Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology

HSTD 6202

History of Christianity II

Course for Spring 2016

Day: Tuesday

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Location: Alfieri Hall



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This course will allow students to journey through the development of Christianity from the time of Reformation to the present day. Moreover, this course will also utilize primary source materials and audiovisual presentations so that students may have a better historical perspective of these time periods.

Rev. Msgr. Robert J. Wister, Hist.Eccl.D., Professor of Church History, earned his S.T.M in American Christianity from Union Theological Seminary in New York City. His graduate studies at the Gregorian focused on the interaction of the Holy See and the Catholic Church in the United States and the diplomatic interaction of the Holy See and the United States government. He has taught Church History at Immaculate Conception Seminary School of Theology since 1980, with the exception of five years during which he served as executive director of the Seminary Department of the National Catholic Educational Association in Washington, DC. His research interests focus on the history of Catholicism in America, the art and architecture of American church buildings, and the diplomatic activities of the Holy See.