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**PASTORAL THEOLOGY EDUCATOR, PASTORAL COUNSELOR, CONSULTANT
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Professional Education and Licensure

Anglican Studies Program, Candler School of Theology, **Emory University** (1998-2001)
Emory University Psychoanalytic Institute/Atlanta Psychoanalytic Society,
Atlanta, Georgia; Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Training Program, 1999-2000
Ph.D. (with Honors); Vanderbilt University, Graduate School, Nashville, TN;
Religion and Personality (2001)
Post-Graduate MFT Certificate, University of Georgia, Athens, GA; Marriage and
Family Therapy; 1997
M.Div.; Vanderbilt University Divinity School, Nashville, TN (1986)
B.A.; Rhodes College, Memphis, TN.; Psychology/Biology (1977)

Professional Affiliations

***Ordained Priest**: Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta, Priest Associate, **Cathedral of St. Philip**,
Atlanta, Georgia (Ordained 12 November 2001)
***Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist**, State of Georgia, License.# MFT000823
***AAMFT Approved Supervisor**; #71559
* **Diplomate**: The **American Association of Pastoral Counselors**
***CREDO Faculty** (2012) <http://www.episcopalcredo.org/>
*Pastoral Counselors Association of Georgia; Vice-President, Board of Directors (2001-Present)
*Care and Counseling Centers of Georgia; Executive Committee, Board of Governors (formerly
GAPC/Verdery), (2001-2007)
*Board of Advisors—Northside Hospital Pastoral Services
*St. Lukes' Episcopal Training and Counseling Center; CPE Board of Advisors
*American Academy of Religion, Member
*Board Member-Atlanta Foundation for Psychoanalysis
*Editorial Board, "Sacred Spaces—AAPC Online Journal"
*Chairperson, Theological and Social Concerns Committee, AAPC Southeast Region, 2001-
2007

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Positions

Columbia Theological Seminary	Senior Lecturer, Pastoral Counseling and Pastoral Theology; ThD Program Co-Director (1999-2015)
Brookwood Center for Psychotherapy Atlanta, Georgia	Pastoral Counseling/Marriage and Family Therapy 2002—Present
Priest Associate Cathedral of St. Philip	2004—Present
CREDO Faculty http://www.episcopalcredo.org/ (Mental Health Faculty)	2012—Present
Deacon Formation Program Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta Instructor in Pastoral Care	2001—Present
Training and Professional Education Program Care and Counseling Center of Georgia	Clinical Seminar Faculty/Supervisor 1999-Present
Candler School of Theology Emory University Atlanta, GA	Adjunct Instructor of Pastoral Theology and Counseling 1996--1999
Assistant Priest Holy Family Episcopal Church Jasper, Georgia	2001-2004
St. James' Episcopal Church Marietta, Georgia	Transitional Deacon 2001-2002
Atlanta Therapy Associates Atlanta, Georgia	Individual and Family Therapy 1997- 2001
St. Andrew Counseling Center The Church of St. Andrew (PCUSA) Atlanta, GA	Individual and Family Therapy, Parish Education and Consultation 1991- 1997
United HealthCare Corporation	Senior Therapist / Regional Training

United Behavioral Systems Atlanta, GA	Liaison; Outpatient Assessment and Therapy, 1990 – 1997
Williamson County Mental Health Center Franklin, TN	Individual and Family Therapy 1988 – 1990
Pastoral Counseling and Consultation Centers of Tennessee, Inc. Nashville, TN	Individual and Family Therapy 1988 – 1990
Christ Episcopal Church Nashville, TN 1987 – 1990	Individual and Family Therapy, Pastoral Care; Education; Lay Ministry
The Divinity School, Vanderbilt University Nashville, TN	Teaching Assistant Pastoral Counseling and Psychology of Religion, 1987-91
Gwinnett, Newton, Rockdale Mental Health Lawrenceville, GA	Emergency Services Clinician 1986 – 1987
Egleston Hospital of Emory University Atlanta, GA	Clinical Pastoral Education January – May 1986
Middle Tennessee Mental Health Institute Nashville, TN	Chaplain 1983 – 1985

Present Professional Responsibilities

Senior Clinical Lecturer of Pastoral Theology and Counseling, Columbia Seminary

Develop and teach introductory and advanced, clinical classes in pastoral care and counseling for students in the M.Div., Th.M., D.Min. and other programs. Teach basic and advanced courses in the ATA/Th.D program in Pastoral Counseling. Committee and Administrative duties as needed, including search committees, admissions, advanced degrees, Faculty Executive, and other committee service. I currently serve as Chair of the Pastoral Theology committee.

Therapy and Consultation Services, Brookwood Center for Psychotherapy

Provide individual, family, and group therapy for clients; work with various churches and other organizations to provide therapy and consultation services.

