



DIOCESE OF BROWNSVILLE SAN JUAN DIEGO MINISTRY INSTITUTE

Courses for Fall Semester 2011

Open Registration from Friday, August 15th to Friday, September 23rd



CATHOLIC BASICS* (Two semester course)

Religion Certification/ Catholic School Teachers:
20 Elective Hours

Father Rafael Vega:

Prince of Peace, Lyford
Tuesdays—English, 7-9pm
Thursdays—Spanish, 7-9pm
Class begins: Sept 13th & 15th

Deacon Ramiro Davila:

San Juan Diego Institute, San Juan
Tuesdays—English, 7-9pm
Class Begins: September 13th

Deacon Luis Zuniga

Brownsville, St. Mary's Parish
Mondays – English, 7-9 pm
Class Begins: September 19th

Gustavo Morales

SOLAMENTE en Español
Brownsville—Martés, 7-9pm
Harlingen—Miercoles , 7-9pm
Curso Inicia: Septiembre 13th & 14th

THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

Religion Certification/ Catholic School Teachers:
10 Elective Hours

Father Jorge Gomez:

St. Anthony's, Harlingen
Sabados—Español, 10am—12pm
Class begins: September 10th

Father Joaquín Zermeno

San Juan Diego Institute, San Juan
Saturdays—English, 10am-12pm
Class begins: September 10th

GOSPEL OF MATTHEW: UNDERSTANDING THE MAN, HIS MEANING, AND HIS MESSAGE

Religion Certification/ Catholic School Teachers:
10 Elective Hours

Hugo de la Rosa

San Juan Diego Institute, San Juan
Mondays—English, 6:30-8:30pm
Class begins: September 12th

HOSPITAL MINISTRY: COAT OF COLORS

Chaplain Norma Walters

San Juan Diego Institute, San Juan
Thursdays—English, 7-9pm
Class begins: September 15th

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE PARTICIPANTS

*Catholic Basics is a pre-requisite for all formation offered through the Diocesan Ministry Institute.
*Formación Básica es fundamental y requerida para todos en formación como parte del Instituto.

⇒ Course Fee: \$30 per semester plus cost of books. ♦ Registration and book fees must be paid no later than the first day of the course.

⇒ NO MORE than 3 absences per semester.

⇒ Sign in at the beginning of every class required.

⇒ Pre-registration is required before each course begins as there is an application process.

A minimum of 15 participants per Class is required

The Diocesan Institute for Lay Ministry Formation works in collaboration with the Office of Catholic Schools, the Office of Catechesis and the Office of Youth Ministry to provide a process for the certification of all Lay Ecclesial Ministers in the diocese.

"All of the faithful are called in various ways to share in the Church's mission of announcing the reign of God and transforming the world in the light of Christ." (Co-Workers in the Vineyard of the Lord, USCCB 2005)