

Field Education 5482 – Outreach Ministry to the Peripheries

Having identified areas of needed personal growth, the Theology IV student, in collaboration with the Director of Field Education, will choose to minister in a parish or a specialized ministry. A Placement Supervisor will be assigned to evaluate their ministry; the Director of Field Education will work directly with this individual. *Seminarians will be assigned to the parish in which they are ministering; those in a specialized ministry will be assigned to a parish and will attend Masses at that parish on the designated weekends.* The desired outcome of this ministry for the theology student is to recognize the need to go beyond “our comfort zone” in order to meet and minister to others in whatever life situation they may find themselves.

In addition, four Theological Reflection Gatherings will be scheduled allowing the student to share with those in similar ministries their lived experiences in the ministry they are providing.