

SPRING 2010 COURSES & EVENTS
March 1, 2010 – May 28, 2010

MV01. "NATIVE AMERICAN LIFE & HISTORY IN THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER BASIN REGION"

Date(s): Mondays, March 1, 8, 29, & Fridays, March 12 & 19, 2010

Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Stephen A. Runkle

Description: This course will provide a comprehensive study of the Region's 200 year Native American history from the time of first contact with Europeans (about 1600) until Native American settlements disappeared from the Region in 1779. Participants will learn how Native Americans lived and interacted with the European explorers, colonial powers, and frontier settlers in the Susquehanna River Basin Region.

Reading: Reference lists will be provided after each session for anyone wishing to read more.

MV02. "MUSIC – A WORTHY WAY TO GOD OR A PERILOUS PATH TO THE DEVIL? A LOOK AT ASSUMPTIONS IN SEVERAL WORLD RELIGIOUS TRADITIONS"

Date(s): Mondays, March 1 & 8, 2010

Time: 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Beth Bullard, Ph.D.

Description: Enhanced by video and audio examples, this study will explore beliefs about music and its effects from the vantage points of several world religions, including Christian, Hindu, Muslim ("orthodox" and Sufi), Tibetan Buddhist, and native American traditions. So if you enjoy hearing and learning about music from throughout the world, this fascinating course is one you won't want to miss!

Reading: None

MV03. "EXPLORING A WORLD THROUGH THE EYES OF IVAN DOIG"

Date(s): Tuesdays, March 2 & 9, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Location: Galleria Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 35

Instructor: Robert Ives, Ph.D.

Description: Ivan Doig wrote a novel in 2006, [The Whistling Season](#), about a family and a school in Marias Coulee, Montana in 1909-1910. One room schools are gone from American life, but not rambunctious children or unusual people who shape our lives and help make them interesting. This two session course will offer participants an opportunity to read and study this intriguing story and to reflect on our own memories!

Reading: Ivan Doig, [The Whistling Season](#). Copies are available for loan at local libraries, and can be purchased at most area bookstores and on-line at Amazon.com.

MV04. "GREAT HYMNS OF THE 1930S & TODAY"

Date(s): Tuesdays, March 2 & 9, 2010

Time: 11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

Location: Messiah Village Chapel

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Ronald Sider, Ph.D.

Description: Some hymns written during the 1930s are still sung today. Others are not, but why not? This course will involve singing and discussion of these and recently composed hymns, using hymn books published in 1935 and 1984. The above question, spiritual themes, scriptural references, figures of speech, and hymns will be discussed. The Instructor and participants will share stories, and sing selected hymns.

Reading: None

MV05. "SHARED FAITH, BOLD VISION, ENDURING PROMISE: THE MATURING YEARS OF MESSIAH COLLEGE"

Date(s): Thursdays, March 4, 11, & 18, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Location: Galleria Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Paul Nisly, Ph.D.

Description: This extensive three session course about the centennial history of Messiah College will focus on selected topics of Dr. Nisly's work based on the manuscript and interest of participants. His new book titled Shared Faith, Bold Vision, Enduring Promise: The Maturing Years Of Messiah College will serve as the main content of the class. According to one review, "Dr. Nisly's book embodies the best kind of historical study. His success in articulating both continuity and change over time is achieved through a clear-eyed understanding of their causes and the role of human agency in shaping Messiah College's history".

Reading: Information about obtaining copies of Dr. Paul Nisly's new book titled Shared Faith, Bold Vision, Enduring Promise: The Maturing Years of Messiah College will be provided at time of class.

MV06. "BRAZIL, CHINA AND INDIA, THE THREE MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED"

Date(s): Thursdays, March 11 & 18, 2010

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Georgeanna "Dusty" Knisely

Description: Brazil, China and India are three countries that are developing quickly to take their places as international leaders. Brazil and China are immense in size, and China and India are overwhelming in population. China and India have been in the news for approximately the last 10 years. We are amazed at their technology, education and marketing. But from where has Brazil developed? She has long been known as a place of vast potential: world's largest fresh water supplies, largest tropical forests, land so fertile that in some places farmers manage three crops a year, and huge mineral and hydrocarbon wealth. Should we be paying more attention to these developments? This interactive class will examine these relevant topics.

Reading: None

MV07. "THE ENNEAGRAM – WHAT IS YOUR TYPE?"

Date(s): Mondays, March 15 & 22, 2010

Time: 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Location: Galleria Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 35

Instructor: Nancy Kohlstruk

Description: The Enneagram is a system of personality analysis that contains detailed and useful information about what drives us to behave as we do. It is a valuable tool for understanding ourselves and also a source of

insight into dealing with friends, colleagues and even our enemies. Session one will cover the background and structure of the Enneagram including a description of the nine personality types. Session two will involve working with your own unique personality type and discovering how it manifests itself in your life.

Reading: Suggested reading, The Enneagram Made Easy, by Renee Baron and Elizabeth Wagele. Copies are available for loan at local libraries, and can be purchased at most area bookstores and on-line at Amazon.com.

MV08. "THE MAKING OF THE ATOMIC BOMB"

Date(s): Mondays, March 15, 22, & 29, 2010

Time: 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: John Luetzelschwab, Ph.D.

Description: The science of nuclear fission originated at a time when the world was in political turmoil. The discovery of the fission process used in the atomic bomb had some interesting twists and turns because of this turmoil. This three session course will include a combination of lecture and discussion. The science is not the focus of this course; in fact it is rather simple. The following topics will be reviewed:

Week 1: Science of fission; history and politics; what foreign scientists contributed

Week 2: The process of making the bomb; construction of three large secret facilities; espionage

Week 3: Testing and use of the bomb; post war activities, how close the Germans were to having an atomic bomb; health effects; discussion about the use of the bombs on Japan

Participants who had personal involvement with the atomic bomb project can contribute greatly to class discussions.

