

# PERSONAL ENRICHMENT

## FACES OF SPIRITUALITY SERIES: "Francis of Assisi - A New Way of Being Christian"

*William Short, OFM*

This year marks the 800th anniversary of the formal founding of the Franciscan order. Author, international speaker and professor of Christian spirituality, William Short, OFM, will reflect on the spirit of Francis of Assisi and Franciscan values that are as relevant today as they were then: reverence for all of creation, commitment to the poor and simplicity of life.

When: Thursday, November 12, 2009, 7:30 to 9 p.m.  
Where: Salomon Hall, Bishop Maher Hall, USD.  
Fee: Pre-registration \$10; \$15 at the door; Students, free with I.D.; Faculty and Staff are half price.



## CHRIST IN EVOLUTION

ILIA DELIO



Foreword by John F. Haught

## Book Discussion: *Christ in Evolution*

*By Ilia Delio, OSF*

In preparation for Ilia Delio's keynote address on February 11, 2010, join with others to probe her challenging and fascinating book, *Christ in Evolution*.

When: Tuesday, December 1, 2009, 5 to 6:15 p.m.  
Where: Salomon Hall, Bishop Maher Hall, USD.  
Fee: Registration \$10; Students with I.D., Faculty and Staff are free.

Co-Sponsored with the Center for Educational Excellence.

## "Staying Awake: Some Advent Attitudes"

*Annic Callaban, RSCJ*

This session will explore how Jesus and the early church prayed in daily life and how we can pray in our daily lives. It will combine input, prayer, time for reflection, and faith sharing.

When: Saturday, December 5, 2009, 9 a.m. to noon.  
Where: Salomon Hall, Bishop Maher Hall, USD.  
Fee: Pre-registration \$15; \$20 at the door; Students, free with I.D.; Faculty and Staff are half price.



# ACADEMIC

## Introduction to Spiritual Direction Course One

This course, open to all, offers a basic overview of spiritual direction, its history, components and various models.

When: Wednesdays, September 2 - December 9, 2009,  
5:30 to 8:30 p.m.  
Where: Bishop Maher Hall, Room 224, USD.  
Fee: \$825 per course.

This is the first course of the two year/four course Spiritual Direction Certificate program. Those wishing to complete the full certificate program should contact Sr. Barbara Quinn, RSCJ, at (619) 260-4785.



# PROFESSIONAL



## Business Leadership and Spirituality Breakfast Seminar

Tough times in business may be precisely the time to turn to spirituality, the deep values that anchor and guide us as we navigate the challenges of everyday life. Join with other business leaders to examine and strengthen trustworthy principles, to discover new paradigms of attitude, thought and action, and to find and offer support as we create new responses to a rapidly changing world.

When: Tuesdays, September 29 - November 17, 2009,  
7:15 to 9 a.m.  
Where: Salomon Hall, Bishop Maher Hall, USD.  
Fee: \$350 per person (discounted from \$395 in light of the recession); continental breakfast included; \$300 for each additional person from the same company or organization.

# SOCIAL JUSTICE

## SIGNS OF THE TIMES DIALOGUE: "Option for the Poor"

*Keynote Speaker: William R. Headley, C.S.Sp.,  
Dean, USD Joan B. Kroc School of Peace Studies*

The ranks of the world's poor swell in these difficult economic times. The commitment to care for the poor, a value so entrenched in Catholic Social Thought, may seem more difficult to honor as many feel the daily strain to make ends meet. Gather with others to explore the complexity of this central value and to explore ways to remain faithful to our care for the most vulnerable.

When: Thursday, October 1, 2009, 7 to 9 p.m.  
Where: Hahn University Center, Forum A/B, USD.  
Fee: Pre-registration \$10; \$15 at the door; Students, free with I.D.; Faculty and Staff are half price.

