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Department of Canon Law

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CL 02 The People of God  3  Fr.H. Myint Soe
CL 03 Teaching Office of the Church  3  Fr.Saw Richard
CL 04 The Sanctifying Office of the Church  3  Fr.Saw Richard
CL 05 The Temporal Goods of the Church  3  Fr.Saw Richard
CL 06 Sanction in the Church and Trials in General  3  Fr.Saw Richard
CL 07 Marriage (Canon Law)  3  Fr.H.Myint Soe

Department of Church History and Patrology

CH 01 Early Church History  3  Fr.Augustine Ko
CH 02 The Medieval Church  3  Fr.Augustine Ko
CH 03 The Modern Church  3  Fr.Augustine Ko
CH 04 The History of the Church in Myanmar  3  Fr.Augustine Ko
CH 05 Patrology (Fathers of the Church)  3  Fr.Henry Eikhlein

Department of Pastoral Studies

PS 01 Pastoral Theology  2  Fr.Peter Kim S.J
PS 02 Homiletics  1  Fr.B.Htay Lwin
PS 03 Pastoral Counselling  2  Fr.Peter Kim S.J
PS 04 Pastoral Management  2  Fr.Peter Kim S.J
PS 05 Ad Auds (Ad Audiendas Confessiones)  2  Fr.Cyprian A.W
PS 06 Mass-Media and Communication  1  Fr.B.Htay Lwin

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ACADEMIC COURSES OFFERED
IN THE YEAR 2007-2008

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ST01 Fundamental Theology  (Fr.Henry Eikhlein )
SS01 Introduction to the Old Testament  ( Fr.Clement Angelo )
MT01 Introduction to Moral Theology  ( Fr. John Yaw Han)
CL01 Canon Law (General Norms)  (Fr.H.Myint Soe)
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SS12 Biblical Greek  (Fr.Saw Francis)
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ST08 Eschatology  (Fr.Henry Eikhlein)
SS07 St.John, His Letters and Revelation  (Fr.Clement Angelo)
SP01 Priestly Spirituality  (Fr.John Yaw Han)
PS04 Pastoral Management  (Fr.Peter Kim S.J)
ST16 Sacred Orders  (Fr.Martino Lo )
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MT05 Social Teaching of the Church  (Fr.Cyprian A.W)
LI06 Rites and Ceremonies  (Fr.Wilson Vincent )

DESCRIPTION OF COURSES

I. DEPARTMENT OF SACRED SCRIPTURES

SS01. Introduction to the Old Testament (Or Bible)
   (by Fr.Clement Angelo)
   It is a General Introduction to the Bible and a brief introduction to the areas of
   inspiration.
   References:
   3. Record of Revelation, by W. J. Harrington.
   4. A Path Through Genesis, by Bruce Vanter
     E.Murphy, O.Cavon.

SS02. The Pentateuch and Historical Books
   (by Fr.Saw Francis)
   It is a Study of Pentateuchal Criticism and the Theologies of Yahwist, Elohist,
   Deuteronomistic and Priestly Traditions.
   References:
   3. Record of Revelation, by W. J. Harrington.
   4. A Path Through Genesis, by Bruce Vanter

SS03. Wisdom Literature and Psalm
(by Fr. Saw Francis)

It is a survey of Israelite wisdom literature within the context of the rest of the Old Testament and the ancient East.
- The international background and characteristic content and literary form of most Wisdom literature.
- The Wisdom, Psalms and the Books of Proverbs, Job, Quoheleth, Sirach and the Wisdom of Solomon: making detailed exegesis to the most significant passages.

References:
1. Seven books of Wisdom by Roland E. Murphy, O.C.
3. The Tree of Life, by Roland E. Murphy.

SS04. Prophets
(by Fr. Clement Angelo)

Prophets: The History and Elements of Prophecy in Israel,
Selecting prophetical origins in the Pentateuch then both the major and minor prophetical books.

References:
1. The Hebrew Prophets, by James Newsome, Pts.
2. Meeting the Prophets, by John W. Mitter.
4. Record of Promise, by W. J. Harrington.

SS05. Synoptics and Acts of the Apostles
(by Fr. Saw Francis)

Specialized treatment of the more important topics the New Testament; Some topical study of the over all Christian message; Good news of Christ, his salvific character and acts; Authority in the christian community.

