

**WCACYM Summer Seminars  
2010 REGISTRATION FORM**

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 Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

**REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

A \$150 non-refundable deposit must be enclosed.  
 Balance is due upon arrival at  
**QUEEN'S HOUSE RETREAT & RENEWAL CENTRE  
 SASKATOON, SASKATCHEWAN**

**Please check the appropriate course & fees below:**

- Principles of Youth Ministry
- Practices of Youth Ministry

**JULY 26 - 30, 2010**

- Resident - \$1000     Commuter - \$800

FOR ONE COURSE ONLY

- Resident - \$600     Commuter - \$500

~ JULY 26TH, 7:00 P.M. REGISTRATION

~ JULY 30TH, 5:00 P.M. DEPARTURE

Students must attend until 5:00 p.m., July 30th  
 to receive full credits

**WHAT DO THE REGISTRATION FEES INCLUDE?**

- 2 Courses    • Instructors    • Text Books
- Discussion Transcripts    • Accommodations
- Meals    • Administration    • Networking

**DISCOUNTS:**

- \$25 - WCACYM members
- \$100 - Schools and Parishes sending two or more persons to same entire course
- \$50 (all courses) & \$20 (one course) for registrations **postmarked prior to April 30th**

**Please make cheques payable to WCACYM  
 c/o Odile Wilson**

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 Phone (403) 995-2201 Fax: (403) 995-2553  
 Email: jacinthe@sitescapers.com**

- Please send information re: WCACYM Scholarships  
 Scholarship application deadline: **May 31, 2010**

**SPONSORING  
 — ORGANIZATIONS —**

• **St. Francis Xavier University  
 Continuing Education**

Antigonish, NS

Tel: (902) 867-3319 • Fax (902) 867-5154  
[www.stfx.ca/continuinged](http://www.stfx.ca/continuinged)

• **University of St. Michael's College  
 Continuing Education**

Toronto, ON

Tel: (416) 926-7254 • Fax (416) 926-7287  
[www.utoronto.ca/stmikes/conted](http://www.utoronto.ca/stmikes/conted)

• **Western Canadian Association  
 of Catholic Youth Ministers**

Tel: (403) 995-2201 • Fax (403) 995-2553

E-mail: [summerseminar@wcacym.ca](mailto:summerseminar@wcacym.ca)

[www.wcacym.ca](http://www.wcacym.ca)

• **St. Peter's Institute for  
 Catholic Formation  
 St. Peter's Seminary**

London, ON

[www.stpetersseminary.ca](http://www.stpetersseminary.ca)

**CANADIAN CERTIFICATE  
 IN YOUTH MINISTRY STUDIES  
 (C.C.Y.M.S.)**

**Managed & Directed By  
 The Redemptorists  
 of the Edmonton-Toronto Province, Canada**

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**What students and graduates have to  
 say about the Canadian Certificate in  
 Youth Ministry Studies attained  
 through WCACYM Summer Seminars...**

*"As I look back on the WCACYM Summer Seminar experience, I wonder at God's providence for bringing "fishers of people" together in one enriching encounter. May Jesus' voice direct us as we cast our nets into the deep – 'Duc in altum!'"*

Sr. Maybelle dela Cruz, M.A.C.E.

Youth & Young Adult Ministry Coordinator  
 Saint Augustine of Canterbury Catholic Church of Brandon  
 Archdiocese of Winnipeg, MB

*"Above all, Summer Seminar was a tremendous affirmation that added kindling to the fire for ministry that burns inside of me increasingly larger, and eagerly awaits the experience of next summer!"*

Myron Rogal

Diocese of Saskatoon

*"Summer Seminar turned out to be so much more than I anticipated. It was truly one of those experiences where lessons were learned both in and out of the classroom. The instructors were effective and interesting and had already walked a mile in our shoes. The courses were challenging, relevant and practical. I now possess a greater understanding of my Catholic faith, greater confidence in my skills and capabilities and a renewed vision for the upcoming year."*

Christy Kinniburgh

Diocese of Calgary

*"Summer Seminar was engaging and brimful. Each day was packed with activities and information - all applicable and nourishing for ministry. The diverse opinions and ministry styles of each person attending made for a holistic approach to ministering to young people. I was able to examine both my strengths and growth areas in ministry. The professors were outstanding!"*

