

The Book of Judges

Course Description

In this online course, we will study the Old Testament book of Judges. We will try to read Judges "as if for the first time," paying close attention to what the biblical text actually says and what it might mean. We will consult commentaries and other resources for information about the ancient world and what the Church has thought about this book of the Bible, in an effort to become better equipped for biblically grounded ministry. Students will be expected to read and think about assigned biblical and other texts, to participate in online class discussion, and to learn a bit of the biblical Hebrew language relevant to our study. Students will complete a group study project to engage more deeply with some aspect of the book of Judges, demonstrating effective use of resources such as Bible dictionaries and commentaries, and ability to use the Bible in ministry.

For more information, please visit:

<http://www.read-the-bible.org/SVMC-Judges.htm>

Instructor



Susan Jeffers is a graduate of the Earlham School of Religion (Quaker) with an M.A. in Biblical Studies. She teaches as adjunct faculty for Bethany Theological Seminary, Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center and Earlham School of Religion in Biblical Studies and Quaker Studies.

She has taught on-line courses for SVMC for a number of years. She is a member of Ann Arbor Friends Meeting in Michigan. Susan enjoys traveling extensively.

Schedule

The course will be held on line from September 28 through November 6, 2009.

Participants

This course is offered at the Academy level and is open to Brethren Academy students (TRIM and EFSM), lay persons and pastors.

For TRIM students, successful completion of this course will earn one CEQ/Academy level unit in Biblical Studies.

Ordained Pastors will earn two continuing education credits after successful completion of this course.

Registration Form
The Book of Judges
an On-Line Course

September 28
through
November 6, 2009

Name: _____

District: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Email: _____

I will be taking this course for:

TRIM Credit _____ \$250.00

Cont. Ed. Certificate ** _____ \$250.00
**Ordained Pastors

Sit-in/Personal Growth _____
\$125.00

Mail this registration form and fee
prior to September 18, 2009 to:

Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center
One Alpha Drive
Elizabethtown PA 17022

Clip Registration Form on opposite page
and return via US Mail to:

Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center
One Alpha Drive
Elizabethtown PA 17022

Course fee: \$250.00

Sit-in fee: \$125.00

Please make check payable to:

Susquehanna Valley Ministry Center

If registration is received once all
available class seats are assigned,
your fee will be refunded.
Mail the form early!

For more information contact:

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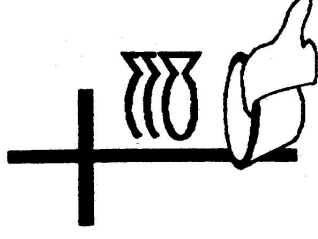
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on

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Judges*

with

Susan Jeffers
as Instructor