Reading: Required reading, The Manhattan Project, Ed. Cynthia C. Kelly, ISBN 978-1-57912-747-3. Copies are available for loan at local libraries, and can be purchased at most area bookstores and on-line at Amazon.com.

MV09. "EXPLORE YOUR FUTURE"

Date(s): Wednesdays, March 17, 24, & 31, & April 7, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Location: Galleria Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 15

Instructor: Glen Dunbar & Kathy Silks.

Description: If the question, **What do I want to do with the rest of my life?** is frequently on your mind, this is the course for you! This *Explore Your Future* course consists of four class sessions of two hours each that are specially designed to help "seasoned" adults in examining life options and planning their futures. It is a fun and motivating course for individuals who are willing to do some serious work in uncovering their own passions, values, motivators, and aspirations – and, who are open to the idea that age is no barrier to fulfilling them.

Reading: None

MV10. "PETER COOPER – AN UNSUNG AMERICAN HERO"

Date(s): Thursday, March 25, 2010

Time: 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Ernst Kohlstruk is a retired State Government employee. Mr. Kohlstruk majored in history at Susquehanna University receiving a BA degree in 1966. He studied American Studies at the Graduate level at the University of Wyoming and has a Master's Degree from the University of Pennsylvania in Government Administration.

Description: This presentation on Peter Cooper will focus on three aspects of his contributions to American life. The class will examine Peter Cooper the inventor; the business tycoon; and the humanitarian/philanthropist. Peter Cooper's contributions as an inventor go far beyond his invention of the first American steam locomotive. He laid the groundwork for a major American industry and provided the basis for one of the most famous corporations in the United States. Cooper was a strong advocate for many causes which will be discussed in this class. His impact on America is still with us today!

Reading: None

MV11. "COUNTED CROSS-STITCH: AN ENTICING & ENHANCING PROJECT!"

Date(s): Thursdays, April 1, 8, & 15, 2010

Time: 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Location: Allegheny Hobby Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 20

Instructor: Ethel Brubaker

Description: This three session class will provide participants an opportunity to enhance their counted cross-stitch skills and to learn several new aspects of the craft, while creating a beautiful Dickens Village Christmas ornament! The Instructor will also display her own unique collection of these fascinating ornaments during class sessions.

Cost for supplies is \$5.00 per person and is payable at time of registration. Please bring own scissors and needles to class if you have them.

Reading: None.

MV12. "FIVE VIEWS OF ISRAEL"

Date(s): Thursdays, April 1, 8, & 15, 2010

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Reverend Allen Graybill Brubaker

Description: This unique course will offer participants an opportunity to learn about Israel and its appeal through five magnificent views! It will include a brief overview of the subject of Israel with a short description of the five views through a 25 minute video, and a fuller explanation of the first view in the first session. The second session will cover views two and three, while the third session will cover views four and five.

The *first view* is from **Mount Nebo**. Stand where Moses was when God showed him the whole land, see the Jordan Valley from the Dead Sea to Mount Hermon, and see Jerusalem across the Jordan Valley with the Land of Gilead at your feet.

From the *second view*, stand on top of **Mount Carmel** and grasp the history of Israel. See where Gideon and his brave 300 shouted: "The Sword of the Lord and of Gideon", where Saul and Jonathan were killed, where Jael drove a tent peg through the temples of Sisera, and where Moses and Elijah talked with Jesus. This is also where Elijah called fire down from Heaven.

The *third view* provides a view over the whole **Sea of Galilee**. Around this small lake the greatest ministry of all time was given. It was the very waters that Jesus stilled and that He walked on.

From the *fourth view*, look down on the **Golden Gate**. Directly behind it is the Temple Mount, now crowned with the golden Dome of the Rock, the third most revered place in Islam.

The *fifth view* is in a **quiet garden**, once the pride of a very rich man. Its 200,000 gallon cistern and wine press is truly impressive. There is also a cliff with gaping holes which look like a skull. The Garden Tomb which fits the description of the very place where Jesus was laid and from which He rose from the dead can be seen from this view. Of all the great cities of the world there is a mystique about Jerusalem which has allure beyond them all!

Reading: Please bring Bible to class.

MV13. "CROQUET – CLASS AND CULTURE!"

Date(s): Monday, April 5, Wednesday, April 7, & Friday, April 9, 2010

***Saturday, April 24, 2010 – Optional**

Croquet Tournament

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Location: Galleria Room and Messiah Village
Campus**

Enrollment Limit: 30 (For Class Only)

Instructor: Steve Fluder

Description: This unique course will provide an introduction to the game of Croquet, a review of its strategy, and several "hands-on" lessons! So whether you are new to the game or have played before, this is a wonderful opportunity to have fun while learning about Croquet and its lessons about life. Course will involve classroom instruction as well as indoor and outdoor croquet sessions.



A special **"DAY OF CROQUET AT MESSIAH VILLAGE"** will be held on Saturday, April 24, 2010! This **optional** event is open to Pathways Institute members as well as others who wish to participate. It will be a USCA Sanctioned 9 Wicket Tournament with 2 Divisions, all 9 Wicket Doubles Play (2 people per team).

Amateur Level: Entry fee at this level is \$150 per team, and first place team purse is \$1,000!

All Comers Level (Pro & Upper Level Players): Entry fee is \$300 per team, and first place team purse is \$2,000!

There is no need to be a pro to participate...just a great day to have fun and enjoy Messiah Village's beautiful campus. Entertainment and great food will round out the experience!