References:
2. This Good News, by Quesnell.
6. The cosmic Christ, by Bruce Vanter.
7. Redemption through death and Resurrection, by Stanislaus Lyonnet.
11. Passion Narratives, by Herman Henrick
12. The Story of the Passion, by John, Navone, and Thomas Cooper.
SS06. Paul, Pauline Literature
(by Fr.Saw Francis)
Introduction to Paul, the man, his mind and message, The social and cultural background of his audience as well as the Helenistic and Jewish influence on his thought; seven letters of Paul.

References:
1. The Living Thoughts of St. Paul, by George Montagues, S.M.
2. Seven Pauline Letters, by Peter F. Ellis
5. The Pastoral Epistles, by Robert J. Kanis, OEM.
6. Text and Commentaries (The Navarre Bible) Rom and Galatians
7. New International Biblical Commentary, I and II Timothy, Titus
8. Theology and Ethics in Paul, by Victor Paul Furni

SS07. St. John, His Letters and Revelation
(by Fr.Clement Angelo)

SS08. Hebrews and Catholic Letters
(by Fr.Clement Angelo)

SS09. Biblical Greek
(by Fr.Saw Francis)

II. DEPARTMENT OF SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY
(Dogma and Sacraments)

ST 01. Introduction and Fundamental Theology
(by Fr.Henry Eikhlein)
The course focuses on the Word of God, its source in God's purpose for humanity, its transmission through the ages and its presence in the world today. Students will learn about the various ways Divine Revelation comes to us and how it has been passed on in Scripture and Tradition. Faith is a response to God's Revelation. Faith will be treated in three ways: from a historical perspective, from the perspective of systematic theology, and from the interdisciplinary viewpoint. The Church will be treated in the horizon of Revelation, her relationship with Christ, and as mediation and re-presentation of Revelation.

References:

ST 02. Theology of Revelation
(by Fr. John Ah Naw)
It considers the possibility at God’s revealing something to men. After answering this question in the affirmative, it shall examine if God actually revealed something, and the reasons for affirming it. The conclusion will be that God revealed to us exactly what the Catholic Church teaches us; that these teachings are contained in Sacred Scripture and Tradition; that they are authentically interpreted and made available to us by the Magisterium of the Church.

References:
1. Theology of Revelation, by Rene Latourelle, S.J.
2. The Catechism of the Catholic Church
3. Revelation Theology, by Avery Dulles, S.J.
5. Dogmatic Constitution on Divine Revelation (Dei Verbum), Vatican II

ST03. Triune God (Trinity)
(by Fr. Martino Lo)
This course intends to introduce the students to investigate the Mystery of God known through Revelation and accepted by faith, and strives for a deeper understanding of what God is, of his nature and operations, of how to describe his Unity (God is one and there is only one God) and Trinity of Persons (the three Divine Persons are really distinct among themselves).

References:
1. Fundamentals of Catholic Dogmas (Book One), by Dr. Ludwig Ott.
2. Faith Seeking Understanding (God One and Triune), edited by Charles Belmonte.
3. The One God, by Wilfrid F. Dewan, C.S.P.
4. The Three Persons in One God, by Gerard S. Sloyan.

ST04. Christology
(by Fr. John Ah Naw)

References:
1. Jesus Christ: Fundamentals of Christology by Roch A. Kereszty
2. Catechism of the Catholic Church: CCC

ST05. Pneumatology
(by Fr. John Ah Naw)
A theological study on the Holy Spirit; the doctrine of the Church concerning the Spirit and Its role in the life of the Church and individual believers.

References:
2. Catechism of the Catholic Church: CCC

ST06. Ecclesiology (Theology of the Church)
(by Fr. Martino Lo)
The Church in the Bible. The teaching of the Second Vatican Council. The Church as Sacrament. Problems of Church Order. The Church and the Christian communities. The teaching office in the Church with special reference to recent discussions.
References:
1. The Church: The Universal Sacrament of Salvation by Johann Auer
2. Catechism of the Catholic Church: CCC

ST07. Christian Anthropology (The Christian Doctrine of Man)
(by Fr. John Ah Naw)
Our goal in this course is the study of Man in Christ from the very beginnings or Protology, to the final destiny of humanity or Eschatology. The Order of Creation (Protology). The disorder of Sin. The Redeemed Order in Christ. The Fulfillment of Order (Eschatology).