Brittney White

Archdiocese of Edmonton



**Canadian  
 Certificate  
 in Youth  
 Ministry  
 Studies**

**Professional Training  
 For:**

- Coordinators of Youth Ministry
- Volunteer Youth Ministers
  - Pastors
  - Pastoral Workers
- High School Chaplains & Teachers
  - Guidance Teachers
  - Campus Ministers
  - Parents

## OVERVIEW

The Canadian Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies consists of 8 courses specially designed for those in ministry with youth in the parish, school or community settings. It equips leaders with practical tools and techniques needed for creative and comprehensive youth ministry. All courses may be taken for personal enrichment or for credit toward a Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies.

## TO RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE

The Canadian Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies will be awarded by the sponsoring institution and Canadian Ministry Support Services to students who:

1. Participate in all 8 courses and attend all classes.
2. Complete and submit assignments and study questions to each course. Demonstrate a fundamental understanding of the core areas of Catholic Belief: Old Testament and New Testament Scriptures, Christology, Ecclesiology, Christian Ministry, Sacraments, Morality and Social Justice.



### THESE COURSES ARE ELIGIBLE FOR CREDIT AND UNDERGRADUATE CREDIT AT THE FOLLOWING INSTITUTIONS:

- University of St. Michael's College  
Toronto, ON
- St. Francis Xavier University  
Antigonish, NS
- St. Peter's Seminary  
London, ON
- Newman Theological College  
Edmonton, AB

**Please contact the institution for details.**

## PRINCIPLES OF YOUTH MINISTRY

**Principles of Youth Ministry** presents the foundational understandings and principles for developing an effective, comprehensive ministry with young and older adolescents. It examines the dynamics of promoting healthy adolescent development and faith growth. It presents the vision and principles for comprehensive youth ministry and a model for developing comprehensive youth ministry which incorporates developmentally appropriate youth programming, strengthens family life, involves young people as integral members of the faith community, and collaborates with civic organizations in a common effort to promote positive youth development.

## PRACTICES OF YOUTH MINISTRY

**Practices of Youth Ministry** explores the development of comprehensive youth ministry through the collaborative sharing of the resources in the community. Rooted in a theological and pastoral vision of community life, this course develops foundational understandings that will assist leaders in setting and implementing a vision for dynamic ministry with youth. This will include skills for advocacy, planning and organizing youth ministry efforts. Skills for collaborative leadership among ministries and within ministry teams will also be developed.

## FOUNDATIONS OF MINISTRY LEADERSHIP

**Foundations of Ministry Leadership** explores the theology, principles, and practices of effective leadership in Christian ministry. Participants will explore current leadership concepts and approaches, as well as Christian perspectives on leadership. Participants will also learn how to empower individuals and teams of leaders for ministry with youth. Participants explore (a) leadership theory and an assessment of styles for effective leadership; (b) theological and pastoral foundations for understanding leadership and empowerment; and (c) processes and tools for inviting, preparing and nurturing adult and youth leaders in ministry.

## SKILLS FOR CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP

**Skills for Christian Leadership** addresses the theories and skills needed for principle centered leadership in ministry. Participants will develop a practical, working understanding of leadership process and skills and the experiential ability to use the skills. The course stresses the application of leadership skills to various ministry settings, problems and issues.

## PRAYER AND WORSHIP

**Prayer and Worship** investigates the foundational role that prayer and worship have in fostering the spiritual growth of youth. Participants develop understandings and practical skills necessary for: (a) preparing liturgy and worship experiences, (b) fostering the prayer life of youth and preparing prayer services, and (c) understanding the role of youth retreat experiences. Participants will apply these understandings by developing a realistic and integrated approach to worship within a comprehensive ministry to youth.

## PASTORAL CARE

**Pastoral Care** explores the principles and methods of caring for young people from various cultures and their families. The course develops an understanding of the breadth and depth of pastoral care, of family systems and adolescent development, and the role that cultural identity plays in the development of adolescents. The goal is two-fold; (a) it aims to promote healthy adolescent development from a pastoral care perspective and (b) to develop preventative interventions for families with adolescents.