***To register for the tournament or obtain more information, call Gift Development at 717-795-5579 or email the office at gift@messiahvillage.org.**

MV14. "AN INTRODUCTION TO THE APOCRYPHA"

Date(s): Mondays, April 5, 12, & 19, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Clyde A. Ross

Description: Many, many people (even those who are quite familiar with the Bible) know very little about the Apocrypha: its history, contents, and importance. This thought-provoking course will attempt to change that for those who are interested by considering all three of those aspects.

Reading: If participants have a Bible including the Apocrypha, please bring it to class.

MV15. "IS FAITH GOOD FOR YOU? THE EFFECTS OF RELIGIOUS PRACTICE ON HEALTH"

Date(s): Tuesdays, April 6 & 13, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village
Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Roger C. Sider, M.D.

Description: A surprising amount of research has been done with various religious groups exploring the effects of religious faith on health. In this fascinating and informative course, Dr. Sider will summarize the literature, explain its limitations, and suggest the mechanisms by which religious faith may exert its influence. Session one will discuss physical health, and session two will consider mental health.

Reading: None

MV16. "IMAGES OF OLDER ADULTS"

Date(s): Thursday, April 8 & 15, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: E. Morris Sider, Ph.D.

Description: This intriguing course will discuss how older adults have been and continue to be viewed – in cartoons, jokes, short stories, and through several biographies the Instructor has written or edited. Short stories will include Flannery O'Connor, A View of the Woods; Katherine Anne Porter, The Jilting of Granny Weatherall; and Tim Gautreaux, Welding With Children.

Reading: Copies of the short stories may be obtained at the Pathways Institute office.

MV17. "EUGENE ONEGIN – TWO MASTERPIECES OF RUSSIAN ROMANTICISM"

Date(s): Fridays, April 16 & 23, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Truman Bullard, Ph.D.

Description: In this two-part course, participants will read and discuss Alexander Pushkin's novel Eugene Onegin (1833), and then view a DVD production of Tchaikovsky's opera Eugene Onegin (1877) during the second session. So if you are interested in studying these Russian masterpieces through literature and music, make sure to register for this fascinating class!

Reading: Required reading: Eugene Onegin, Alexander Pushkin, ISBN: 13-9780875011066. Copies are available for loan at local libraries, and can be purchased at most area bookstores and on-line at Amazon.com.

MV18. "VISIT TO THE PENNSYLVANIA COLLEGE OF ART & DESIGN & THE FULTON OPERA HOUSE!"

Date(s): Saturday, April 17, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.

***Messiah Village bus will depart from the Village Commons promptly at 9:00 a.m.**

Location: Pennsylvania College of Art & Design & Fulton Opera House, Lancaster, PA

Enrollment Limit: 28

Description: The Main Gallery at **Pennsylvania College of Art & Design** maintains a lively, thought-provoking, and ambitious exhibition and event schedule, showcasing work by local, regional and national artists, and designers. The class of 2010 Senior Art Show will be on display consisting of many different media, including graphic design, illustration, photography, painting, printmaking, and 3D exhibits.

The Fulton Opera House, considered to be the nation's oldest continuously operating theatre, is one of only eight theatres to be named a National Historic Landmark. This marvel of Victorian architecture combines ornate mid-Nineteenth Century grandeur with modern amenities. For over 150 years, audiences from central

Pennsylvania and beyond have been entertained, educated and inspired at The Fulton Theatre which continues to produce Broadway caliber musicals, comedies, and dramas!

Participants will attend the Fulton's "**A World of Theatre**" program through which they can explore new ideas and approaches to learning together with Fulton theatre professionals. Destinations include the Kabuki Theatre of Japan, Commedia dell'Arte in the Italian countryside, the classic beauty of the Ancient Greeks, and Elizabeth's England!

The Messiah Village bus will depart from the Village Commons promptly at 9:00 a.m. arriving at the Pennsylvania College of Art & Design by 10:00 a.m. At approximately 11:00 a.m., participants may visit a few of the many art galleries located nearby and enjoy lunch in one of the quaint cafés or restaurants. The group will then walk two blocks south on Prince Street arriving at the Fulton Opera House by 12:45 p.m. At 2:30 p.m., the bus will depart from the Fulton and will return to the Village Commons by approximately 3:15 p.m.

Additional cost to participants is **\$5.00 for admission** to the Fulton Opera House due at time of registration, and \$6.00 for Messiah Village transportation due at time of trip.

MV19. "A CONTINUING ECUMENICAL JOURNEY"

Date(s): Mondays, April 19 & 26, 2010

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

****Bus departs from Messiah Village, Village Commons promptly at 12:30 p.m.***

Location: Trinity Lutheran Church, Camp Hill

Enrollment Limit: 30

Instructor: Bishop Emeritus Guy S. Edmiston

Description: The many churches in our communities seem to belie Jesus' prayer that "We may all be one". Over the years, churches have held theological dialogues, common worship services and community service projects in order to better know each other and learn of teachings held in common, so that barriers can be broken and a common witness can be made. This ecumenical journey continues. This thought-provoking course will examine some ecumenical decisions that give us hope!

This two session course will be held at Trinity Lutheran Church, Camp Hill. The bus will depart from the Village Commons, Messiah Village at 12:30 p.m. and return by approximately 2:30 p.m. Bus transportation will be provided at a cost of \$3.00 per person, payable at time of trip. Participants are also welcome to drive on their own to this local destination. Trinity Lutheran Church is located at 2000 Chestnut Street, Camp Hill, PA.

