

Diocese of Ballarat
Lay Pastoral Ministry Program

The following subjects are available in the online study program in the study cycles as indicated.
Please note registration for a subject closes one week before commencement of a study cycle. **Cycle starting 19th April is a 3 week only cycle.**

2020 Lay Pastoral Ministry Program Subjects	12 Jan	1 Mar	19 Apr	24 May	12 Jul	30 Aug	18 Oct
A Vision for Catholic Youth Ministry					✓		
Administration in Ministry						✓	
Advanced Catholic Social Teaching (SJ)	✓						
Autism in Faith Formation (SN 4)				✓			
Basic Catechist Formation: Seminar 1.1 (Catechesis is...)	✓		✓		✓		✓
Basic Catechist Formation: Seminar 1.2 (Vocations of a Catechist)		✓	✓			✓	
Bereavement Ministry: A Christian Perspective					✓		
Bible Basics	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Catholic Beliefs	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Catholic Identity and Culture			✓		✓		✓
Catholic Teaching on Chastity, Family Life, and Human Sexuality Education	✓		✓			✓	
Christology	✓				✓		
Chronic Illness: Mental Illness, Grief, Trauma Support an Counseling					✓	✓	
Church History 1	✓			✓		✓	
Church History 2		✓			✓		✓
Collaboration and Community						✓	
Communication and Community					✓		
Conscience		✓			✓		✓
Creative Methodologies: ADHD in Parish Life - Pastoral Implications (SN 3)					✓		
Designing and Implementing Adult Learning and Faith Formation (AFL 7)		✓					
Disability Across the Life Span: Prenatal Diagnosis – End of Life Care				✓			
Disabilities in Parish Life: An Overview (SN 1)		✓				✓	
Discovering Integral Ecology in Laudato Si		✓					
Ecclesiology: Beginnings of the Church	✓			✓		✓	
Ecclesiology: Pilgrim Church		✓			✓		
Ecclesiology: Reframing Church						✓	
Echoes of Racism: Whispers of Healing			✓	✓			
Emotional Intelligence and its Impact on Faith Formation	✓		✓		✓		
Evangelization and Discipleship							✓
Facilitating Adult Learning and Faith Formation (AFL 4)						✓	
Faith and Human Development	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Faith Formation for Adults with Special Needs (SN 5)							✓
Foundations and Vision for Adult Learning and Faith Formation (AFL 1)		✓					
Foundations for Liturgy	✓			✓		✓	
Fundamentals in Deaf Faith Formation Methodologies (SN 2)	✓					✓	
Galatians		✓			✓		
Gaudete Et Exsultate (Apostolic Exhortation - Rejoice and Be Glad – Call to Holiness)	✓						
History of Catholic Social Action (SJ)		✓					
Images of Jesus	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Introduction to Catechesis	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Introduction to Christian Morality	✓			✓		✓	
Introduction to Liturgy		✓			✓		✓
Introduction to Pastoral Care		✓					
Introduction to Paul's Life and Letters	✓			✓			
Introduction to Practical Morality	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Introduction to Prayer	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓

Introduction to Scripture	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Introduction to the Sacraments of Initiation					✓		
Islam						✓	
Leadership in Ministry					✓		
Leadership Roles and Skills for Adult Learning and Faith Formation (AFL 5)							✓
Many Faces of Adult Learners (AFL 3)					✓		
Marianist Studies: Community				✓			
Marianist Studies: Mary, Holy Possibility	✓					✓	
Marianist Studies: Prayer		✓					✓
Mary in Scripture and Tradition		✓					✓
Mercy			✓				✓
Ministering in Times of Scandals and Divisions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Moral Injury: When Our Pain Blocks God's Joy						✓	
Music in Liturgy	✓			✓		✓	
New Testament	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Old Testament	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
On Bended Knee			✓		✓		
Our Hearts Were Burning	✓	✓	✓				✓
Overview of the GDC and NDC							
Parish and Social Action (SJ)	✓					✓	
Parish as a Learning Community (AFL 2)				✓			
Pastoral Approach to Culture				✓			
Pastoral Letter: Blessed are the Merciful			✓				
Pastoral Letter: Go Forth! I am with You Always			✓				
Pastoral Letter: My Grace is Sufficient			✓				
Planning Youth Ministry Events	✓				✓		
Poverty in the U.S. and Around the World				✓			
Prayer and Worship with Adolescents		✓					✓
Praying With Children	✓					✓	
Principles for Addressing Diversity Issues in Youth Ministry				✓			
Prophets						✓	
RCIA	✓				✓		
Reflections on Faith and Finance	✓			✓			
Relational Ministry with Youth	✓					✓	
Romero: Pastor, Martyr and Saint			✓				
Sacrament of Marriage: A Holy Calling	✓						
Sacraments	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓
Scripture and Justice (SJ)					✓		
Spirituality in Adult Learning and Faith Formation (AFL 6)	✓						
Study of The Joy of the Gospel (Evangelii Gaudium)	✓					✓	
Survey of Catholic Doctrine	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓
Survey of Catholic Social Teaching	✓			✓			
The Mass	✓			✓		✓	
The Parish Nurse as Counsellor and Spiritual Companion							✓
The Parish Nurse: Facilitating Wholistic Health Through the Lifespan		✓					
Theological Reflection: Key to Connecting Faith and Life			✓				✓
Understanding Culture in Ministry: Building Bridges		✓					
Veteran and Military Family Outreach	✓						
Vocation to Ministry				✓			
Vocation, Spirituality and Discipleship of Catechists	✓				✓		✓