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Master of
Theological Studies

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THEO 504 Christian Ethics

Fridays, 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. and Saturdays, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
January 25, 26, February 1, 2, 15, 16, March 1, 2

This class will meet at the Santa Maria de la Vid Abbey Library Seminar Room.

This course will examine the foundations of Christian Ethics and Catholic Moral Theology. The study will include the development of a method consistent with the role of a disciple of Jesus and attempt to apply the method to specific issues such as nuclear war, bioethical issues and economic and racial social justice.



Rev. Dr. Frank Yates

Dr. Frank Yates graduated from Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary in 1975 with an M.Div. He later earned a B.A. in Philosophy from the University of Texas, Austin, did graduate work in philosophy at Texas A&M and earned a D. Min. from Austin Seminary in 1984. He currently teaches in the Religious Studies Program (Theology and New Testament) at UNM. He also teaches Philosophical Ethics and Theology at Lewis University in Albuquerque.



Rev. Stephen Gaertner, O.Praem.

A member of the Norbertine Community of Santa Maria de la Vid Abbey, Fr. Stephen Gaertner is a magna cum laude graduate in English (1998) from St. Norbert College in De Pere, WI. He earned both his MA (2002) and PhD (2015) in English from Michigan State University and completed an M. Div. at the Catholic Theological Union in Chicago in 2016. His ministerial experience has included work with refugees through Catholic Charities, in ex-offender programs, and in campus and parish ministry. He currently teaches at Central New Mexico Community College in Albuquerque.

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