Reading: None

MV20. "SHENK'S FERRY WILDFLOWER PRESERVE TRIP"

Date(s): Tuesday, April 20, 2010

(Rain Date is Thursday, April 22)

Time: 10:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

****Bus departs from Messiah Village, Village Commons promptly at 10:30 a.m.***

Location: Shenk's Ferry, Conestoga, PA

Enrollment Limit: 20

Instructor: Charles Longenecker

Description: The preserve at Shenk's Ferry is regarded as one of the best natural wildflower settings in the Eastern United States. The scenic ravine formed by Grubb Run is tucked in the river hills along the Susquehanna River. The hillside comes alive with color as trillium, Virginia blue bells, wild blue phlox and dozens of other beautiful wildflowers come into bloom. Most of these reach their peak in April and May, and this special field trip is timed for participants to see a variety of flowers in this natural setting.

The Messiah Village bus will leave from the Village Commons at 10:30 a.m. and drive to the Country Table Restaurant in Mount Joy where participants will meet from 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. for lunch and a brief informational session by the Instructor. The bus will depart from the restaurant at 12:30 p.m. for Shenk's Ferry. Return to Messiah Village will be approximately 5:30 p.m.

The hiking trail to access Shenk's Ferry is approximately ½ mile in length and is moderate in difficulty. Some of the hiking is also on a moderate incline. (This trip is not recommended for individuals using walkers or wheelchairs.) Bus transportation will be provided at a cost of \$6.00 per person payable at time of trip, and everyone pays for their own lunch.

Reading: None

MV21. "DAILY EXPERIENCES AT DILLS TAVERN"

Date(s): Monday, April 26, 2010

Time: 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Location: Dills Tavern, Dillsburg

Enrollment Limit: 30

Instructor: Dr. Mark Hagenbuch

Description: This course will review the history of the Dills Tavern, and focus on the families who owned it and lived there. The session will include some open hearth cooking and participants will be able to sample some of the foods of that period in history. The day-to-day life of the tavern and its patrons throughout its history will provide an interesting contrast to life today!

This session will be held at the Dills Tavern. The bus will depart from the Commons, Messiah Village at 9:00 a.m. and return by approximately 11:45 a.m. Transportation will be provided at a cost of \$3.00 per person, payable at time of trip. Participants are also welcome to drive on their own to this local destination. Additional cost to participants will be **\$7.00 for admission and food samples** due at time of registration.

MV22. "A VISIT TO THE WALTERS ART MUSEUM!"

Date(s): Thursday, April 29, 2010

Time: 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

***Messiah Village bus will depart from the Village Commons promptly at 8:00 a.m.**

Location: Walters Museum, Baltimore, MD

Enrollment Limit: 28

Instructor: A guided group tour will be provided by docents at the Walters Art Museum.

Description: The Walters Art Museum in Baltimore, Maryland is internationally renowned for its collection of art, which was amassed substantially by two men, William and Henry Walters, and eventually bequeathed to the City of Baltimore. The collection presents an overview of world art from pre-dynastic Egypt to 20th-century Europe, and counts among its many treasures Greek sculpture and Roman sarcophagi; medieval ivories and Old Master paintings; Art Deco jewelry and 19th-century European and American masterpieces.

The Museum visit will begin with a guided tour lasting about 1.5 hours. Following the tour, guests are welcome to explore the Museum at their leisure, enjoy a delicious lunch in the self-serve Museum Café, and browse the gift shop which has a wide selection of merchandise including publications highlighting the collections and exhibitions.

The Messiah Village bus will depart from the Village Commons promptly at 8:00 a.m. and arrive at The Walters Art Museum in Baltimore by 10:00 a.m. The bus is scheduled to depart from the Museum at 2:00 p.m. returning to Messiah Village by approximately by 4:00 p.m.

Additional costs to participants include a **\$4.00 admission fee** due at time of registration, \$6.00 for Messiah Village transportation due at time of trip, and everyone pays for their own lunch.

Reading: None

MV23. "THE WAR IN AFGHANISTAN: THE BRITISH AND SOVIET EXPERIENCES—WHAT CAN WE LEARN?"

Date(s): Mondays, May 3 & 10, 2010

Time: 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village
Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Dr. Carol Nechemias

Dr. Clem Gilpin is retired from Penn State Harrisburg, where he taught classes on World Geography, Social Conflict, and Race and Ethnicity. Dr. Gilpin continues to teach on an adjunct basis on campus and to serve as advisor to a student club, the International Affairs Association, and to organize a large Model UN held on campus in February. Dr. Gilpin, particularly in his World Geography course, has focused student attention on the history of Afghan conflicts, including the British experience.

Description: As the dominant world power of its day, the British Empire invaded Afghanistan twice: first in 1838–42, and again in 1878–81. In both cases, the goal of the invasion was to deflect Russian influence and to prevent it from establishing a foothold in the strategic region. As one of the world's two superpowers, the Soviet Union invaded Afghanistan in 1979 and withdrew in 1989. In both cases, these powerful nations fared poorly. So, why was this the case? And what can the United States learn from these earlier experiences?

Reading: None

MV24. "LITE BITES: A REAL CULINARY EXPERIENCE!"

Date(s): Mondays, May 3 & 10, 2010 (Class Sessions)

Thursday May 13, 2010 (Trip to Tea Room)

Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon (Class Sessions)

1:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. (Trip to Tea Room)

**Location: Terrace Room, Messiah Village;
Sugar Plums & Tea Bakery and Tea Room, Lancaster, PA**

***Bus Will Leave Messiah Village, Commons Entrance at 1:15 p.m.**

Enrollment Limit: 35

Instructor: Paul Lenyo

Description: This exciting course will include two class sessions followed by a trip to the "Sugar Plums and Tea" bakery and tea room! In the first class, participants will learn how to create tasty appetizers by using simple items from their pantry or freezer. In the second session, participants will learn how to create mouth watering petit fours by using items from their local grocer. (Class sessions will also give participants the opportunity to taste Chef Paul's creations!)