Priest Associate, Cathedral of St. Philip, Atlanta, Georgia

Weekly liturgical duties including preaching and presiding for our 7-8 daily services; I teach a variety of Adult Education classes (Confirmation; Spirituality and Prayer; Poetry and the Spiritual Life) ; Active at the Diocesan level as **faculty** in the *Deaconate Training Program*, *Safeguarding God's Children*, and as Consultant/Liaison to the Cathedral Counseling Center.

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CREDO Psychological Health Faculty

Provide didactics, individual consultations, and participate in the full spectrum of activities in these 8-day clergy wellness retreats designed to sustain healthy practices in ministry. www.episcopalcredo.org/

Past Professional Responsibilities

Priest Assistant, Holy Family Episcopal Church, Jasper, Georgia

Provided weekly preaching, liturgical leadership, pastoral care, and Adult Christian Education in a mid-sized mountain parish of the Diocese of Atlanta. Involved in creation of Lay Ministry in Pastoral Care.

Therapy and Consultation Services, St. Andrew Counseling Center

Provided pastoral counseling services in a parish-based center at a PCUSA suburban church. Participated in parish and Community education / workshops.

Senior Therapist / Regional Training Liaison, United Behavioral Systems

Provided outpatient assessment and therapy services, crisis intervention, and on-call Services; reviewed treatment plans from contracted providers for authorization of Services; active in providing supervision and continuing education for staff.

Staff Therapist, Williamson County Mental Health Center

Provided outpatient therapy services for a community mental health center while engaged in doctoral studies at Vanderbilt. Participated in clinical supervision and decision-making for all programs, including child, adolescent, and adult. Participated in community education and public relations; participated in Inservice provision and quality improvement monitoring.

Staff Therapist, Pastoral Counseling and Consultation Centers of Tennessee, Inc.

Provided outpatient individual, couples, and family therapy in a pastoral care center. Participated in clinical supervision, both individually and in a group context. Involved in community and church education through presentation of seminars and groups.

Staff Pastoral Therapist, Christ Episcopal Church, Nashville, TN.

Provision of outpatient individual, couples, and family therapy in a church setting. Included Pre-marital counseling as well as counseling in a homeless shelter for men. Participated on a Diocesan Committee on human sexuality, providing a series of workshops.

Emergency Services Clinician, Gwinnett, Newton, Rockdale Counties

In this context I provided on-call consultation for a tri-county mental health system, including phone and Face-to-face assessment. I worked closely with emergency room and jail staff; Involvement in weekly clinical supervision at the Gwinnett Mental Health Center.

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Professional Development

I have provided leadership for ongoing church and community presentations in areas such as seasonal depression, conflict management, human sexuality, literature and personality, parenting skills, and Object Relations Theory and its relation to religious studies. Research interests have included: Theoretical and practical application of Resilience to clergy, church, and institutional settings; The development of Lay Pastoral Care ministry; Relationship between theological theory and practice (praxis); Exploring relationships between ego-identity and faith; Pastoral care of elderly men; I am applying the work of D. W. Winnicott to clinical care provision, especially his contributions to Object Relations Theory; I enjoy identifying the ethical and religious dimensions of literature and film. I have remained involved in clinical supervision with various mentors throughout my professional career, and I am currently a Diplomate in the American Association of Pastoral Counselors, and an Approved Supervisor in the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapists.

Honors

Key Contributor Award, United Behavioral Systems, 1991 and 1994
Vanderbilt University Select Scholarship, 1987 – 1991
Folkerth / Faculty Merit Scholar, Vanderbilt Divinity School, 1984 – 1985
Omicron Delta Kappa Outstanding Sophomore Award, Rhodes College, 1974 – 1975
Board of Trustees, Student Representative, Rhodes College, 1976 – 1977
President of the Honor Council, Rhodes College, 1976 – 1977
Varsity Track and Field, Rhodes College, 1975 – 1977
Who's Who in American Colleges / Universities, Rhodes College, 1977

Personal and Family

My wife Vicky and I have been married 34 years. Vicky is a Clinical Nurse Specialist and Hospital Administrator, and a graduate of the doctoral program in Healthcare Administration at the Medical University of South Carolina. Our older son Justin, age 30, is a graduate of Emory University and Vanderbilt University (M.Div.) and a graduate of the joint Environmental Science/Law program at the University of Montana. He works as an Associate at Crowley and Fleck, in Billings. Our son Andrew (25) is graduate of Duke University, majoring in Biology and Art. He is an alumni of the Georgetown University Post-Baccalaureate Pre-Medical Program currently applying to medical schools.

