

Fee: \$20.00

To Register:

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Deadline is Friday, October 1, 2010

DIRECTIONS

St. Jude's

152 Tulip Drive – Lewes, DE

(302) 644-7413

From Points North of Lewes: Take Hwy. 1 South (approximately 35 miles from Dover). As you approach Lewes, you will pass the Red Mill Inn and Red Mill Pond on your right. Once you drive up over the viaduct, get in your left hand lane and turn at next left onto Tulip Drive. The Church and Parish Life Center are on your right. The entrance to the Parish Life Center is at the south end of the buildings.

From Points South of Lewes: Take Hwy. 1 North. You will pass through the towns of Bethany Beach, Dewey Beach, and Rehoboth Beach. At Five Points Intersection of Highway 1 and Route 9), you go .4 mile and turn right onto Tulip Drive. The Church and Parish Life Center are on your right. The entrance to the Parish Life Center is at the south end of the buildings.

From Points West of Lewes: Take Route 9 East in Georgetown, DE. When you arrive at the intersection of Routes 9 and Hwy. 1, get in the lane for Hwy. 1 North. Go approximately .4 mile and turn right onto Tulip Drive. The Church and Parish Life Center are on your right. The entrance to the Parish Life Center is at the south end of the buildings.

"I have not stopped giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers."

Ephesians 1:16

**SOUTHERN PARISHES
CATECHIST CERTIFICATION
COURSES 2010**



**BRING YOUR GIFTEDNESS TO
SHARE**

**October 9, 2010 – Saturday
Saint Jude The Apostle, Lewes, Delaware**

SCHEDULE

Gathering and Coffee	8:30 A.M. (Parish Life Center)
Prayer	8:45 – 9:00 A.M.
Keynote	9:00 – 10:00 A.M.
Session 1	10:15 A.M. – 12:15 P.M. (Religious Ed. Center)
Lunch	12:15 – 12:45 P.M.
You are asked to bring a bag lunch. Beverages will be provided	
Session 2	1:00 – 3:00 P.M. (Religious Ed. Center)

Keynote Speaker at 9 A.M. Sr. Kathleen Burton, Diocese of Camden Engaging Parents in the Faith Formation of Their Children

Parents do want to be involved in their children's faith lives. As catechists we want to include both active and inactive parents and guardians in the formation of their own children. This presentation will give us concrete suggestions for allowing parents to be more proactive in the Faith Formation of their children.

COURSES

Today you will have time to participate in two. Choose one course for the morning session and one course for the afternoon session.

Spice it up with Art: Methods 201

Learn techniques to enhance your teaching by incorporating the arts in your classroom. You will discover how to look at art for its spiritual and story content; discover the rich treasure of Christian symbols and how they have added meaning to religious art throughout history, and where to find the tools you need to improve your lessons on the Internet. Lots of great tips, activities and age appropriate suggestions guaranteed to give you new options in the classroom.

Presenter: Paula Hartzel, Director of the Interfaith Resource Center.

Social Justice for Junior High and Senior High School Youth: Theology 310

The Church's social teaching is a rich treasure about building a just society that challenges us to courageous actions for the good of all God's people. This session will enable catechists to teach and engage our youth in living out the principles of Catholic Social Teaching. It will be an interactive class.

Presenter: Andy Zampini, Program Manager of Parish Social Ministry.

Spirituality of the Catechist: Echoes of Faith: The Person of the Catechist: EF 8

The personal spirituality of catechists is the greatest gift to the people the catechist forms in the faith. This session will allow you to have a deeper understanding of your call and vocation to be a catechist. The importance of your continued growth in faith and understanding of Jesus' mission today will be developed. You will have a new appreciation of the role of the Spirit in your ministry.

Presenter: Sister Ellen Gerlach, SFCC, Retreat Leader and Prayer Companion

Adult Faith Formation for RCIA Leaders/Bible Study Leaders/ Prayer Group Leaders: Methods 204 or 213

"For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you" (1Cor.15:3). Paul is aware that his faith is the critical and necessary instrument to foster faith in other adults. St. Matthew tells us, "What you received as a gift, give as a gift". (Matt. 10:8)

Presenter: Michele Harris, Director of Adult Faith & Liturgical Office, St. Francis de Sales Parish

Primary Grades Classroom Management K – 3 M101 or EF 9; EF 10; EF 11

Innovative ideas and techniques for involving children in the learning process will be shared. Maintaining order in a respectful environment will be emphasized. Children love to learn about God and the catechists can be an instrument of the faith learning. Participants will be actively engaged throughout the session; time for sharing will be incorporated.

Presenter: Kathy Di Sabatino

Middle School and up Classroom Management M101 or EF 9; EF 10; EF 11

Children of this developmental level need to understand Christian teachings and how they should influence their behavior. The meaning of God's love for them and the Church teachings build on their realities and experience. Helpful suggestions, tips and resources for catechizing them will be shared.

Presenter: Carolyn Bowden