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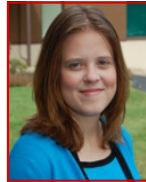


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## February Classes & Instructors

### Introduction to Pentecostal Doctrine



This perennial favorite explores the Scriptural basis of the Statement of Fundamental Truths for the Assemblies of God. Students are enriched by a thorough explanation of each Bible doctrine and its significance in sustaining vibrant Christian faith and practice.

We welcome Akron Celebration Church AG children's pastor, Tracy Kallio, as class instructor. Tracy earned a B.S. in Church Ministries from Southeastern University and a M.A. in Theological Studies from Ashland Theological Seminary.

### Introduction to Homiletics

Homiletics provides students with tools for the preparation and delivery of sermons. This valuable study will increase the skills of any preacher or Bible teacher. The course focuses on audience analysis, the speaker's physical appearance, gestures, credibility, voice usage and personality.

Southeastern University's Professor of Practical Ministry and Director of Mentoring and Leadership, Dr. Bill Hackett will be the guest instructor. Dr. Hackett holds a Bachelor of Science in Pastoral Ministry from Valley Forge Christian College, a Master of Arts in Religious Education and a Master of Divinity from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary and a Doctor of Ministry in Leadership and Preaching from Biola University.



### Pastoral Ministry



Successful ministry emanates from the consistent application of Biblical principles of pastoral leadership. This class provides an overview of those vital principles. Students will be taught numerous aspects of pastoral ministry, including the pastor's call, preaching, teaching, church leadership, family life and more.

Instructing this class will be Roger Larrison, president of Stellar Ministries. Roger has a strong education background and an extensive track record of successful ministry in the many churches he has served as a Lead Pastor and as an Interim Pastor.

### Intro to Children's Ministry

Is it possible for a church to have a ministry that challenges and transforms the lives of children? For some congregations the notion of such a ministry seems unlikely. This course assumes that a powerful and efficient children's ministry is possible in every church. Many ideas will be shared about leading kids, working with them, planning services, and establishing goals that will guide a children's church to excellence.

The class will be taught by Becky Garrett. Becky graduated with a B.S. in Christian Education and Administration, with a minor in Bible, from Central Bible College in Springfield, Missouri. She served as children's pastor in Bellefontaine, Ohio for eight years prior to becoming the Ohio Ministry Network Christian Education Director in 2003.



### Leadership/Vision/Management



This first course in the new *Church Life* track is being offered with excitement and anticipation. The *Church Life* courses will provide a holistic, comprehensive, systematic, and Spirit-filled model of leadership coaching and ministry development. This initial course focuses on leadership, vision, and management. The three classes through the year should be viewed as a whole and will assist lead pastors and their lay leaders in reaching their full potential!

The Leadership/Vision/Management course will be taught by John Musgrave, Ohio Ministry Network Church Development Director, and Brent Heishman, pastor of Victory AG in Newcomerstown. John graduated with a B.A. in Ministerial Studies from Southeastern and is pursuing a Masters in Church Leadership with a focus on Church Life from AGTS. Brent earned a Bachelors degree in Pastoral Studies from Southeastern and is enrolled in the Church Life Leadership Master's Program through Valley Forge Christian College.