The third session will include an afternoon tea at "Sugar Plums & Tea" where everyone will have the opportunity to enjoy Chef Paul's outstanding hors d'oeuvres and desserts, and sample some of the 100 types of tea from all over the world!

Additional fee for this unique event is **\$35.00 per person**, payable at time of registration.

*The Messiah Village bus will depart from the Village Commons entrance at 1:15 p.m. and return by approximately 6:00 p.m. Bus transportation will be provided at a cost of \$6.00 per person, payable at time of trip. Participants are also welcome to drive on their own.

Reading: None

MV25. "LINE DANCING FOR BEGINNERS!"

Date(s): Mondays, May 3 & 10, 2010

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.

Location: Allegheny Basement Level, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 20

Instructor: Linda Mortensen

Description: This very active two session class will provide an opportunity for anyone who is interested to “kick up their heels”, learn new dance skills, and simply have lots of fun! Pathways participants will be picking up new steps and dancing before they know it. This is a great way to get exercise...so please wear comfortable attire and shoes.

Reading: None

MV26. "HOW DO THOSE BIG JETS FLY?"

Date(s): Tuesday, May 4, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Lou Thieblemont

Description: This fascinating presentation will review just "How do those big jets fly?", including some easy details about big passenger planes as well. Instructor will include a demonstration of a computerized flight simulator...so make sure you don't miss this thrilling opportunity!

Reading: None

MV27. "THE EXTRAORDINARY STORIES OF ORDINARY PLANTS!"

Date(s): Thursday, May 6, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village & Messiah Village Campus

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Bob Carey

Description: Modern civilization is rooted in our association with and manipulation of a relatively few plants. We derive additional enjoyment from ornamental ones which we breed, plant, and spend lots of money to nurture. All around us are plants with benefits we've forgotten, or that have escaped the notice of the denizens of this modern, synthetic, high-tech world. So let's make every trip out the front door an excursion and rediscover some of the lore of ordinary plants that share our lots and neighborhoods!

This informative and interactive session will include a walk around areas of the Messiah Village campus to look at and discuss the "stories" of many of the trees, shrubs, and other plants as they are growing and used in landscapes!

Reading: None

MV28. "FACEBOOK REVISITED!"

Date(s): Thursday, May 6, 2010

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Jennifer Ebersole!

Description: Many people are on "Facebook" these days, and interest continues to grow! This informative session will provide an introduction to "Facebook" and its usefulness as a tool for maintaining connections with family and friends by using the computer. Topics to be covered include creating an account, updating a profile, adding pictures, finding friends, and using built-in applications. Several **new** features will be covered as well for those with some basic knowledge and experience.

Reading: None

MV29. "EXPLORING AGING THROUGH POP MUSIC"

Date(s): Tuesday, May 11, 2010

Time: 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Glen L. Dunbar

Description: Pop music has always been targeted to the "young" crowd, but that doesn't mean "teeny boppers" are totally oblivious to the fact that there is more to life than youth, or that pop music does not play a role in shaping perceptions about what "aging" is like. The class will listen to and discuss songs from the pop music charts between 1940 and 1980 that have "growing up", "moving on" and/or "growing old" as a theme in their lyrics. Yes, it is a stroll down memory lane, but it is so much more. Even when young, we were thinking about what it would be like to be grown up and free of the shackles of school and control by our parents. Many of these songs shaped our perceptions of our own aging process – whether we realize it or not!

Reading: Participants are encouraged to bring lyrics or a CD of their favorites to class.

MV30. "CHESAPEAKE BAY ADVENTURE ON THE SKIPJACK MARTHA LEWIS!"

Date: Monday, May 17, 2010

Time: Events will be held between 9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. (See complete schedule below)

***Bus will leave Messiah Village promptly at 6:30 a.m., stop at Landis Homes at 7:30 a.m., and arrive at Havre de Grace by approximately 9:00 a.m.**

Location: Havre de Grace, Maryland

Enrollment Limit: 14

Cost Per Person: \$26.00 Sailing Fee, Lunch & Snacks

(See information below for additional costs)

Instructor(s): Experienced volunteer instructors will teach all sessions aboard the Skipjack MARTHA LEWIS.

Description: It is the mission of the **Chesapeake Heritage Conservancy** to promote and preserve **Historic Chesapeake Bay Watercraft**, and to educate the public in the heritage of the Chesapeake Bay.

The **Skipjack MARTHA LEWIS**, the last American vessel to fish under sail, is a fading reminder of the wealth and prosperity that the Chesapeake Bay has offered...and it is a symbol for the brittle balance between all of us and the place where we live. A valuable "window of history", the Skipjack MARTHA LEWIS provides a glimpse of our unique Chesapeake Bay heritage, an instrument adeptly able to communicate a tradition that is vanishing before our eyes. It also provides an alluring classroom for estuarine studies and environmental exploration. The MARTHA LEWIS is a V-bottom, two sail bateau (skipjack) with a deck of 49'5" in length, and her Port of Call is Havre de Grace.

This unique and outstanding opportunity will include a three hour sail on the Skipjack MARTHA LEWIS, and participants will enjoy fascinating educational sessions while on board! Just a few of the topics to be covered are the history and geography of the Chesapeake Bay; basic navigation; aquatic vegetation; and water testing.

Additional costs to participants: \$6.00 for bus transportation payable on day of trip.

***Schedule:**

6:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Bus will depart from Messiah Village promptly at 6:30 a.m., stop at Landis Homes at 7:30 a.m. to pick up participants, and drive on to Havre de Grace by approximately 9:00 a.m.

9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Three hour sail and educational sessions on board the Martha Lewis. Boxed lunches and snacks will be provided during this time.

12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Explore the pier, Concord Point Lighthouse, and Tydings Park.