## JUSTICE & SERVICE

**Justice and Service** explores the foundations for fostering a justice and service consciousness and spirituality in youth drawn from: Scripture, Catholic Social Teaching, adolescent development, and contemporary catechetical principles. It develops skills for creating integrated, action-learning models for the justice and service component of a comprehensive youth ministry.

## EVANGELIZATION AND CATECHESIS

**Evangelization and Catechesis** develops the foundations and practices for nurturing faith growth and Catholic identity in young and older adolescents through evangelization and catechesis. Participants will explore a variety of ways to learn of and from Jesus, and how to promote a living relationship with Jesus in the lives of adolescents. They will examine a contemporary approach to developing Catholic identity and Catholic practices in the lives of adolescents today. Participants will experience and analyze the "postmodern" culture and develop strategies for faith formation with adolescents in a postmodern world. They will learn creative approaches for evangelization and catechesis and develop skills and methods for evangelizing and catechizing adolescents.

## FACILITATORS

**Fr. Santo Arrigo, C.Ss.R., B.A., M.Div.** Fr Santo is a Redemptorist Priest currently serving as the Coordinator of Redemptorist Vocation Ministry for the Edmonton-Toronto Province, and as the Associate Pastor of St. Patrick's Parish in Toronto. He is a former member of the Redemptorist Youth Mission Team, a graduate of the Canadian Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies, and has experience in Parish Youth Ministry, Diocesan Youth Events, Young Adult Ministry and Inner-City Ministry. Fr. Santo also serves as the North American representative for Redemptorist Youth and Vocation Ministry in Rome.

**Andrew Bartley, B.A., D.Ed., Mdiv,** is a Regional Coordinator for the Diocese of London and a volunteer youth minister. He has served as a Diocesan Youth Ministry Specialist (1996-2002), Parish Coordinator of Youth Ministry (1993-1996), an elementary and secondary school teacher, and as a youth services worker for adolescents in detention. He holds a Diploma in Adult Education, a Certificate in Pastoral Planning, and has taught the Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies since 1994. Andrew facilitates youth ministry conferences, workshops, and retreats with his wife, Corinne Walsh. Andrew currently teaches Justice and Service, Principles, Practices, Skills and Foundations.

**Jean Beneteau, M.R.E.** is the Coordinator of Youth Ministry and Pastoral Minister for the community of St. John the Baptist in Amherstburg, ON. She has completed a Masters in Religious Education from Assumption University and has a Bachelor of Social Work and a Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies. She has parish and diocesan level experience in ministry and has also worked professionally as a social worker. Jean currently teaches Pastoral Care.

**Miles Meyers B.Ed., M.R.E.** is the Catholic Education Services Coordinator for the Regina Catholic School Board. Prior to completing his teaching degree he was the Coordinator of Youth Ministry for the Archdiocese of Regina. Miles has a Masters of Religious Education degree from Seattle University and a Bachelors and post-graduate diploma in Education from the University of Regina. He has served on the National Catechetical Advisory Committee on Youth and has extensive background in catechetical, liturgy, scripture and retreat work with youth. Miles currently teaches Evangelization and Catechesis and Prayer and Worship.

**Corinne Walsh, M.A.,** is a youth ministry consultant and trainer with an extensive background working with youth, young adults and families. She has worked as a Parish Coordinator of Youth and Young Adult Ministries, a University Lecturer, and has been involved with youth ministry on the parish, diocesan and Atlantic Canadian levels. She has a M.A. in Religious Studies, Certificates in business Administration and Pastoral Planning and will soon complete a Diploma in Adult Education. Corinne facilitates youth ministry conferences, workshops, and retreats with her husband, Andrew Bartley. Corinne currently teaches Principles, Practices, Skills and Foundations.

**Dean Woodbeck, B.A., M.T.S.** holds a B.A. in Sociology and Psychology from the University of Manitoba, a Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies, a Certificate in Advanced Studies in Ministry and has completed course work for a Masters of Theological Studies (Newman College). He has worked both as a parish and diocesan youth ministry co-ordinator and is currently a trainer for YouthLeader and Young Neighbors in Action in Canada and the United States. Dean currently teaches Principles and Practices.