



## Looking for professional-level education?

St. Anthony's Cathedral House of Liturgical Studies prepares students in a number of ways for service, social justice, and ministry in the communions and denominations in which they plan to serve:

- Delivering [core courses](#) that inform their ministry,
- Providing [education and spiritual formation](#) to prepare them for ordination in their respective communions and allowing them to explore their rich denominational heritage and identity (see houses of study or concentrations below),
- Offering [continuing catechetical studies](#) and seminary degrees programs for their diverse ministries, and
- Creating opportunities for [personal spiritual formation](#).

St. Anthony offers three tracks: non-degree formation programs, professional-level degrees, and continuing education courses.

### Non-Degree Catechetical and Formation Programs

Upon completion of a [House of Studies program](#), graduates will receive a diploma and will have:

- Acquired a deeper knowledge of historical theology and the Bible to more effectively function in various roles in a church setting;
- Developed skills in studying the Bible;
- Formed a sound foundation for continuing scholarly biblical studies and theology; and
- Prepared for vocational opportunities as a *diaconate* or *presbyter* or in various professional fields in ministry and theology.

**Ecumenical Catholic:** Plans are currently in progress to offer a series of formation courses in this subject area. Courses focus on ecumenical Catholic principles and moral theology.

**Liturgical:** The Liturgical House of Study offers students a variety of course options that focus on liturgical formation and tradition, regardless of denominational affiliation.

**Eastern Church:** A concentration focused on Syriac studies—including Basic Syriac/Aramaic, The Lord's Prayer, Syriac Patristics, and a final project—will offer an introduction to Eastern Church Studies.

**Practical Ministry:** Students who are interested in building skills for practical ministry (service) across denominational lines may wish to enroll in this multi-year program that will guide them through a series of subjects that proactively address the what, why, and how of service.

### Professional/Seminary Degrees

St. Anthony's offers ecclesiastical and professional/seminary degrees. Currently, it offers a [Bachelor of Theology \(B.Th.\)](#), [Baccalaureate of Theology \(Th.B.\)](#), [Master of Divinity \(M.Div.\)](#), and the [Doctor of Theology \(Th.D.\)](#). Visit our website (below) for more details. The House of Studies is an educational outreach and operates under the authority of the Ecumenical Catholic Church of Christ ([www.ecumenicalccc.org](http://www.ecumenicalccc.org)).

### Course Benefits

1. **In-depth instruction** (college level and based on biblical scholarship).
2. **Qualified instructors** hold at least a masters degree or rough equivalent; 75% have earned doctorates ([instructor listing/biographies online](#)).
3. **Flexible:** (1) self-paced online format available for most courses—up to a full year; (2) face-to-face (residential) instruction may be available with five or more students.
4. **Affordable** (low tuition cost and nominal fees)!

Questions, academic policies, registration? Visit [www.stanthonysliturgicalhouse.org](http://www.stanthonysliturgicalhouse.org).

# Educational Summary, Courses, Enrollment, and About St. Anthony

## Educational Summary

- **Credit Types:** Continuing education units (CEUs) or academic credit<sup>1</sup> awarded for courses.
- **Current cost per course:** \$75.50 for 3 CEUs and \$108 for 3 academic credits (cost includes fees).
- **Clergy:** Courses might qualify for (re)certification requirements. *Contact your licensing body to determine if it will accept St. Anthony CEUs and credits.*
- **Seniors (age 62+):** Ask about our special discounted rates and tuition-free audits.

<sup>1</sup> *Note:* Students will need to successfully complete additional assignments to earn academic credit.

## Steps to Enroll and Complete Courses

1. **Review** the course(s) listed in the schedule and **select** the courses in which you wish to enroll. (Students pursuing a degree or program must complete the admissions process before enrolling.)
2. **Register** by returning the downloadable mail-in form or [enrolling online](#) with your payment (either by mail or [pay online](#)).
3. **Receive** via e-mail or mail an enrollment confirmation with location/time for residential courses or access information for online courses once registration and payment are processed. *Course materials, except textbooks, will be provided at first session or online.*
4. **Attend** 90% of face-to-face sessions or listen to/view all the online lessons for up to a full year on Canvas.
5. **Complete** the short assignment (quiz, paper, or project) and return it to your instructor then complete an online survey.
6. **Receive** a paper transcript with the course title, CEUs, and date of completion and certificate of completion with your name and course title (mailed to the address provided).

## Current and Future Course Schedule

Course offerings are listed online. New courses are announced as they become available. Visit the [course schedule webpage](#) for updates.

### Examples of Some Existing Courses

- Old Catholic History and Modern Relevance (3 CEUs)
- Biblical Hermeneutics (3 academic credits)
- Introduction to Revelation (1 CEU)
- Prophets: Nature, History, and Setting (3 CEUs/3 academic credits)
- Narrative Reading of Gospel of John (3 CEUs/3 academic credits)
- Introduction to Old Testament (3 academic credits)
- Introduction to New Testament Greek (3 CEUs/3 academic credits)
- Basic Biblical Syriac Aramaic (3 CEUs/3 academic credits)
- Basic Latin (3 academic credits)
- Ecclesiastical Latin (3 academic credits)
- Biblical Hebrew (3 CEUs/3 academic credits)
- Introduction to Biblical Counseling (3 CEUs)
- Introduction to Pastoral Counseling, Ethics, and Care (3 academic credits)
- Family Counseling/Life Issues (3 academic credits)
- Crisis Intervention Ministries (3 academic credits)
- Spiritual Direction (3 CEUs/3 academic credits)
- Biblical Feminist Discourse (3 CEUs/3 academic credits)

## Instructors Currently Teaching Courses

For a complete listing of instructors/specialists and biographies, visit our [website's instructors page](#).

## About St. Anthony

St. Anthony opened its doors in 2018. It is a recognized non-profit institution (501c3) and a public charity (509a2): EIN 83-2618926. In November 2020, SCHEV acknowledged that St. Anthony can provide religious training or theological education in Virginia. In February 2022, SCHEV notified St. Anthony that it is a religious institution exempt from state regulation and oversight in Virginia. See our ["About Us" webpage](#) for details.

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