



## SPIR 244 Spirituality and Ministry Spring 2010

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### **Class Schedule**

#### **Contextualizing**

*March 29 Introduction.*

Your ministry history

Your spirituality history

Definitions of Ministry and Spirituality

*April 6 A History of Ministry*

Paul Bernier, *Ministry In The Church: A Historical and Pastoral Approach*,  
Ch. 1, 2, 9. Report on 1 assigned chapter.

*April 13 A History of Spirituality*

Lawrence S. Cunningham and Keith J. Egan, *Christian Spirituality: Themes from the Tradition*, Ch. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10.

#### **Opening to Receive**

*April 20 Conversion*

Wilkie Au, *By Way of the Heart: Toward a Holistic Christian Spirituality*,  
Ch. 2.

G. Aschenbrenner, Ch. 15 in Robert Wicks, ed., *Handbook of Spirituality for Ministers*.

Cunningham and Egan, *Themes*, Ch 6.

Handout: Stephen Happel and James J. Walter "Conversion and Discipleship within the Christian Tradition."

#### **Receiving to Give**

*April 27 Prayer*

Cunningham and Egan, *Themes*, Ch. 4, 5.

W. A. Berry, Ch. 1 in Wicks, ed., *Handbook*.

M. Flood, Ch. 3 in Wicks, ed., *Handbook*.

*Catholic Spirituality in Practice, C21 Resources, Spring 2009, Selections.*

#### **Engendering Ministry**

**May 4** *Discernment*

W. Au, *Heart*, Ch. 3.

S. McCarty, Ch. 5 in Wicks, ed., *Handbook*.

C. Gratton, Ch 4. in Wicks, ed., *Handbook*.

R. Hauser, Ch. 14 in Wicks, ed., *Handbook*.

**May 11** *Consecration*

Paul J. Philibert, O.P., *The Priesthood of the Faithful: Key to a Living Church*.

Au, *Heart*, Ch. 7

**May 18** *Balance and Integration*

W. Au, *Heart*, Ch. 6.

R. Wicks, Ch. 16 in Wicks, ed., *Handbook*.

J. Rupp, Ch. 17 in Wicks, ed., *Handbook*.

J. Mossi, Ch. 18 in Wicks, ed., *Handbook*.

B. Strong, Ch. 19 in Wicks, ed., *Handbook*.

**Transforming Ministry**

**May 25** *Mission and Ministry*

P. Bernier, *Ministry In The Church*, Ch. 10, 11, 12.

*Growing in Faith: The Journey Of A Lifetime*, C21 Resources, Spring 2010, Selections.

**June 1**

Class Presentations

