

IT HAS BEEN A HISTORIC YEAR in the life of Lancaster Theological Seminary. Teaching and learning and formation continue faithfully at LTS as it has for 197 years. Eighty-eight students were enrolled during the 2021-22 academic year in master's level (Master of Divinity, Master of Arts in Ministry & Leadership, and Master of Arts in Religion), Doctor of Ministry, and certificate programs (Certificate in Anglican Studies, Certificate in Theological Studies). Master's level programs are offered in both weekday and weekend formats. The DMin program operates in a cohort model with periodic intensives on campus. Details about the current student body are found here: <https://www.lancasterseminary.edu/about/lancaster-seminary-at-a-glance/>.

LTS continues to be a great place for students from the United Church of Christ and other traditions to learn with outstanding faculty and to prepare for service in the church and the world. We would love to connect with anyone who you think is - or should be - discerning a call to seminary.

Non-credit bearing programming in the past year has included the Hispanic Heritage month discussion, "Peace Has a Woman's Name" (La Paz Tiene Nombre de Mujer). The Black History Month Baxter Fund Forum featured The Gift of Black Students to Graduate Theological Education. And Pennsylvania Academy of Ministry classes range from multi-vocational ministry to financial basics.

THE FAITHFUL WORK of the seminary and our people continues. At the same time, this is a new and historic moment for LTS. In the summer of 2021, after careful explorations that spanned many years, the LTS board entered into partnership with Moravian University and Moravian Theological Seminary to solidify a pathway forward that would secure the long and rich LTS legacy. This shift does not change LTS's relationship with the UCC. LTS is now, alongside Moravian Seminary, part of the Moravian University family. This partnership joins the gifts of the partners in ways that strengthen each of us for the future. Each of the three members of the partnership brings gifts and strengths.

- LTS brings a long witness, deep connection to this community, a commitment to a beautiful theological tradition, a strong alumni base, and exceptional commitments to antiracism, justice work, and global engagement.
 - Moravian Seminary brings a similarly long witness within a theological tradition, commitment to forming students for a wide range of service and particular strengths in forming students for pastoral ministry and formative spirituality programs.
 - Moravian University is a thriving university that brings strong support of graduate programs and resources and expertise that are already benefiting the Lancaster campus in the form of large and small, visible and invisible capital improvements.
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