I enjoy reading, creative writing, and outdoor recreation. 2014 marked my 38th consecutive Peachtree Road Race. I am a veteran of 8 marathons, including New York and Boston, and numerous half-marathons and 10K races. I enjoy mountain biking and sea kayaking, and spent 8 days in the summer of 2007 on a mindfulness meditation wilderness sea kayaking expedition in the Tebenkof Bay National Forest, Southeast Alaska. In 2009 I joined my two sons in an attempt to Climb Mt. Baker, in the Cascades. I am passionate about environmental issues, specifically the relationship between faith, environment, and finding “the sacred in creation.” I am currently working with Kanuga Conference Center to establish a Trail Conservancy. I have recently joined the Board of Advisors at St. Mary's/Sewanee.

References available upon request

Presentations, Consultations, Publications, and Classes***Rev. J. William Harkins, PhD, LMFT, AAMFT Approved Supervisor***

Bill Harkins was the guest homilist and leader for Consecration Sunday at Holy Family Episcopal Church in Jasper, Georgia; In January, he presented a workshop on Family Systems Theory for the Community of Hope, a group of Lay Pastoral Care Givers at St. Anne's Episcopal Church in Atlanta; He will be a guest presenter for the Lenten Wednesday Night Series at St. Benedict's Episcopal Church, speaking on the practical theology of Richard Rohr; In March, Bill will present on practical applications of Family Systems Theory for CPE residents at the Training and Counseling Center of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Atlanta; In April, Bill will attend the Georgia Association of Marriage and Family Therapy conference at Jekyll Island, where he will present a supervisory case to fellow AAMFT Approved Supervisors; In early May, Bill will serve as Psychological Health Faculty for CREDO for Recently Ordained Clergy at Trinity Episcopal Conference Center on the Outer Banks of North Carolina, May 12-19.

Bill Harkins In October 2014, Bill presented two workshops on Psychological Wellness for Clergy at the inaugural hybrid Steps to Wellness & Planning for Tomorrow Conference hosted by the Diocese of the Central Gulf Coast, in Pensacola, Florida. On October 22nd Bill conducted a CPE Center-Wide Didactic for the Care and Counseling Center of Georgia on the topic of "Imagination and Resilience in Ministries of Pastoral Care: Staying Nimble in a Changing Health Care Context." He authored the six-week curriculum "***Steps to Resilient Living***" for the Episcopal Church Pension Group, sent to clergy participants throughout the Church Pension Fund; He attended the Clinical Conference of the Georgia Association of Marriage and Family Therapy as part of his ongoing service as an Approved Supervisor in AAMFT; His book review of (Kaplan, Steven and Forman, Bruce, 2013), *Clinical Pastoral Psychotherapy*:

Perspectives and Methods was published in the current issue of the *Journal of Pastoral Care and Counseling*; He served as Psychological Health Faculty for CREDO 7009 (Recently Ordained Clergy) at Beckwith Camp and Conference Center near Fairhope, Alabama, May 13-19; He led a year-end day of reflection for the 2013-2014 Road Episcopal Service Corps Fellows in June; He was a clinical presenter at a Professional Ethics CEU workshop on June 13th at the Brookwood Center for Psychotherapy; He was the guest speaker at Newnan Presbyterian Church for their Thursday Evening *Family Life Seminar* on 26 June, speaking on "*Family Systems, Leadership, and Healthy Boundaries*"; He was the guest speaker at Park Springs CCRC for their Adult Forum on 24 July 2014, speaking on "*Cultivating Resilience Throughout the Life Cycle: Erickson's Concepts of Generativity and Integrity*"; He led a Men's Retreat of Vanderbilt Divinity School alumni at the Colorado State University Pingree Park Campus, from 2-9 August, on "*Meeting the Sacred in Creation*"; He will serve as Psychological Health Faculty for CREDO for Recently Ordained Clergy at Lake Logan Episcopal Conference Center, 7-13 October, and at the CREDO Mosaic Conference at the Duncan Gray Conference Center, Canton Mississippi, 4-10 November; He will be a workshop Co-presenter at the Fall Regional Conference of the American Association of Pastoral Counselors, Kanuga Conference Center, Hendersonville, North Carolina, October 23-26; He will lead the *Stewardship/Consecration Weekend* at Holy Family Episcopal Church, Jasper, Georgia, 15-16 November; He has been invited to serve on the Board of Directors of the newly created *Commission on the Accreditation of Pastoral and Psychotherapy Training (CAPPT)*; He is serving as a pastoral counseling consultant to the Emory Psychoanalytic Institute Outreach Committee.

