

Spiritual Direction Internship

Fall 2021, Semester 3

Sept. 8 In-person class

5:45 Shared Supper (60)

6:45 Opening Prayer, Janice (10)

6:55 Introduction to Semester 3 and Discernment Unit, Andree (15)

7:10 Break (15)

7:25 Summer Reading Groups (60)

8:25 Announcements (10)

8:35 Peer Supervision Group Meeting (25)

Readings:

None

Sept. 15 In-person class

6:00 Intro. To Discernment, Janice (maybe Oscar) (45)

6:45 Break

6:55 Arriving at a Discernment Question, Lisa (60)

7:55 Break

8:05 Consolation and Desolation with a real play, Janice (45)

8:50 Announcements

Readings:

Silf, Tracking our Moods

Brockmeyer, Intro to Spiritual Discernment

Lonsdale, Discernment of Spirits (pages 96-103)

Lisa do you want to add the Paintner chapter here?

Sept. 22 In-person class

6:00 Check in on discernment questions, Lisa (15)

6:15 Tools for Discernment, Team plus Andrea (155)

8:50 Announcements

Readings:

Reading the Clouds

Liebert, Nature's Perspective

Tool Packet (coming by email)

Sept. 29 In-person class

3:45 Partner meeting

6:00 Clearness Committee, Andree (30)

6:30 Communal Discernment at SLC (45)

7:15 Announcements

7:25 Break

7:40 Peer Supervision 1

Readings:

Palmer, Let Your Life Speak

Brown, Deep Leads to Deep

Oct. 6 Zoom going forward

6:00 Opening Prayer (10)

6:10 Obstacles, Testing and Confirmation, Andree (60)

7:10 Break

7:25 Integration of Discern. Unit, Reflect on Interns' discernment, Lisa (75)

8:40 Intro. To Spiritual Traditions Unit, Andree (10)

8:50 Announcements

Readings:

Liebert, Confirming One's Tentative Decision

Bieber, Harvest of Discernment

Oct. 13

6:00 Intro. To Experience Cycle, Lisa (75)

7:15 Announcements

7:25 Break

7:40 Peer Supervision 2

Readings:

Keegan, To Bring All Things Together

Erlichman, Invitation to the Heart of God

Brockmeyer, Guide to the Experience Cycle

Oct. 20 Break Week, No Class

Oct. 27

6:00 Belief and Covenant, Janice (75)

7:15 Break

7:30 Exp. Cycle Phase 1, large group process, Team (75)

8:45 Announcements

Readings:

This I Believe

Sample Belief Statements

Brockmeyer, Spiritual Beliefs and Convictions (Janice do you want to use some or all of this? None of it?)

Nov. 3

3:45 Partner Meeting

6:00 The Spectrum of Spiritual Frameworks, Team (75)

7:15 Announcements

7:25 Break

7:40 Peer Supervision 3

Readings:

Chi, SD with the Non-Religious (new)

Stella, Guiding the Spiritual But Not Religious

Nov. 10

4:45 Supervisor Meeting

6:00 Christian Tradition Panel (Marcy M, Don LaSalle, Susan Izard, Roberta,
Tom Carr)

Readings:

Nutt, Trouble Don't Last Always

Nov. 17

6:00 Carmelite Spirituality, Dark Night, Andree (75)

7:15 Announcements

7:25 Break

7:40 Peer Supervision 4

Readings:

Taylor, Dark Night of the Soul

Fitzgerald, Impasse and Dark Night

Nov. 24 Thanksgiving Break Week, No Class

Dec. 1

6:00 Experience Cycle Phase 2 (75)

7:15 Prayer, Announcements and break (30)

7:30 Peer Supervision and Integration (75)

Readings:

None

Dec. 8

6:00 Interspiritual Panel (Janice for Energy, Bethany for Earth based, Janet Novins for Jewish, Dave Oat for Buddhist, Ida Mansoor for Islam, Tom Gervais for Atheism, Stephanie for mediumship)

Readings:

Burack, Meeting the Challenge of Interfaith SD

Lundy, Serving Spiritual Independents

Dec. 15 (maybe in-person??)

6:00 Integration of Spir. Trad. Unit (50)

6:50 Consultation Questions (40)

7:30 Announcements and Break (15)

7:45 Group Life (30)

8:15 Celebration

