

Wisdom Calling: A Conference on Local Formation

Feb. 8-10, Camp Weed, Florida

Schedule of events:

Thursday, Feb. 8

- 4:30pm Reception
- 5:45 Welcome and orientation: Bishop John Howard, Diocese of Florida
The Rev. Cn. Jordan Hylden, *The Living Church*
- 6:00 Dinner
- 7:00 “The Purpose of Theological Education: A Conversation on Local Formation”
Bishop George Sumner, Diocese of Dallas (former Dean, Wycliffe College)
Bishop J. Neil Alexander, Dean, The School of Theology, University of the South (former bishop diocesan, Atlanta)
- 8:30 Compline
Social time to follow

Friday, Feb. 9

- 7:30am Morning Prayer
- 8:00 Breakfast
- 9:00 *Seminary from home: The distance learning model*
Dr. Garwood Anderson, *Nashotah House*
Dr. Jason Fout, *Bexley Seabury*
- 10:30 Break
- 10:45 Seminary at home: The multi-diocesan local formation model
Dr. John Lewis, *Iona Initiative and Seminary of the Southwest*
Dr. Don Compier, *Bishop Kemper School for Ministry*
- 12:15 Noonday prayer
- 12:30 Lunch

1:45 *Beyond ordained ministry: Lay ministry, continuing education, and dimensions of the diocesan school model*

Dr. Douglas Dupree, Diocese of Florida

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3:15 Break

3:30 Case studies: Small group conversation

5:00 Break

5:30 Evening Prayer

6:00 Dinner

Keynote speaker: *Seminary and church together in the UK*

Dr. Jane Williams, *St. Mellitus College*

Response: *Seminary and church together in the US: Wisdom Year at GTS*

The Rev. Emily Wachner, *General Theological Seminary*

8:30 Compline

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Saturday, Feb. 10

7:30 Morning Prayer

8:00 Breakfast

9:00 Keynote speaker: Towards the future of theological education

Dr. Daniel Aleshire, retired executive director,

Association of Theological Schools

10:15 Break

10:45 Closing panel

12:00 Noonday Prayer

12:15 Lunch