ST08. Eschatology
(by Fr. Henry Eikhlein)
A study on the Last Things is concerned with man's absolute future, dealing with the development into modern times of Christian doctrine with reference to the Resurrection, Purgatory, Hell and Heaven.
References:
1. Dogma: Volume 6 "Justification and the Last Things" by Michael SCHMAUS

ST09. Mariology
(by Fr. Henry Eikhlein)
It a theological study about Mary, the Virgin Mother of God who cooperates with her divine Son, Jesus Christ, in a subordinate way, in the history of Salvation of Mankind.
References:
2. Vatican II, The Church (Lumen Gentium)

ST10. Ecumenism
(by Visiting Professor)

ST11. Missiology
(by Fr. John Kyaw Kyaw Naing)
A concentration of the practical aspects of Mission Theology. Scriptural and theological study of the Nature of the Church as a Missionary to imbue the students with a better understanding and effective application of the mandate Christ to go out into the whole world.
References:

ST12. Sacraments in General
(by Visiting Professor S J)
References:
2. Sacramental Theology by Herbert Vorgrimler
2. *Catechism of the Catholic Church: CCC*

**ST13. Sacraments of Baptism and Confirmation**  
(by Fr. Visiting Professor S.J)  
**References:**  
1. *Sacramental Theology* by Herbert Vorgrimler  
2. *Catechism of the Catholic Church: CCC*

**ST14. Sacraments of Reconciliation, Anointing of the Sick and Matrimony**  
(by Fr. Visiting Professor S.J)  
**References:**  
1. *Sacramental Theology* by Herbert Vorgrimler  
2. *Catechism of the Catholic Church: CCC*

**ST15. Eucharist**  
(by Fr. Martino Lo)  
A study of the central act of the church following the outlines of its Rite: Word and Sacrament, with emphasis upon historical development. Detailed study of the emergence of Eucharistic Theology in the Western Church: the theologies of Sacrifice, Presence, ritual and theological development in non-Roman western Christianity, and the contemporary problem of inter-communion.  
**References:**  
1. *Sacramental Theology* by Herbert Vorgrimler  
2. *The Eucharist: Message of the Fathers of the Church*; by Daniel J. Sheerin  
3. *Catechism of the Catholic Church: CCC*

**ST16. Sacred Orders:**  
(by Fr. Martino Lo)  
A study of ministry and orders in the New Testament writings. The development of the theological language of ministry in the Church. The relationship of the Bishop and the Presbytery. Contemporary questions: the nature and permanence of the character of orders; the ordination of woman; the permanent diaconate; the priest and the political order.  
**References:**  
1. *Catechism of the Catholic Church: CCC*

**ST17. Methodology of Research**  
(by Fr. John Kyaw Kyaw Naing)

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**III. DEPARTMENT OF LITURGY**

**LI 01. Introduction to Liturgy**  
(by Fr. Wilson Vincent)  
The History, the Nature and the Role of Sacred Liturgy in the life of the Church. Theological reflection on it in the light of Vatican II and post-Vat. II Documents.  
**References:**  
1. *Introduction to the Liturgy*, by Ambrosius  
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3. The Church at Prayer Vol. 1,
4. Initiation to Christian Worship, by P. Puthanangan
Fundamental of the Liturgy, by John Miller

LI 02. Sanctification of the Time
(by Fr. Wilson Vincent)
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LI 03. The Sacraments and Sacramentals
(by Fr. Wilson Vincent)

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1. The Sacraments and their celebration, by Nicholas Halligan.
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LI 04. Liturgy of The Mass
(by Fr. Wilson Vincent)
Scriptural, theological stress on Vatican II and after. The structural and textural composition, its origin and development from historical point of view.

References:
2. The Church at prayer, Vol. 3. The Eucharist.
3. How Christ said the first Mass, by James L. Meagher, 1975

LI 05. The Celebration of the Christian Mystery
(by Fr. Wilson Vincent)
1. The Paschal Mystery in the age of the Church 2. The sacramental celebration of the Paschal Mystery

References:
2. Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC 1076 - 1690)
3. The Sacraments and their celebrations by Nicholas Halligan O.P
4. The constitutions of the Sacred Liturgy, Vatican II

LI 06. Rites and Ceremonies (Rubrics and Regulations)
(by Fr. Wilson Vincent)
Rubrics and regulations governing religious ceremonies - articles used - materials needed - comportment of the celebrant... as found in Canon Law, decrees and local customs and inculturation. It aims at valid and licit as well as edifying celebration.

