

Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary of California Lutheran University

Fall 2020 Life and Learning Together Week (includes Orientation Modules on Moodle, Zoom Sessions, and Classes)

Preparation

Prior to Life and Learning Together Week:

- *make an appointment with your advisor to introduce yourself via Zoom and to discuss your program, candidacy/licensure, and registration;*
- *complete the orientation modules on Moodle (available mid-August); and,*
- *submit questions on Moodle to be addressed in the Friday, 4 September 2020 Zoom orientation sessions.*

Move In is available beginning 29 August 2020. Contact housing@plts.edu to schedule a move in time. Please mark the dates below on your calendar. Thursday's in-person events and Monday's watch party are optional. The remaining online events are required for all students. Zoom links for each day will be included in the Moodle modules.

Safety in the time of COVID

We expect that all participants at in-person events will wear masks covering their noses and mouths and will keep appropriate physical distance from others in order to prevent the spread of COVID. All community members are required to abide by the CLU compact regarding health and safety during this pandemic.

Thursday, 3 September 2020 – In Person

Relationship Building

Optional for those residing in Berkeley

- 2:00 pm Downtown Berkeley, UC-Berkeley Tour, and GTU: Civic Life, Art, Green Spaces, Food, etc.
- 5:30 pm Rooftop Social Hour with a light dinner and beverages with Admissions + Student Services

Friday, 4 September 2020 – Online

Program and Relationship Building

Required for all incoming students via Zoom

- 9:00 am Welcome and Opening Remarks from the Rector and the Academic Dean of PLTS of CLU
Dr. Ray Pickett and Dr. Alicia Vargas
- 9:15 am Q+A with the Associate Dean for Academic and Student Affairs of PLTS of CLU
Dr. Leslie Veen
- 10:00 am Break
- 10:15 am Talking All Things Registration with the Registrar's Office of CLU
Ms. Lorraine Purmort

- 10:45 am Talking All Things Money with the Accounting Office of PLTS of CLU
Mr. Aaron Greig
- 11:00 am Break
- 11:15am Community Worship
- 12:00 pm Virtual Lunch with faculty and staff of PLTS of CLU
- 2:00 pm Talking All Things Moodle with the Director of Digital Learning for the GTU
Dr. Diandra Erikson
- 3:00 pm Introduction to Student Association and Student Groups + Wrap up for the Day
Dr. Leslie Veen and Student Reps

Monday, 7 September 2020 – Online

Relationship Building

Optional for all students

- 6:30 pm Watch Party of “The Last Black Man in San Francisco” with Zoom Chat

Tuesday, September 8, 2020 – Online

Classes

Required for all students

- All Day Classes

- 2:00-4:00pm FT-1203/FT-8103 Academic Theological Writing and Researching including meeting the
Cal Lutheran Writing Center

Wednesday, September 9, 2020 – Online

Community Day

Required for all students

- 8:30 am Spiritual Care Team - Self-Care & Wellness Resources
- 9:00 am Spiritual Care Groups
- 11:00 am Chapel [**All Community**]
- 12:00pm Virtual Lunch
- 2:00pm GTU Library Use & Search Orientation

Thursday, September 10, 2020 – Online

Classes

Required for all students

All Day

Classes

Friday, September 11, 2020 – Online

Classes and Recreation

All Day

Classes – *Required for all students*

5:00pm

Evening Prayer & Welcome Dinner [**All Community**] – *Encouraged for all*

In Person at Lutheran Church of the Cross Parking Lot (1744 University Ave) or online via Zoom

Saturday, September 12, 2020

Classes

Half Day

Classes – *Required for all students in SP-8100 Foundations in Xian Spirituality*