2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Bus will depart for Landis Homes with expected arrival by 3:30 p.m., and then to Messiah Village by 5:00 p.m. at latest.

Suggested items for the trip: a hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, comfortable shoes, & light jacket. If threat of rain is in the forecast, bring raincoats because light rain will not cancel the cruise. The cruise may only be canceled by the Captain. If cruise is cancelled by Captain it will be rescheduled, if it can not be rescheduled all monies will be refunded.

MV31. "QUÉBEC: L' HISTOIRE, LA GÉOGRAPHIE ET LA CULTURE"

Date(s): Thursday, May 20, 2010

Time: 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Mrs. Gretchen Brewer

Description: This informative class will explore and review the history, geography, and culture of the Province & beautiful city of Quebec, Canada! The session is also recommended for anyone interested in learning more or planning to join the Instructor for the Messiah Village bus excursion to Quebec during the middle of August, 2010.

Reading: None

MV32. "MESSIAH VILLAGE, MESSIAH COLLEGE, MESSIAH CHILDREN'S HOME & MOUNT JOY COUNTRY HOMES: THE CONNECTIONS"

Date(s): Monday, May 24, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

****Bus departs from Messiah Village, Village Commons promptly at 9:00 a.m.***

Location: Messiah Village, Messiah College, Messiah Children's Home, and Mount Joy Country Homes

Enrollment Limit: 28

Instructor: David P. McBeth, Ph.D.

Description: Have you wondered about the "connections" between Messiah Village, Messiah College, Messiah Children's Home, and Mount Joy Country Homes? Do you know where Bailey Street and Paxton Street are located? And when did all of the historical events of these organizations and sites happen? This informative field trip will include visits to all six sites!

The Messiah Village bus will depart from the Village Commons at 9:00 a.m. with on-site visits at Messiah College, Messiah Children's Home, and Mount Joy Country Homes. Historical information will be provided during the bus trip and at each site visit. The group will stop for lunch at Gus' Keystone Family Restaurant in Mount Joy and the tour will conclude by 3:00 p.m. at Messiah Village. Bus transportation will be provided at a cost of \$6.00 per person payable at time of trip, and everyone pays for their own lunch.

Reading: None

MV33. "WOMEN'S RIGHTS IN THE MUSLIM WORLD"

Date(s): Tuesday, May 25, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

10:45 a.m. – 12:00 noon (Lunch)

****Bus departs from Messiah Village, Village Commons promptly at 8:30 a.m.***

Location: Isaac's Restaurant in Lemoyne
Enrollment Limit: 35

Instructor: Mr. Peter Sanden

Description: This session will explore several important questions and issues about the rights of women in the Muslim world. Just a few of those are as follows: Modesty and morality: what is the heritage of Mohammed? What is tribal and predates Mohammed? Does the fundamentalist Muslim male show his dedication through his women? You won't want to miss this relevant topic and discussion!

This class will be held at **Isaac's Restaurant** located at 1200 W. Market St. in the West Shore Plaza in Lemoyne, where participants are welcome and encouraged to remain for a delicious lunch for continued discussion and enjoyment with the instructor and class! Cost for the lunch will be **\$6.50 payable at registration** and will include a variety of sandwiches along with soup, salad, and dessert.

Van transportation will be provided at a cost of \$3.00 per person payable on day of class.

Reading: None

MV34. "THE GENIUS OF PABLO PICASSO"

Date(s): Thursday, May 27, 2010

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 35

Instructor: Mr. Peter Sanden

Description: This presentation includes a slide program that shows the endless efforts and genius of artist Pablo Picasso to explore new directions in his art and to remake himself. If you thought you knew Picasso, you may be quite surprised and you'll definitely learn something new through this informative session!

Reading: None

MV35. "PHOTOGRAPHY: MAKE PICTURES OF YOUR GRANDCHILDREN WITH EASE!"

Date(s): Thursday, May 27, 2010

***Photography Exhibit – May & June 2010**

Time: 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Location: Community Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: 50

Instructor: Blair Seitz

Description: Photographer Blair Seitz will use pictures of his own grandchildren to illustrate how to make warm, natural appearing photos of grandchildren, indoors or outdoors! Several essential areas of photography will be explored in this fascinating session including: how to be involved with your grandchildren and still make photos; how to catch those "fleeting" moments; and how to get the lighting *just right*. Blair will also demonstrate how to put these photos into a photo book as a keepsake for grandchildren.

Reading: Bring your digital camera to class.

***Blair Seitz will have a special exhibit of his photography on display at Messiah Village during May and June of 2010! It will begin on May 3 in the Village Center through May 25, and will be on display in the Village Commons from May 25 through June 30. So make sure to visit the exhibit and register for Blair's photography class on Thursday, May 27th! Light refreshments will be served during the class.**

Please welcome your friends and family to visit this fascinating exhibit as well during the months of May and June!

SERVICE PROJECTS

A01. "SERVICE DAY!" (With the Agape Center of Messiah College)

Date: Thursday, April 15, 2010

Time: 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

***Van departs from Messiah Village, Village Commons promptly at 8:30 a.m.**

Location: Messiah College

Enrollment Limit: None

Description: Messiah College is planning its tenth annual "Service Day" for April 15, 2010 and all interested Pathways participants are welcome to join with students, faculty, and staff in serving others in need! Several highly rewarding project opportunities include **Caitlin Smiles** and the **Special Olympics**. So if you would like to assemble craft project kits for hospitalized children facing chronic or life-threatening conditions, or be a Buddy to a Special Olympics athlete, please consider lending a hand on Service Day.

A complimentary boxed lunch will be provided to all involved. Van transportation will be provided from Messiah Village leaving at 8:30 a.m. and will return by 1:30 p.m.