Bill Harkins... Led the Officer's Retreat for Newnan Presbyterian Church (along with CTS alums Harry Barrow and DC Adams); led a workshop for the Episcopal Diocese of Alabama at St. Luke's, Mountain Brook, on "Staying Healthy in Ministry," sponsored by the Church Pension Fund; Keynote speaker at the Vine Pastoral Counseling Center in Huntsville, Alabama on "Pastoral Resilience and Imagination"; Attended the CPG/CREDO 2014 Faculty Convocation in Memphis, Tennessee, where he co-led a workshop on psychological health among clergy; Led a workshop on Psychological Resilience in Ministry at the 2014 Consortium of

Endowed Episcopal Parishes, in Atlanta; Led a Diocesan Workshop on "Safeguarding God's People," sexual boundary training at the Cathedral of St. Philip; Attended the Georgia Association for Marriage and Family Therapists conference at St. Simon's Island, Georgia; Served as Faculty for CREDO for Recently Ordained Clergy, Camp Beckwith Alabama, in May. Led the Vestry Retreat for St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Newnan; served as consultant/advisor to the Diocese of Atlanta "The Road Episcopal Service Corps Fellows" at Emmaus House;

Bill Harkins was guest preacher and taught Adult Education at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Newnan, Georgia. He has served as consultant and seminar leader for "The Road Episcopal Service Fellows," and will continue in this role through 2014. He served as an Emotional Health Faculty member for CREDO 274 at Bishop's Ranch, Sonoma, California. This was a "Mosaic" CREDO consisting of prospective PCUSA and ECUSA faculty. In early January, Bill was the guest speaker and leader at the Officer's Retreat for Newnan Presbyterian Church (where CTS alums Harry Barrow and DC Adams serve). In January, he served as a faculty member for the Diocese of Alabama Wellness Seminar at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Birmingham, Alabama. In February he was the keynote speaker at The Vine Pastoral Counseling Center, Huntsville, Alabama, on Resilience and Leadership in Ministry. He served as the Retreat Leader for St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Newnan, Georgia, held at Kanuga Conference Center in Hendersonville, North Carolina. In February he attended the 2014 CREDO Faculty Convocation, in Memphis, Tennessee, where he participated in curriculum development for Emotional Wellness for Clergy. Bill will serve as Emotional Health faculty for two CREDO conferences in 2014, at Camp Beckwith, in Alabama, and Lake Logan, in Western North Carolina. He contributed several essays for "Feasting on the Gospels," and a Book Review for the Journal of Pastoral Care and Counseling. Bill taught a Diocesan Adult Education class at the Cathedral of St. Philip entitled "Painting the Stars: God, Evolution, and Religion." This class will be offered again in Spring 2014.

Author of *Steps to Resilient Living*: a Six-Week curriculum for participants in the Church Pension Group.

I continue to maintain a high number of advisees in the Th.D., MAPT, Doctor of Ministry and M.Div. programs. Th.D. advisees Sarah Kim and Annette Rogers-Vaughn graduated in May of 2010 and Ruata Hmar in 2013. Advisee Michael Cook graduated in 2014.

I offered a new PT Area elective during January term in 2009, *"The Art and Practice of Theological Reflection."* This course was well received by the students, and was offered (in an expanded version) in the spring of 2010 and fall of 2013. Courses such as "Men in Ministry" and "Family Systems Theory in Congregations" have proven effective in preparing our students for life in parish ministry, chaplaincy, and other forms of ministerial engagement.

In recent years I have provided significant leadership in the conception, planning, and teaching of the *Integrations* course, and I have been a solid, creative, effective, and enthusiastic leader in the Th.D program both at CTS – through three significant transitions in pastoral theology faculty personnel – and in the ATA broadly, teaching the vast majority of LMFT/Licensure courses while teaching core courses such as the *"Historical and Social Dimensions of Pastoral Theology," Theory and Practice of Pastoral Psychotherapy,* and *"Theology and Personality."*

In 2013 I served as Chair of the QEP Implementation phase for the SACS/ATS accreditation process, leading discussions with the committee during their visit with us, as presenter of the QEP for **Forum** in March 2012, and as a co-presenter for **Colloquium 2012**.

In 2011 I was accepted as a **Psychological Health Faculty** member for **CREDO**, an ECUSA organization (also serving the PCUSA), focusing on the vocational, spiritual, financial, and mental/physical health of lay and clergy at nodal points in their careers. It is an honor to serve in this way, and to represent CTS on this national faculty.

I have faithfully served on the academic committees to which I have been assigned. For the past 8 years I have served as the **Th.D. Admissions Coordinator** and as the faculty member responsible for organizing the **Th.D. Orientation Program** at the beginning of each academic year, and as

Admissions Coordinator for the ThD. As noted, I served as the **Director of the Th.D.** program in 2010-2011, and I currently serve as the **Co-Director of the Th.D.** program. As noted, I served on the **QEP** committee and have taken an active role in our deliberations. I authored the **ATA Degree Standards Report for the Th.D.** program.