References:
1. The Rites of the Catholic Church as revised by the Vatican II (Volume One and Two)

IV. DEPARTMENT OF MORAL AND SPIRITUAL THEOLOGY

MT 01. Introduction to Moral Theology
(by Fr. John Yaw Han)

References:
2. General Moral Theology in the light of Vatican II by Karl H Peschke
5. Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC 1699 - 2046)

MT 02. Christian Responsibility in Religious Realm
(by Fr. John Yaw Han)

MT 03. Christian Responsibility towards the created world
(by Fr. Cyprian Aung Win)

References:
3. Free Faithful in Christ Vol III by Bernard Haring
5. Catechism of the Catholic Church, CCC no, 2083 - 2751

MT 04. Marriage and Virginity
(by Fr. Cyprian Aung Win)
1. Christian love in Marriage
2. Essential complementary of human sex
3. Personal factors in marriage intimacy
4. Marriage guidance
5. Preparation for Marriage
6. Moral Responsibility in marriage state
7. Sex education
8. Norms of chastity for the unmarried
9. HIV/AIDS and the Church

References:
1. Catholic Sexual Ethics by R. Lawler, J. Boyle and W.E. May
2. Dialogue about Catholic sexual teaching by C.E. Curran and R.A. Mc Cormick, S.J
3. Human sexuality by G.D. Coleman, SS
4. Medical and Sexual ethics by Il defonso Adeva
6. The Human mystery of sexuality by Oraison
7. Humanae Vitae
8. Gaudium et Spes

MT 05. The Social Teaching of the Church
(by Fr. Cyprian Aung Win)
The course aims to examine this teaching by an attentive readings of the papal social encyclicals beginning with Rerum Novarum in 1891. The encyclicals will be read and studied in chronicle sequence in order to establish the unity of social doctrine and its points of development. The study will be structured by an examination of the sources and method of papal social teaching such as the role of scripture and tradition. Attention will be given to the historical and contemporary settings of the encyclicals. A selection of the key themes such as social doctrine, the common good, solidarity and option for the poor will be followed as they come to prominence in particular encyclicals.

References:

MT 06. Medical Ethics
(by Fr. John Yaw Han)

References:
3. The N.C.C.B's "Ethical and Religious Directives for Catholic Health Care Services" 2001

SP 01. Priestly Spirituality
(by Fr. John Yaw Han)
A priestly spirituality is highlighted with specific aspects of the “gift and mystery” of the diocesan priesthood. The interaction of an active non-monastic lifestyle based on a contemplative foundation grounds the identity, ministry, and life of the priesthood. The distinctive configuration of diocesan priests to Jesus Christ as lived out in the triple evangelical imperatives is studied with respect to the charisms constituting this lifestyle.

References:

SP 02. Modern Issues on Spirituality
(by Fr. Peter Kim S.J)
Building on the interactive study of priestly spirituality, some issues of spirituality as encountered in a parish-based context are examined. Focus is put on holistic growth from a psycho-spiritual and other perspectives, sexuality and male spirituality, inculturation and Asian forms of prayer, ecology and societal concerns, and supportive structures.

References:
Articles and book excerpts.

V. DEPARTMENT OF CANON LAW

CL 01. General Norms
(by Fr. Hyginus Myint Soe)
This first book of the Canon contains the building blocks for the whole canonical system. These canons define the terms, persons, instruments and powers which are employed in the rest of the Code and outside it as well. These are very basic concepts, most of them drawn from the long canonical tradition and its Roman law roots.

CL 02. The People of God
(by Fr. Hyginus Myint Soe)
This is the central, largest and most important part of the Code. It reveals the constitution of the Church. Members and their rights and duties are set forth first, then the ordained ministry (the clergy) and the associations of the faithful. The hierarchy is described: Pope, College of Bishops, Dioceses, their officials and their groupings, Parishes, Pastors and other pastoral roles are outlined, and religious institutes and societies of apostolic life are described.

CL 03. The Teaching Office of the Church
(by Fr. Saw Richard)
The various persons responsible for preaching, catechesis, missionary action and Catholic Schools are all set forth here. This book is mostly new and directly from the documents of the Second Vatican Council. It closes with rules on the prior censorship of books.
CL 04. The Sanctifying Office of the Church
   (by Fr. Saw Richard)
   This is the second longest and most important book of the Code. It contains the canonical
discipline of the Sacraments and other acts of divine worship, as well as that for churches, altars,
cemeteries, and days of feast and fast.

