



Institute for Advanced Pastoral Studies

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Summer Conference

Chicago: July 21 – 26, 2019

The summer seminar offers the unique opportunity for Detroit-based pastors to grow spiritually, hone their leadership skills, and meet with nationally recognized church leaders who are catalytic difference makers in Chicago. As part of a year-long program, the seminar will provide participants with the tools they need to develop their leadership skills as persons, pastors, and change-agents.

Total conference cost: \$300

Hotel accommodations and meals included. Participants will be given vouchers to offset travel expenses. Also includes monthly participation in the learning support groups which will meet monthly Sept – May.

Confirmed Site Visits

MONDAY: REV. MYRON MCCOY | CHICAGO TEMPLE

TUESDAY: BISHOP JEFFREY LEE | ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL

WEDNESDAY: REV. OTIS MOSS III | TRINITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

THURSDAY: FR. MICHAEL PFLEGER | ST. SABINA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Register & Additional Info:

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Presenters



The Right Rev. Robert C. Wright **BISHOP, EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF ATLANTA**

The Right Rev. Robert C. Wright is the 10th bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta, which covers north and middle Georgia and embraces 110 worshipping communities. At the time of his election in June 2012, he had served 10 years as rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Atlanta. Prior to that, he was a school chaplain and on the staff of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York City. Since becoming Bishop, Wright has addressed the Georgia legislature about gun control, spoke up for Medicaid expansion and has been a vocal and active opponent of the death penalty in Georgia.



The Rev. Dr. Myron F. McCoy **SENIOR PASTOR, FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

The Reverend Dr. Myron F. McCoy was appointed at the First United Methodist Church, Chicago Temple on July 1, 2014. After serving as president of Saint Paul Theological Seminary in Kansas, MO for more than 11 years, Dr. McCoy is no stranger to Chicago. He received his Bachelor's degree in Political Science and Public Administration at Ohio Wesleyan University; Master of Divinity degree at Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary, and Doctor of Ministry degree at United Theological Seminary. Rev. McCoy was also awarded an Honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from Baker University.



The Rt. Rev. Jeffrey D. Lee **BISHOP, EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF CHICAGO**

The Rt. Rev. Jeffrey D. Lee is the 12th bishop of the Diocese of Chicago. Bishop Lee leads 36,000 Episcopalians in 125 congregations across Northern Illinois. A charismatic preacher, liturgist and spiritual leader, he is committed to helping the congregations of the diocese grow the church, form the faithful, and change the world. He is the author of *Opening the Prayer Book* in the New Church's Teaching Series; a former member of the faculty of CREDO Institute; and has served on the boards of the North American Association of the Diaconate, the Council of Associated Parishes, and Affirming Catholicism.



The Rev. Dr. Otis Moss III **SENIOR PASTOR, TRINITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

With civil rights advocacy in his DNA, Rev. Dr. Otis Moss III built his ministry on community advancement and social justice activism. As Senior Pastor of Trinity United Church of Christ in Chicago, Illinois, Dr. Moss spent the last two decades practicing and preaching a Black theology that unapologetically calls attention to the problems of mass incarceration, environmental justice, and economic inequality.



The Rev. Dr. Michael Louis Pfleger **ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, DUKE DIVINITY SCHOOL**

The Rev. Dr. Michael Louis Pfleger is a Roman Catholic priest and a social activist. Fr. Pfleger attended Archbishop Quigley Preparatory Seminary South, Loyola University and the University of Saint Mary of the Lake. He was ordained a priest for the Archdiocese of Chicago in 1975 and has served at St. Sabina since 1981. Fr. Pfleger is the founder of the Employment Resource Center, the Ark Youth Center, Saint Sabina Social Service Center, Thea Bowman Spiritual Advance Center, Samaritan House for the homeless, Saint Sabina's 80-unit Elders Village, and several Chicago anti-violence initiatives.

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