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In the past 8 years I have served on the **Clinical Practicum Supervisory Faculty** at the Care and Counseling Center of Georgia. In this capacity I have engaged in the clinical supervision of 4-6 Th.D. students per year, thus enabling those students to accrue supervised clinical hours toward AAMFT and AAPC clinical membership, and to fulfill their clinical practicum supervision hours in the Th.D. program. I also participate in the weekly clinical practicum faculty consultation and supervision meetings at CCCG. Now that I am an **AAMFT Approved Supervisor**, and a **Diplomate in AAPC**, all of the hours of clinical supervision with our Th.D. student's count toward their certification and licensure processes, a form of generativity for which I am especially grateful.

As **Priest Associate at the Cathedral of St. Philip** I am generally on the Cathedral Close by late Wednesday afternoons and evenings, to teach Adult Education, and every Sunday over the course of the day, sharing in responsibility for the 7 services at this 6,000 member parish. In rotation on assigned Saturdays and Sundays I serve as the "on call" priest and I make hospital and other calls as needed on a regular basis. In addition, I participate in the full scope of liturgical offerings including--but not limited to-- the full range of Sunday services, weddings, funerals, and other liturgical practices. I teach regularly in Adult Education (see a sample, below), and I offer workshops periodically. A number of recent homilies are posted on the Cathedral of St. Philip website, and available in both pod-cast and written form. I am currently co-teaching a Wednesday evening course entitled "**Finding One's Voice in Sacred Matters**," which will run through the end of Pentecost.

At the **Diocesan** level I represent the Cathedral as a Trainer/Presenter in the "Safeguarding God's Children" training. In the past two years I have

done consultations with parishes in transition. I have recently been invited to join the faculty of **CREDO**, a program of the Episcopal Church designed to provide care for ordained and lay employees of the ECUSA and PCUSA. I have also provided leadership on issues such as Faith and the Environment, and consulted with the Diocese on matters of education, discernment, and evaluation of candidates for ministry. I and the pastoral theology instructor for the **Diocesan Deacon Formation** class for the 2009-2010 and 2010-2011 classes. Consultations and lectures at area churches (see below) including during 2008-2012 at St. James, Marietta, Holy Comforter, St. Patrick's, and St. Stephen's, Milledgeville. As noted, I have now completed all the requirements for AAMFT Supervisor designation (**180 hours** of supervision, 80 hours of supervision-of-supervision, and a **30-hour Supervisor Theory** course, including a **Theory of Supervision** paper – see attached) and I am now an **AAMFT Approved Supervisor**. I am now certified as a **Diplomate in AAPC**.

I currently serve as a Chaplain and Group Facilitator for **The Road Fellows**, an Episcopal Service Corps program sponsored by the Diocese of Atlanta.

I serve on the Board of Advisors for the CPE Programs at **St. Luke's Training and Counseling Center (TACC)** and **Northside Hospital**, and the **Atlanta Psychoanalytic Foundation**.

I serve on the editorial board for the AAPC online e-Journal "**Sacred Spaces**."

At the Cathedral I often see parishioners for brief counseling, assessment, and referral. As contractually agreed upon with Dean Hudnut-Beumler and President Oldenburg at the time of my hire, I maintain a small private practice *one day each week* at the Brookwood Center for Psychotherapy. This allows me to maintain my Ga. License to practice Marriage and Family therapy and to supervise students and LMFT practitioners in my capacity as an AAFT Approved Supervisor and Diplomate in AAPC. What follows is a representative sample of those activities:

Publications/Presentations/Workshops

“Cultivating Resilience and Generativity,” Park Springs CCRC, Stone Mountain, Georgia, July 2014

CREDO ROC 7009, Camp Beckwith, Alabama, May 2014

CREDO 274: ECUSA and PCUSA, Emotional Health Faculty, Sonoma, California, 1-9 December 2013

“Transition, Imagination, and Resilience,” Workshop presented at the AAPC Southeast Region Conference, Kanuga Episcopal Conference Center, Hendersonville, North Carolina, 24 – 27 October 2013.

Guest Homilist and Forum Speaker, St. Paul’s Episcopal Church, Newnan, Georgia, 13 October 2013

Pastoral Leadership and Resilience, Workshop and Brunch for Local Clergy and Therapists, Care and Counseling Center of Georgia, 19 September, 2013

CREDO Health Vitality Blog post; 7/1/2013: **“Conditions May Vary”:**
<http://credovitality.wordpress.com/2013/07/01/conditions-may-vary/>

CREDO Health Vitality Blog post; 7/24/2013: **“Inside Passages”:**
<http://credovitality.wordpress.com/2013/07/24/inside-passages/>

CREDO Health Vitality Blog post; 8/18/2013: **“Get Out!”:**
<http://credovitality.wordpress.com/2013/08/19/get-out/>

“Leadership and the BVP,” Living Our Vows Bishops’ Conference, Workshop Presentation, Richmond, Virginia, 17 – 19 June 2013.