CL 05. The Temporal Goods of the Church
   (by Fr. Saw Richard)
   Here, in the Code’s shortest book, are found the rules for the acquisition, disposition and
administration of the Church’s monies, land and building, as well as the rules on wills and
bequests.

CL 06. Sanction in the Church and Trials in General
   (by Fr. Saw Richard)
   Those acts which are considered crimes in the Church and the appropriate punishments
for them are outlined here. The last book treats of the judicial processes used for trials in Church
courts, as well as some specialized administrative procedures, like those for administrative
recourses or for the removal of a pastor.

CL 07. Marriage
   (by Fr. Hyginus Myint Soe)
   The course on Marriage and Marriage Cases with emphasis on the pastoral orientation;
this aims at preparing the candidates to be ready with practical hints for helping those entering
married life, and to be able to handle marriage cases which will be largely encountered in the
pastoral life and ministry.

VI. DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY OF THE CHURCH AND PATROLOGY

CH 01. Early Church History
   (by Fr. Augustine Ko)
   The Church in the Days of the Roman Empire, 1-600 A.D. A study of the birth and
growth of the Christian Community in its Greco-Roman, Byzantine and Early Medieval cultural
context. The principles of discerning the continuing saving work of Christ and man’s response in
a determined historical context.

CH 02. The Medieval Church
   (by Fr. Augustine Ko)
   From the rise of the Medieval Papacy to the outbreak of the Protestant Reformation and
the development of the post-Tridentine Church.

CH 03. The Modern Church
   (by Fr. Augustine Ko)
   Protestant Reformation and Modern Age. The Church in the modern World facing the
challenge of liberalism, nationalism, socialism and its expansion into the non-Western world.

CH 04. The History of The Church of Myanmar
   (by Fr. Augustine Ko)
The primitive beginnings and the coming of the Missionaries. Tolerant reception of occasional outbursts of persecutions. The development of hierarchy, and its efforts of evangelization among different tribes, training of local priests religious, and catechists; and their contributions towards social services and its future aspects.

References:
1. Outlines of the History of Burmese Missions by Ambrose Bigandet

CH 06. Patrology (The Fathers of the Church)
(by Fr. Henry Eikhlein)

It attempts to give a general study of the lives, doctrines and the writings of the Fathers of the Church from Apostolic time till the early eighth century. A general survey of the Fathers of the Church: Apostolic Fathers, Apologists, Heretical and Apocryphal Literature. Opponents of Heresies: Golden Age of Literature.

References:
1. Handbook of Patrology, by Patrick J. Hamell, M.A.D.D.
2. Handbook of Patrology, by Tixeront-Raemers

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VII. DEPARTMENT OF PASTORAL THEOLOGY

PS 01. Pastoral Theology
(by Fr. Peter Kim S.J)

Participants are initiated into a process of doing theology — as a way of special learning — to attain practical knowledge of the nature, history, and theological reflection of pastoral ministry, in order to provide priestly ministers with what is essential to realize the Church’s mission with efficacy, in collaboration with other members of Christ’s faithful.

References:
FABC, For All the Peoples of Asia, Vols 1 (1997), 2 (1997), and 3 (2002).
Vatican II, Gaudium et spes, 1965.
Articles and book excerpts.

PS 02. Homiletics
(by Fr. Benedict Htay Lwin)

Its endeavors at expounding of the principal object preaching and exploring the effective means of imparting the message of the good News as an effective work of evangelization.

References:
1. Handbook of Preaching by N.M. Van Cleave. 1990

PS 03. Pastoral Counselling
(by Fr. Peter Kim S.J)

Basic concepts and beginning skills of pastoral counselling will be used within the perspective of Christian ministry. Focus is placed on the broad contexts of a parish where people
often face evolving needs and diverse struggles. The goal is to better prepare a parish pastor to counsel his parishioners to work through their difficulties in regaining hope and be faithful to God’s call.

References:

PS 04. Pastoral Management
(by Fr.Peter Kim SJ)
An over-all theologico-pastoral vision of the parochial ministry. Parish administration.

PS 05. Ad Auds Course
(by Fr.Cyprian Aung Win)
Practical administration of the sacrament of Reconciliation and different particular cases to be dealt with in the internal sacramental forum.

PS 07. Mas-Media and Communication
(by Fr.Benedict Htay Lwin)