

What topics are addressed?

CHURCH HISTORY, LITURGY, ECCLESIOLOGY,
SACRAMENTS, ECUMENISM, CHRISTIAN LIVING,
SCRIPTURE, MINISTRY, THEOLOGY, and PRAYER
plus many others.

COURSE EXPECTATIONS:

Faithful attendance, participation, readings,
prayer, critical reflection and integration.

COURSE RESOURCES:

Handouts distributed at each session are
compiled by the participant into a Ministry
resource binder.

COURSE REGISTRATION:

Contact your parish office for registration or
call David Dayler directly.

ABOUT THE COURSE FACILITATOR:

David Dayler is the Director of the Office for
Discipleship & Parish Life. He is a
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Foundations for Ministry 2017-2018



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Whether you are looking to grow in your faith or just looking to learn more about the Catholic Church, *Foundations for Ministry* will take you on a journey into the timeless beauty and truths of the Catholic faith.

This program is meant to provide an opportunity to deepen the participants understanding of the beauty and richness of our Catholic Faith.

As parish ministry leaders or as one looking to become a parish ministry leader this program will afford the opportunity for enrichment, discussion and exploration of many elements of our faith.

Contact Monica at the Discipleship & Parish Life Office at 905-528-7988 ext. 2238 (mverin@hamiltondiocese.com) or check out our website at www.hamiltondiocese.com for more information regarding registration.

Course Structure

WHAT IS INVOLVED?

- Each session is focused on a different topic, with time for shared discussion and prayer.
- Each semester consists of 12 sessions.
- There are no prerequisites, no tests and no evaluations. Regular attendance and active participation are the only expectations.
- A textbook and supplementary readings are provided.

WHO COULD PARTICIPATE?

- Anyone already active in parish ministry
- Anyone thinking of becoming involved in parish ministry.
- Anyone wanting to learn more about their faith.
- Educators and members of Catholic agencies.

PLEASE NOTE: Parish Applicants must have the support and sponsorship of their Pastor in order to enroll in the program.

SESSION DATES FOR 2017- 2018

Location: HAMILTON
Chancery Office
700 King St. West, Hamilton

TIME: Thursday evenings
7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Semester 1:
September 14, 21, 28
October 5, 12, 19, 26
November 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Semester 2:
January 11, 18, 25
February 1, 8, 15, 22
March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

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FEES: The cost for the program is \$ 300.00
Payment can be divided by semester.
The parish may pay or supplement these course fees,
So please speak to your Pastor.

Please make all cheques payable to the
Catholic Diocesan Account