Leader/Facilitator, **Mutual Ministry Review,** St. Paul’s Episcopal Church, 13 June 2013, Newnan, Georgia

Guest Lecturer, "Family Systems Theory, Resilience, and Ministry," St. Luke's School of Theology, University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee, 13-14 June, 2013

Feasting on the Gospels; Theological Perspective Essays,
Westminster/John Knox Press, Louisville, Kentucky, 40402

Luke 15:1 – 10

Luke 15: 11-32

Luke 16: 1 – 13

Workshop Presentation, *"Family Systems Theory Applications to Lay Pastoral Care,"* Journey into Wholeness Conference, St. Aidan's Episcopal Church, 20 April 2013

Keynote Address, *Imaginative Resilient Leaders for God's Changing Church,"* Colloquium 2013, Columbia Theological Seminary, 16 April 2013

Feasting on the Gospels; Theological Perspective Essays,
Westminster/John Knox Press, Louisville, Kentucky, 40402

Matthew 16:24-28

Matthew 17: 1-13

Matthew 17: 14-21

Chairperson, **QEP Implementation Phase**, Winter/Spring 2013; *"QEP Implementation Phase: Where We've Been... Where We Are... Where We're Going,"*: A Presentation to the SACS/ATS Committees, 27 March 2013

Columbia Seminary Forum: "Presenting the QEP," Columbia Theological Seminary, 6 March 2013

Vestry Retreat Leader/Facilitator, St. Paul's Episcopal Church/Newnan, *"Family Systems Theory and Parish Leadership,"* Kanuga Episcopal Conference Center, Hendersonville, North Carolina, 1-3 February 2013

Working Group on "Wellness, CREDO, and the Church Pension Fund," Episcopal Church Pension Fund, New York, New York, 22-23 January 2013

Voices of Pastoral Care, "*An Audio Series of Luminaries and Sages in the World of Pastoral Care*," by Caroline Peacock, FTE Fellow
<http://voicesofpastoralcare.wordpress.com/2012/08/06/the-rev-dr-william-harkins-columbia-theological-seminary/>

Author, **Th.D. ATS Narrative Report**, Winter/Spring 2012 :

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St. Patrick's Episcopal Church *Lenten Series*, Guest Speaker, 25 March 2012

Guest Preacher, Charge to the Ordinand, *Ordination of JoEllen Holmes*, Oakhurst Baptist Church, Decatur, Georgia, 3 March 2012

CREDO Faculty Development Conference, "Living With Integrity," Memphis, Tennessee, February 12-18 2012

"Masculine Spirituality in a Postmodern World," St. Mary's at Sewanee Episcopal Conference Center, March 2012

Guest Preacher and Consecration Sunday Stewardship Campaign Leader, Holy Family Episcopal Church, November 2011

American Association of Pastoral Counselors: Regional Conference (Southeast Region) 2011; Plenary Co-Speaker; "*The Case of the Wayfaring Stranger and Compassionate Colleagues*," October 21-23, Kanuga Conference Center.

Book Review, Ron Richardson, **Treating Couples in Conflict**, *Interpretation*

ACPE, Southeast Regional Conference, Greenville, South Carolina, "*How CPE Programs and Seminaries Can Work Together More Effectively*," 29 September, 2011.

Anglican Digest (Winter 2011) and Cathedral Times, Pentecost 2011, *"They Need Not Go Away."*

Holy Trinity Parish Magazine, "Transitions"

"Finding One's Voice in Sacred Matters: A 6-Week Class for Committed Laypersons," (with Rev. Martha Sterne), Episcopal Cathedral of St. Philip, Fall 2011 and Summer 2012.

AAPC National Conference, Phoenix, Arizona, March 2011, *"Embodying Justice: Emotional and Relational Wisdom in a Culture of Conflict,"* Workshop and paper.

Vantage, Winter/Spring 2011, *"The Light of Imagination,"* Columbia Theological Seminary

The Episcopal Café, *"The Light of Imagination,"* February 13, 2011.

AAPC National Conference, Indianapolis, April 2010, Workshop Presentation: *"Holy Comforter Parish – A Case Study"*

Journal of Spirituality and Mental Health, Winter/Spring 2009, *"The Disconnected, Unplugged Man; A Clinical/Theological Case Study,"* This clinical-theological reflection was the keystone article in this issue of the journal, with the Editor and three respondents contributing articles as well. The entire journal, including the Editorial essay, was devoted to the clinical and theological issues of internet pornography, based on the case study.

