

Southeastern District (SED) Lay Deacon Learning Track



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COHORT C

Course #	Course Name and 2yr Cycle Dates – 2022-2024	Cost	Class Hours
ALL COURSES ARE REQUIRED			
YEAR 1 – Sep. 2022 thru May 2023		COHORT C	
Courses meet on Tuesdays, 7:00-9:00pm EST, for either 4wks or 8wks			
Thanksgiving – 11/24/22; Ash Wednesday – 2/22/2023; Easter – 4/9/2023			
MTC001-SED	Old Testament – Missio Dei in the Scripture Dates: Sep. 6, 12, 20, 27 – Rev. Dr. Josh Hollman	\$150	8
MTC002-SED	New Testament – Missio Dei in the Scripture Dates: Oct. 18, 25, Nov. 1, 8 – Rev. Dr. Jeff Kloha	\$150	8
MTC006-SED	Missional Church and Outreach Dates: Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24 – Rev. Dr. Yared Halche	\$150	8
MTC019-SED	Christian Worship: Its Roots and Meaning Dates: Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14, 21 – Dr. Claire Partlow	\$150	8
MTC003-SED	The Christian Faith: Doctrine – Rev. Dr. Jon Diefenthaler Dates: Mar. 7, 14, 21, 28, Apr. 4, 11, 25, May 2	\$300	16
YEAR 2 – Sep. 2023 thru May 2024		COHORT C	
Courses meet on Tuesdays, 7:00-9:00pm EST for 4wks			
Thanksgiving – 11/23/2023; Ash Wednesday – 2/14/2024; Easter- 3/31/2024			
MTC015-SED	Knowing and Engaging in Your Community Dates: Sep 5, 12, 19, 26 – Tina Jasion, DCO	\$150	8
MTC021-SED	Sharing the Faith Dates: Oct 10, 17, 24, 31 – Rev. Dr. Yared Halche	\$150	8
MTC010-SED	Spiritually Caring for Your Community Dates: Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30 – Dcs. Robie Hillhouse	\$150	8
MTC008-SED	Christ-Centered Worship Dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, Mar 5 – TBA	\$150	8
MTC007-SED	Teaching the Faith Dates: Apr. 2, 9, 16, 23 – Rev. Dr. Matthew Bean	\$150	8
MTC013-SED	Starting New Ministries Dates: May 7, 14, 21, 28 – Rev. Dr. Peter Meier	\$150	8
TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS			96

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ALL COURSES ARE REQUIRED			
YEAR 1 – Sep. 2023 thru May 2024		COHORT D	
Courses meet on Tuesdays, 7:00-9:00pm EST, for either 4wks or 8wks Thanksgiving – 11/23/2023; Ash Wednesday – 2/14/2024; Easter – 3/31/2024			
MTC001-SED	Old Testament – Missio Dei in the Scripture Dates: Sep. 5, 12, 19, 26 – Rev. Dr. Josh Hollman	\$150	8
MTC002-SED	New Testament – Missio Dei in the Scripture Dates: Oct. 31, Nov. 7, 14, 21 – Rev. Dr. Jeff Kloha	\$150	8
MTC003-SED	The Christian Faith: Doctrine – Rev. Dr. Jon Diefenthaler Dates: Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27	\$300	16
MTC019-SED	Lutheran Worship: Its Roots and Meaning Dates: Apr. 2, 9, 16, 23 – Dr. Claire Partlow	\$150	8
MTC006-SED	Missional Church and Outreach Dates: May 7, 14, 21, 28 – Rev. Dr. Yared Halche	\$150	8
YEAR 2 – Sep. 2024 thru May 2025		COHORT D	
Courses meet on Tuesdays, 7:00-9:00pm EST for 4wks Thanksgiving – 11/28/2024; Ash Wednesday – 3/5/2025; Easter – 4/20/2025			
MTC015-SED	Knowing and Engaging in Your Community Dates: Sep. 3, 10, 17, 24 – Instructor TBA	\$150	8
MTC021-SED	Sharing the Faith Dates: Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29 – Instructor TBA	\$150	8
MTC010-SED	Spiritually Caring for Your Community Dates: Jan. 7, 14, 21, 28 – Instructor TBA	\$150	8
MTC008-SED	Christ-Centered Worship Dates: Feb. 11, 18, 25, Mar. 4 – Instructor TBA	\$150	8
MTC007-SED	Teaching the Faith Dates: Mar. 11, 18, 25, Apr. 1 – Instructor TBA	\$150	8
MTC013-SED	Starting New Ministries Dates: Apr. 22, 29, May 6, 13 – Instructor TBA	\$150	8
TOTAL REQUIRED HOURS			96