A02. "TABITHA'S – MAKING HATS & SCARVES FOR OTHERS IN NEED!"

Date(s): This project will occur during the fall & winter 2009 - 2010

Time: 5:30 p.m. monthly on the first Friday of each month.

Location: Terrace Room, Messiah Village

Enrollment Limit: None

Description: "Tabitha's" is a student initiated Outreach Team of Messiah College students that was formed around the mission to craft hats and scarves through knitting and crocheting.

Once completed, the hats and scarves are donated to homeless shelters, soup kitchens, and other distribution centers in the Harrisburg area....and participants will visit one of these sites to learn about their mission and the people who will receive the items. Those involved with "Tabitha's" are open to learning more about their crafts, and to thinking about new ways to contribute in helping homeless individuals beyond the cold winter months.

Pathways members are invited to join in on making these craft items, to delivering them to those in need, and learning a lot in the process! This special project offers an excellent opportunity for intergenerational activity and interaction as well.

*Please contact the Pathways Institute Coordinator if you are interested in becoming involved in this unique service learning project.

Please Note: New courses and special events are sometimes added to the Pathways Institute schedule after catalogs are printed. Updated information about new opportunities will be available at the Pathways Institute Office and will also be posted on the Pathways Institute website: www.thepathwaysinstitute.org.

Many wonderful opportunities are provided through partnerships with Messiah College, the Susquehanna Art Museum, The Harrisburg Symphony, and Whitaker Center for Science and the Arts among others.

Please stay tuned for more information!



"AFTERNOON WITH THE ARTS!"

Date: Sunday, May 2, 2010

Time: 12:00 noon – 5:30 p.m. (Trip)
(See Detailed Schedule Below)

**Location: Whitaker Center for Science & the Arts; Harrisburg Symphony
Orchestra Concert at the Forum, Harrisburg, PA**

Enrollment Limit: 30

Cost Per Person: \$25.00

Description: Bus will depart from Messiah Village at 12:00 noon and drive directly to the **Whitaker Center for Science & the Arts** in Harrisburg with an arrival time of approximately 12:30 p.m.

1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.: The **Whitaker Center for Science & the Arts** will be the first stop of the afternoon where guests will see the spectacular IMAX show, *Titanica*, a fascinating non-fiction drama which tells the story of a 1991 expedition to the wreck of the *Titanic*, the "unsinkable" luxury liner which collided with an iceberg and sank on April 15, 1912, with the loss of 1,522 lives. Viewers experience the adventure, drama and danger of deep sea exploration through the activities of an international expedition team composed of unique and colorful characters, each with their own personal interest in the legendary wreck. *Titanica* brings to life a remarkable tale of history, science and human ambition. Following the show, guests are welcome to visit the Wonders gift shop or enjoy a refreshing beverage at Starbucks!

2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.: At 2:30 p.m., the bus will transport the group to the beautiful **Forum** for a **Harrisburg Symphony Orchestra** (HSO) Pops concert titled "**The Great American Songbook**" to round out this outstanding day! Hilary Kole and Joel Malina will join the orchestra in a tribute to the Great American Songbook. This special concert will take guests on a trip "over the rainbow" with the sweet songs of Cole Porter, George Gershwin and Harold Arlen.

The HSO concert begins promptly at 3:00 p.m., so everyone needs to arrive at the Forum by 2:40 p.m. at latest. A designated block of seating will be reserved for Pathways Institute guests. The concert will end by 5:30 p. m. at latest, and the bus will return to Messiah Village by approximately 6:00 p.m.

Cost for bus transportation to participants is \$6.00 per person, payable on day of event.

Parking is available in the Walnut Street Garage for anyone choosing to drive.

Please inform the Pathways Institute office if additional accommodation is needed.

Pathways Institute For Lifelong Learning®

Spring 2010

Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning Purpose

Recognizing that older adults have much to celebrate, discover, and share, the Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning was established by Messiah Village to find meaningful use of their talents and abilities. The Pathways Institute provides older adults with opportunities to engage in mental, cultural and spiritual activities promoting their wellness. In pursuit of Lifelong Learning, the Institute focuses on three key components:

- Personal Development Path... Promotes continued learning opportunities, personal enhancement, and spiritual growth
- Service Path... Provides venues for seniors to share their knowledge, beliefs, and life experiences with others
- Legacy/Sharing Path... Fosters generativity of older adults through opportunities to pass on wit and wisdom for future generations

Messiah Village Mission

The Mission of Messiah Village is to "responsibly enhance the lives of older adults with Christ-like love." The organization adheres to a strong Health and Wellness Philosophy and embraces three Principles of Community Life: The Journey Together - celebrating hospitality, respect and participation; The Journey Inward - growing purpose, discovery and contentment; and The Journey Outward - sharing peace, wisdom and service.

Membership Information

Membership in the Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning is open to all adults aged 60 and older residing in the Capital Region. Fees range from **\$45 to \$65** per term (see membership form). This fee allows members to attend Pathways Institute classes and special cultural events, and to participate in service learning and legacy sharing opportunities.

A few special events may require an additional fee; however, these amounts will generally be discounted for groups of Pathways members. Other miscellaneous costs not included in Pathways Institute membership are books (if needed), transportation, supplies, and meals.

Other Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning membership benefits:

- On Pathways class days, members receive a 10% discount at the Fireside Grille, Messiah Village by showing their Pathways Institute membership card
- Information about special events and seminars at Messiah Village and partnering organizations
- Invitations and group discounts to special events and seminars
- Use of Messiah College's Murray Library with borrowing privileges at no cost
- Option to attend/sit in on Messiah College courses (possible additional fee). If interested in attending Messiah College courses as a Pathways Institute member, please contact the Pathways Institute office for available courses, dates, times, and registration details.