@This Point – Theological Investigations in Church and Culture, *"Hard Grief Work and Holy Saturday,"* Vol. One, No. 1, Spring 2006.

The Episcopal Café, "Daily Episcopalian," 2 September 2009, *"Loaves and Fishes – Salmon, in Particular."*

http://www.episcopalcafe.com/daily/environment/loaves_and_fishes_salmon_in_pa.php

Feasting on the Word, Year B, Vol.2, Pastoral; *Monday in Holy Week*,
Feasting on the Word, Year B, Vol. 2, Pastoral, *Tuesday in Holy Week*,
Feasting on the Word, Year B, Vol. 2, Pastoral, *Wednesday in Holy Week*,
Feasting on the Word, Vol. 3, *Proper 9*, Pastoral.
Feasting on the Word, Vol. 3, *Proper 8*, Pastoral.
Feasting on the Word, Vol., 3, *Proper 9*, Pastoral.

Family Systems Theory in Institutional Settings: Henry County Medical Center – 12 February 2009: 9am-12noon workshop for employees of this suburban regional medical center; addressed issues of transition, conflict, and “emotional intelligence” from a family systems perspective.

Learning Together in Ministry – 12 March 2009; Columbia Theological Seminary:

Didactic presentation and group leadership for CTS graduates around issues related to current contexts in ministry.

Holy Trinity Parish – Lenten Series – “The Lord’s Prayer – Our ‘Father’/‘Mother’ in Heaven....”:

12 March 2009, 6-9 pm; Thursday night Lenten series presentation on “Our Father in Heaven....” From the perspective of Object Relations Theory; discussion of our images of God, projections, transitional space, and the evolving nature of our relationship to these aspects of human personality.

Dealing with Conflict – A Family Systems Approach: St. Patrick’s Episcopal Church – Vestry Retreat – 17 – 19 April 2009

Second weekend consultation with St. Patrick’s parish vestry at Montara Farm around issues of transition, conflict, and vision.

Poetry Night at the Cathedral Bookstore – The Poetry of Wendell Berry:

22 April 2009. Provided leadership and organization for this Diocesan wide gathering at the Cathedral of St. Philip bookstore.

Candler School of Theology, Emory University, Men’s Retreat, 5 – 9 May 2009:

Provided planning, structure, worship, and leadership for this 5-day Men's retreat at Lake Logan Episcopal Center, Canton, North Carolina.

St. Luke's Training and Counseling Center, Family Systems Theory In-service, 4-6pm, 19 August 2009:

Provided workshop for summer intern Clinical Pastoral Education students on applications of Family Systems Theory for work in hospice, hospitals, churches, and formation in ministry.

Diocese of Atlanta Institute for Theological Education: Family Systems Theory for Congregations: 18 September 2009: 9am – 3pm

Day-long workshop for Diocesan participants on FST applications to congregational life, at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church. Workshop included didactic, experiential, and discussion components.

2009 – 2010 Diaconal Formation Program/Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta; Pastoral Care Instructor:

Responsible for the Pastoral Care component of this 2-year course of study offered on third Saturday's at the Cathedral of St. Philip. (See attached)

"Lars and the Real Girl – An "Otherwise" Clinical/Theological Case Study in Compassion," A paper and 3-hour workshop presentation at the 2009 Southeast Regional Clinical Conference, 23-25 October, Kanuga Conference Center, Hendersonville, N.C.

Family Systems Theory for Ministry – Presentation to CPE Students at St. Luke's training and Counseling Center

Five Basic Concepts in Systems Theory for this group of 12 Clinical Pastoral Education students in the year-long CPE program at St. Luke's Episcopal Church; 3:00-5:00pm, 26 October 2009.

Practical Wisdom for Congregational Ministry – Forum at Columbia Seminary

Participated as a Forum Panelist on 11 November 2009 offering suggestions for parish ministry from a practical pastoral theological perspective; 10:00 – 11:00 am.

Perspectives on Teaching and Supervision in Pastoral Theology:

Workshop and dialogue with Rev. Joe Sandifer and colleagues from the PCUSA on current issues and challenges in teaching Pastoral Theology; Dobbs Room, Columbia Theological Seminary, 11:00-12:00, 10 February 2010.

“Epiphany Poetry Party” at the Cathedral Bookstore

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Journal of Spirituality and Mental Health, Winter/Spring 2009, “*The Disconnected, Unplugged Man; A Clinical/Theological Case Study*,” This clinical-theological reflection was the keystone article in this issue of the journal, with the Editor and three respondents contributing articles as well. The entire journal, including the Editorial essay, was devoted to the clinical and theological issues of internet pornography, based on the case study.

