

ECUMENICAL INSTITUTE OF THEOLOGY
Spring 2019

Thursday

6-8:30 pm

TH799 Theology Colloquium: Lord's Prayer

Dr. Laytham, with guest lecturers

Prerequisites: minimum GPA of 3.5, completion of 39 credits, and intention to graduate in current academic year, or matriculation in the C.A.S. program.

Course Description: The Theology Colloquium is an interdisciplinary seminar, with classic readings from Scripture, theology, philosophy, and literature, that seeks to integrate and culminate the educational experiences of M.A. in Theology candidates. It is the capstone course in the M.A. in Theology. This year's focus is a text and practice that is Scripture, tradition, liturgy, catechesis, theology, morals, and prayer for the church.

Course Requirements:

- Students should expect to read *at most* 1,300 pages of required reading.
- Students should expect to write *about* 25-30 double-spaced pages.
- Students should expect to participate actively in each class session (the course is primarily seminar style discussion of assigned readings).

Required Texts will be determined soon:

Students will read Scripture; biblical interpretation (probably a commentary); patristic (perhaps Origen or Cyprian); medieval (likely Aquinas or Francis); and Reformation giants (likely Luther or perhaps Calvin), framed by an historical overview; some combination of Barth, Bonhoeffer, Schmemmann, Guardini, Hauerwas; as well as spirituality