

*Open my eyes  
that I may  
behold  
wondrous  
things out of  
your law.*

*- Psalm 119:18*

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SBS Electives July 22 – August 5

**Summer 2018**

## *Poet-Pastors—Their Lives, Hymns & Impact \*WC-201*

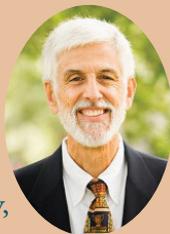
**Nathan George,  
Pastor of Worship,  
CHRIST COVENANT CHURCH**



The Lord has used poet-pastors and musicians to shape both our worship and theology for generations. We will explore the lives of several writers, both their joys and struggles. Plus, we will take a look at how their poetry contributes to our spiritual heritage, as well as our continued growth in the gospel.

## *America's Three Great Revivals \*CLC 1&2*

**Dr. Don Fortson, Professor of  
Church History at RTS**



These sessions will review three significant revivals in American history, and how these movements shaped both the nation and the church. Special attention will be given to Presbyterian participation in the 18th C. Great Awakening, the Second Great Awakening of the early 19th C. and the mid-20th C. evangelical revival led by Billy Graham.

## *Witness to the World \*CLC 5*

**Zach Fulginiti, Executive  
Director, Campus Outreach  
Charlotte & Team**



There's a word that strikes fear into almost every Christian's heart these days... evangelism. It seems as if so many in the church are utterly afraid of the idea of being a witness to our friends, family, neighbors. But evangelism doesn't have to be so scary! This three-week course will focus on the heart of engaging our non-believing friends with the Good News of Jesus Christ. Be strengthened in your perspective and learn some of the practicals for being a witness to the world around us.

## *Overcoming Sexual Sin Through Community \*WC-211*

**Rev. Tim Geiger &  
Ellen Dykas of **



How can you help someone struggling sexually? The Body of Christ is the answer. It's only within the context of the Body that we mature spiritually, and begin to walk in authentic, life-changing repentance. But, it requires other members of the Body to work alongside us in authentic relationship. This brief series will look at what it looks like to minister to other Christians who struggle sexually: through friendship, discipleship, and accountability. This content will focus on helping those wrestling with sexual sin patterns, but is applicable to any pattern of sin experienced by any Christian.

## *Church, Politics & Christian Citizenship—The Cultural Mandate & the Kingdom of God \*CLC Chapel*

**Craig Seibert, Director of the  
Institute for Christian Citizenship  
& Statesmanship**



This series will explore: The Cultural Mandate given in the Garden of Eden, Cultivating a Biblical Worldview of All of Life, The Four Structures of a Healthy Society, The Original Design of the American Experiment, The State of Society Today, A Christian Response to be Salt and Light to Culture, The Difference between Civics and Politics, and Where Do We Go From Here?

## *A Beautiful Faith: Art & Culture in the Covenant Community \*CLC 6*

**Dwayne Cogdill, Veteran  
Graphic Designer**



This class will look at who God is and how that relates to our views of beauty and meaning. We will look at examples of art in the Bible, and take a short tour of church art history. We will consider three common Christian approaches to culture. Finally, we will consider the Reformed view of culture and how this is a vital part of loving God and our neighbor.

## *Christians Reaching Muslims, and Muslims Reaching Jesus \*CLC 3&4*

**Rev. Ken L.**

Some think of it as “Mission Impossible” [some of you under 40 may need to Google that]. The TV program always started with some version of “Your mission, Jim, should you decide to accept it, is...” We might call our three weeks together “Walls, Windows, and Open Doors,” or “Imagining, Seeing, and Experiencing.” Most of us are stuck imagining, based on fairly limited “news flashes” designed to get our attention or sell a product. Weeks two and three, and what you “decide to accept” will be critical to “seeing” and “experiencing.”

*....that in everything He  
might be preeminent*

