



CLERGY SPIRITUAL LIFE AND LEADERSHIP:  
*GOING DEEPER*  
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*Please provide 2 copies of the complete application, including the essay and a \$45 non-refundable application fee, payable to Shalem.*

Application Deadline: March 15, 2012

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
Home City, State Zip

Work City, State Zip

PHONES \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Work e-mail

RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION \_\_\_\_\_  
(Denomination & Community/Congregation)

CURRENT POSITION \_\_\_\_\_

LENGTH OF TIME IN THIS POSITION \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER OF YEARS ORDAINED \_\_\_\_\_

SHALEM PARTICIPATION, IF ANY: (Events attended, Shalem authors read or heard) \_\_\_\_\_

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HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS PROGRAM? (e.g., personal referral? ad in a periodical? web site?)  
PLEASE BE SPECIFIC.

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ARE YOU APPLYING FOR SCHOLARSHIP ASSISTANCE? NO \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_  
IF YES, PLEASE ENCLOSE THE SCHOLARSHIP FORM WITH THIS APPLICATION.



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### Application Essay

Please provide **two copies** of a short essay (no more than two single-spaced or three double-spaced pages) that includes answers to the following questions:

- What is going on between God and you that makes you feel that the Clergy Spiritual Life and Leadership Program might be right for you at this time?
- What kinds of learning and development would you hope for in this program related to your spiritual life and leadership?
- If you have participated in any continuing education programs for clergy before, what would you hope would be the same or different in this one?
- If you have participated in any spiritual support programs/groups before, what would you hope would be the same or different in this one?
- What is already in place in terms of spiritual support (spiritual director, support groups, prayer/meditation practice, etc.)?
- What is your sense of acceptance and support from those with whom you live and pray (family, religious community, church, etc.) for your participation in the program?
- What other non-Shalem programs, if any, are you considering along with this one? If accepted, why would you choose this program versus some other one?

*Please return completed application form to:*

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