

Sponsored by the Archdiocese of Newark / Catechetical Office

Cycle 2 2019: March 10, 2019 to April 13, 2019

Registration: Opens January 23; Closes March 6

Courses being offered in Cycle 2 which apply to the Archdiocese of Newark Certification Process

Course for Spirituality/Basic Certification

- Images of Jesus

Course for Methodology/Specialization Certification

- Faith and Human Development

Courses for Doctrinal Certification

- **Creed (choose one)**
Catholic Beliefs
Survey of Catholic Doctrine
- **Morality (choose one)**
Conscience
Introduction to Practical Morality
- **Liturgy and Sacraments**
Sacraments
- **Prayer and Spirituality**
Introduction to Prayer
Praying with Children
- **Scripture**
Choose ONE - Bible Basics OR Introduction to Scripture
Would need to take BOTH (Can be taken in different cycles.) – Old Testament AND New Testament

Courses for Adult Faith Formation and other Certificates

- Church History 2
- Discovering Integral Ecology in Laudato Si
- Ecclesiology: Beginnings of the Church
- Ecclesiology: Pilgrim Church
- Emotional Intelligence and its Impact on Faith Formation
- Faith Formation for Adults with Special Needs (SN 5)
- Foundations and Vision for Adult Learning and Faith Formation (AFL 1)
- Fundamentals in Deaf Faith Formation Methodologies (SN 2)
- Galatians
- History of Social Action
- Introduction to Catechesis
- Introduction to Pastoral Care
- Marianist Studies: Prayer
- Mary in Scripture and Tradition
- Ministering in Times of Scandals and Divisions
- Our Hearts Were Burning
- Parish as a Learning Community (AFL 2)
- Relational Ministry with Youth
- Spirituality in Adult Learning and Faith Formation (AFL 6)
- The Mass
- The Parish Nurse: Facilitating Wholistic Health Through the Lifespan

See the following page for more information regarding the Catechist Certification Process and registration.

University of Dayton, Virtual Learning Community for Faith Formation Courses can be used for: Catechist Certification, ongoing Catechist Formation and Adult Faith Formation

What is required if I use the on-line courses for catechist certification?

Spirituality (Basic) Certification

You need to complete two courses: “(Images of) Jesus” AND “Vocation, Spirituality, and Discipleship of Catechists”.

Methodology (Specialization) Certification

You need to complete the on-line course “Faith and Development” AND attend the Grade Level Methodology Seminar which will be given in four different locations during the year.

Doctrinal Certification

You need to complete five courses based on the Catechism. One in each of the following areas.

- 1) **Creed:** “Catholic Beliefs” OR “Survey of Catholic Doctrine”
- 2) **Morality:** “Conscience” OR “Introduction to Christian Morality” OR “Introduction to Practical Morality”
- 3) **Liturgy and Sacraments:** “Sacraments” OR “Introduction or Liturgy”
- 4) **Prayer and Spirituality:** “Introduction to Prayer” OR “Praying with Children”
- 5) **Scripture:** “Introduction to Scripture” OR “Bible Basics” (You may also elect to take BOTH “Old Testament” AND “New Testament”)

To register: Go to University of Dayton website <http://vlc.udayton.edu>

Payment Policy: Courses/Seminars are \$50 each. Payment is due before the course begins. You may pay by credit card on a secure site or the parish can send a check for all catechists participating in a cycle. Names of participants should accompany a check from a parish.

Payment must be received before a catechist will be granted access to the course. Therefore it is suggested that catechists pay by credit card and receive reimbursement from parish once the course is completed.

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