@This Point – Theological Investigations in Church and Culture, “Hard Grief Work and Holy Saturday,” Vol. One, No. 1, Spring 2006.

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Lenten Men’s Spirituality Group: (28 February-4 April, 2008): Small group for men of the Cathedral and the Diocese, with a focus on Richard Rohr’s “From Wild Man to Wise Man.” Attendance @ 8-10 each week.

Practical Family Systems Theory for Congregations: 13 February 2008, St. James’ Episcopal Church Wednesday Night Lenten Series. Workshop and dinner address for 60 persons.

AAMFT Approved Supervisor 30-Hour Training Course: 27 February-1 March 2008. Completed the 30-hour AAMFT Approved Supervisor course, required for all AAMFT supervisor’s in training, at Santa Fe, New Mexico.

2007-2009 Fall/Winter Wednesday night “Saving Jesus” and “First Light” Small Group Seminars: This 12 session weekly, Wednesday night DVD and discussion oriented series averages @ 15-30persons on Wednesday nights, and continues to meet in 2009-2010 with the “*First Light*” series, with Marcus Borg and John Dominic Crossan. Conducted at the Cathedral of St. Philip and open to the Diocese and general public.

Safeguarding God’s Children: (10 April 2008, 9-12); Sex abuse prevention and awareness training session for Diocesan youth and young adult workers at the Cathedral of St. Philip. Provided leadership for this session of @ 45 attendees, for this mandatory Diocesan training for all youth and young adult volunteers and employees.

The Sacred in Creation: ST. Mary’s Sewanee Retreat Center: (10-13 April 2008) Co-led this contemplative retreat for 45 participants at St. Mary’s/Sewanee with colleague Dr. Gordon Peerman, priest and pastoral counselor from Nashville. Based on a contemplative, mindfulness practice

mode, this weekend presentation included didactic, practical/mindfulness sessions, discussion, poetry, and film.

“Transitions”: A Pastoral Care Group for St. Benedict’s Episcopal Church: (April-May 2008) Led this pastoral care group for those experiencing life transitions of various kinds due to loss, job changes, etc. (6 consecutive Monday evenings; average attendance @ 20).

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***Pentecost Poetry Evening at the Cathedral:** (23 May): Provided organization and leadership for this gathering at the Diocesan/Cathedral bookstore. Attendance @ 25-30, with a mix of Cathedral and public/community attendees.

***Canterbury Court Vespers:** (16 October 2008) Represented the Cathedral at the Vespers service by providing liturgical leadership/preaching. Attendance @ 50-60 participants.

***Poetry Night at the Cathedral – An Evening with David Bottoms:** Provided organization and leadership for this gathering featuring Dr. David Bottoms, poet laureate of Georgia. Attendance @ 30 Cathedral members and community guests.

Lay Pastoral Care – The Priesthood of All Believers: (Fall 2008): This Sunday (morning) Adult Ed. course utilized a variety of pedagogical methods, including film, readings, and lecture/discussion to address “beginning” issues of basic lay pastoral care. Attendance @ 10/12 each Sunday morning.

Fall 2008 Vestry Retreat: St. Patrick’s Episcopal Church: (7-9 November 2008) Provided organization and leadership for this weekend Vestry retreat at Montara Farm. The congregation was experiencing transition and related conflict. Focus was on leadership during times of transition, and conflict

management from Family Systems Theory and pastoral theological perspectives.

Advent Quiet Day: Holy Family Episcopal Church, Jasper, Georgia: 13 December – 2008; Provided planning, leadership, and liturgy for this day-long Advent retreat/quiet day at the Holy Family Episcopal Church; 9-4pm, with 35 attendees.

Family Systems Theory in Institutional Settings: Henry County Medical Center – 12 February 2009; 9am-12noon workshop for employees of this suburban regional medical center; addressed issues of transition, conflict, and “emotional intelligence” from a family systems perspective.

Learning Together in Ministry – 12 March 2009; Columbia Theological Seminary:

Didactic presentation and group leadership for CTS graduates around issues related to current contexts in ministry.

Holy Trinity Parish – Lenten Series – “The Lord’s Prayer – Our ‘Father’/‘Mother’ in Heaven....”:

12 March 2009, 6-9 pm; Thursday night Lenten series presentation on “Our Father in Heaven....” From the perspective of Object Relations Theory; discussion of our images of God, projections, transitional space, and the evolving nature of our relationship to these aspects of human personality.

Dealing with Conflict – A Family Systems Approach: St. Patrick’s Episcopal Church – Vestry Retreat – 17 – 19 April 2009

Second weekend consultation with St. Patrick’s parish vestry at Montara Farm around issues of transition, conflict, and vision.

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