Spring 2010 -- Term Dates

- Wednesday, January 27, 2010 - - **"Spring Kickoff Reception!"**
- Wednesday, January 27, 2010 - - Registration Begins
- Monday, March 1, 2010 - - First day of classes and events
- Friday, May 28, 2010 - - Final day of classes and events
- Friday, May 28, 2010 - - **"Pathways Challenge!"**

Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning Membership Cards

Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning Membership Cards will be issued following receipt of your membership application. The Pathways Institute card must be shown to obtain a borrowing card at Messiah College's Murray Library, and to receive the Fireside Grille discount on class days.

Spring 2010 Term Registration Dates and Procedures

Membership and registration forms for the spring 2010 term will be accepted beginning, Wednesday, January 27, 2010 (or later until classes are filled).

Membership and registration forms can be mailed or delivered directly to the Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning Office at the address designated below, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Payment of the membership fee is due at time of registration and can be made by check, cash, or money order. Please use separate forms for each person.

Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning
Messiah Village
100 Mt. Allen Drive
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

Online registration is also an option. Please refer to the Pathways Institute catalog for complete details on courses and events when registering. To register online as well as to view and print an electronic version of the Pathways Institute catalog along with all registration forms please visit **www.thepathwaysinstitute.org**.

By registering online you must agree to send in your payment promptly to Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning. Please feel free to contact the Pathways Institute office if you need assistance.

Confirmation of courses and events in which each member is registered will be provided approximately one week prior to the start of classes on Monday, March 1, 2010 (or later for classes not filled).

Anyone enrolled who is unable to attend a course or event is asked to notify the Pathways Institute Coordinator as soon as possible, so that someone else may attend. Also, if during a term a Pathways member wishes to attend a class for which he or she is not registered, please call the Pathways Coordinator to see if space is available. As unique needs and situations come up, they will be considered individually. Please feel welcome to discuss any questions with the Pathways Coordinator regarding registration and scheduling.

A conference calling option will be available to Pathways Institute members who are unable to attend a class for which they are registered. Anyone wishing to register for a Pathways course, but due to other circumstances is not able to attend, may also request the conference calling option by contacting the Pathways Institute Coordinator.

If someone is considering becoming a member of the Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning, they are welcome to attend a class simply to try it out. Please contact the Pathways Institute office to inquire.

Pathways Institute members are encouraged to share their Pathways experiences with others. Inviting a friend to attend a course is one way members may share the Pathways Institute experience! Please contact the Pathways Institute office if you would like to "bring a friend" to class.

Cancellations and Delays

In the event of inclement weather, Pathways members can call the main reception desk of Messiah Village at 717-697-4666 to inquire if a course or event will be cancelled or delayed. Residents of Messiah Village can also check the campus TV channel, (channel 27) for this information.

Please note that courses and events are also subject to change and/or cancellation for other reasons unrelated to weather. If this occurs, individuals who are enrolled will be informed promptly. If possible, the course or event will be rescheduled.

Course and Event Information

Pathways Institute courses are non-degree courses. No credits are earned, no grades are assigned, and there are no tests or papers. The Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning operates on a two-term system, offering classes and events during the spring and fall. Courses are typically between 2 and 5 sessions in length, while some are one session only.

Information presented in courses or events is provided for educational purposes only, and is not representative of the Pathways Institute for Lifelong Learning or Messiah Village. The Pathways Institute provides a forum for education and lifelong learning through discussion and sharing in an open and objective environment.

Many special and unique cultural events are offered through partnerships with a variety of organizations in the Capital Region. Names and logos of these organizations are listed on the back cover of this catalog.

Field Trips

Some courses and events include field trips such as visits to museums or historical sites. Pathways Institute members who prefer not to use their own transportation may sign up for transportation through Messiah Village at a cost of \$4.00 per person for the van or \$6.00 per person for the bus. In order to use Messiah Village transportation for these trips, an *Acknowledgment Release & Waiver for Bus or Van Trips* must be signed at time of registration (see attached form). All requests for disability accommodation must be made at time of registration to ensure proper planning.

Classroom Locations and Parking

For the spring 2010 Pathways Institute term, most courses will be held at Messiah Village in one of the following locations:

- Community Room – Village Commons
- Galleria Room – Village Commons
- Terrace Room – Village Commons
- Allegheny Hobby Room – Village Commons
- Bailey Street Computer Lab – Village Center
- Chapel - - Village Center

Please refer to Messiah Village campus map for building locations and parking areas. Information about locations of the special off-campus courses, cultural events, and field trips is available under course descriptions.

Release Form for Photographs

Photographs are taken during classes and events primarily for use on bulletin boards and newsletters, so a Release Form is required for all participants including community members.

Gift Certificates

Gift certificates for Pathways Institute memberships are available at the Pathways Institute Office. Memberships are a great way to say “thanks” to a friend, or to celebrate a special occasion!

Dining Accommodations

Pathways Institute members are encouraged to continue discussions from class and become better acquainted over lunch. The Fireside Grille (open 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. daily) is located in close proximity to where most classes will be held. On class days, Pathways Institute members can receive a 10% discount when they present their membership cards.

The Paxton Street coffee shop is located in the main lobby of the Village Commons, and is open from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. during week days. Pathways Institute members can enjoy a delicious hot beverage and snack at this friendly spot, or purchase something to bring along to class!

Refunds

Refunds can be given up to the start of the fall term on Monday, March 1, 2010. After this date, no refunds can be given. However, every attempt will be made to work out other arrangements, such as taking another class, etc.

Service Learning

Pathways Institute members, who are interested in Service learning opportunities provided through Messiah College and other organizations, please contact the Pathways Institute Coordinator at the Pathways Institute Office.

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