## CURRICULUM

### Studies of the 1st Year
- 121 Bible I
- 122 Theological Heritage I
- 123 Formation and Discipleship
- 124 Transformational Leadership

### Studies of the 2nd Year
- 221 Bible II: OT1
- 222 Theological Heritage II
- 223 Worship and Sacraments
- 224 Administration and Polity

### Studies of the 3rd Year
- 321 Bible III: Gospels
- 322 Theological Heritage III
- 323 Congregational Care
- 324 Preaching

### Studies of the 4th Year
- 411 Bible IV: OT2
- 422 Theological Heritage IV
- 423 Mission
- 424 Ethics

### Studies of the 5th Year
- 521 Bible V: NT2
- 522 Contemporary Theology
- 523 Evangelism
- 524 Practice of Ministry

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The Course of Study is prescribed by the Division of Ordained Ministry of the United Methodist Church to provide for the education of Local Pastors and to equip them to serve local churches as spiritual leaders. Persons who desire to continue as Local Pastors must work toward completing the five-year **Course of Study** in 12 years of appointed pastoral service. Our school is established as an Extension School of Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary and serves part-time local pastors.

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IGRC Conference Center
P.O. Box 19207, Springfield IL 62794-9207

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**All sessions take place at:**
The Illinois Great Rivers Conference Center
5900 South Second Street, Springfield, IL

Classes meet 4-7pm Friday and Saturday 8am-3:30 pm
Courses Offered Spring 2021

First Session
February 5-6 and March 5-6
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: December 11, 2020
122 Theological Heritage I
Rev. Allen Miller
223 Worship and Sacraments
Dr. Steve Pichaske
524 Theological Reflection & Practice of Ministry
Rev. Tom Goodell

Second Session
April 9-10 and May 7-8
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: February 5
123 Formation and Discipleship
Dr. Beth Fender
322 Theological Heritage III
Dr. Dennis Powers

Courses Offered Fall 2021

First Session
August 13-14 and September 10-11
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: June 11
324 Preaching
Rev. Roger Grimmett
521 Bible V: Acts, Epistles, and Revelation
Dr. Ken D. Hutchens
522 Contemporary Theology
Dr. Dennis Powers

Second Session
October 1-2 and November 5-6
REGISTRATION DEADLINE: August 6
121 Bible I
Dr. Robert Phillips
323 Congregational Care
Dr. Steve Heitkamp
421 Bible IV: Prophets, Psalms & Wisdom
Dr. Ken D. Hutchens

Admission Requirements
These courses are offered for Part-time Local Pastors seeking study in ministry and United Methodist heritage. To be admitted to the school, one must have completed the School for License as a Local Pastor and have permission from his or her District Superintendent and the BOM Registrar.

A limited number of other clergy or laity may audit each course for a fee of $85.00 and receive 2 CEUs for each class.

Fees
The tuition and registration for IGRC students is $175 per course (which includes a conference scholarship built into the price) and must be paid at registration. The cost for students from all other conferences is $350. Tuition includes cost of class and lunch on Saturday. Textbooks and lodging are the responsibility of the participant. Payments are due at registration and can be made electronically. Arrangements for payment by check can also be made at the time of registration.

For rulings, transcripts and Board of Ordained Ministry questions, contact the Board of Ordained Ministry registrar, Rev. Dr. John Salzman at 3392 Palmtree Dr.; Lake Havasu City, AZ 86404; bomasst@igrc.org. Cancellations later than 30 days prior to class will result in the loss of tuition unless due to illness. Weddings and funerals do not qualify. You should have a colleague cover for you in these cases. Cancellations over thirty days before class will result in a $50 charge.