



Renewal School of Ministry

Term Offered: Fall 2021

Course Name: Hearing God's Voice

Course Times/Dates: 1.5 hour Zoom meetings for six weeks, Begins September 21, 2021 and meets on six consecutive Tuesday nights. The classes will be live.

Course Content: In this class we will look at what the Bible teaches about God's communication with us. With that foundation we will seek to grow in our ability to discern what God is saying to us for the sake of direction and ministry. The six topics in the first term include:

1. The biblical case for expecting God to communicate with us
2. Discerning God's voice
3. Survey of ways God has communicated in the Bible
4. Learning to hear better
5. Interpreting dreams, visions and trances
6. Prophecy and other words from the Lord

Requirements for Credit: To receive credit for the course students will need to:

- Attend every live Zoom session
- Participate in the class discussions
- Keep a "listening journal" (explained in class) and submitting it for review
- One absence is permitted as long as the student makes arrangements to watch the Zoom replay.

Book Requirements: No text required though Pursuing God's Will Together, Ruth Halley Barton, is a recommended reading.

Costs: There is \$10 fee to cover costs for taking courses in the Renewal School of Ministry.

Please enroll for the course/s on our website: www.hsrn.org .

Instructor: This course will be taught by Rev. Ed Owens. He graduated from The Southern Baptist Theological Seminary with a Master of Divinity. He served as the long-term pastor of the Olivet Baptist Church in Lansing, Michigan. He is the national chair of the Holy Spirit Renewal Ministries. In his "retirement" he serves as a consultant for transition ministry with the American Baptist Churches of Michigan. edgarowens@sbcglobal.net .