

***Life Together: Spirituality for Transforming Community G (January 2017)***

This Doctor of Ministry program will focus on the People of God as the subject of divine transformation and as an agent of the transformation of persons and society. Participants will develop competence in leading congregations and other ministry groups or organizations toward purposeful community, intentional mission, and prophetic practices grounded in biblical spirituality.

**January 2-13, 2017**

DM-T601 *Life in Community: Theological Reflection & Experiential Models* - Dr. Michael Koppel

DM-T603 *Biblical and Pastoral Foundations for Spiritual Leadership* - Dr. Denise Dombkowski Hopkins

**May 15-19, 2017**

DM-T608 *Howard Thurman* - Dr. Beverly Mitchell

Electives available the second week. Please see the website for a listing.

**Fall 2017 Online Core Course:**

DM-TXXX (course approval pending) *Wesleyan Small Groups as Transforming Communities* - Dr. Mark Teasdale

**January 8-12, 2018**

DM-T611 *Leading Communities for Entrepreneurial Mission* - Dr. Robert Martin

Electives available the second week

**May 8-18, 2018**

DM-T610 *The Character of Christian Community* - Dr. Sondra Wheeler

DM-T605 *Music for Social Transformation* - Dr. Eileen Guenther

**Sept – Oct 2018 Online Core Course:**

DM-T9000L *Project Seminar* - Dr. Lew Parks

Students must complete the eight core courses (listed above) as well as two electives and may choose from classroom, on-line or study trip elective options. Each course is three hours for a total of thirty credit hours plus the project paper.

Students in tracks starting after January 1, 2017 will also be required to register for a project paper writing course while they are in the writing phase of their project. **Anticipated graduation date May 2020**

**Attention Campus Ministers:** Those whose ministry setting is the campus will have the opportunity to apply the insights of *Transforming Community* to their unique setting. They will be able to substitute two core courses for and focus their two electives on courses offered on such subjects as *Campus Ministry in a Post-Christian Era*, *The Chaplain as Pilgrimage Guide*, *The Mentoring Work of the Campus Minister*, *Emerging Adulthood and Vocation*, *Funding Campus Ministry*, and *Reclaiming the Prophetic Voice*.