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University of Saint Mary Offers New Summer Program in Response to Student Demand

(Leavenworth, Kan.)—With the University of Saint Mary enjoying several years of record enrollment, USM this summer is offering a new and expanded summer program of courses with classes meeting from May through August.

The new classes are targeted at existing Saint Mary students—though all qualified college students are invited to enroll—and are offered by several of the university’s 26 undergraduate academic programs, including biology, English, history, information technology, mathematics, nursing, and psychology.

USM’s summer course initiative was developed through student input. The university surveyed existing Saint Mary students to gauge interest in a summer program and to determine which classes students would most like to see.

For students in several majors, including nursing, summer classes were described as the most convenient way to complete several major requirements.

“We have decided that adding a summer program of courses is necessary to accommodate our growing enrollment,” said Dr. Bryan Le Beau, USM’s academic vice president and dean.

“For this first year of summer courses, we have listened to students and faculty to see what classes they consider best suited for their needs and interests,” Dr. Le Beau said. “We plan on expanding our summer offerings in the future.”

Call USM admissions at (913) 682-5151 to learn more about USM’s summer program, and all other Saint Mary offerings.

The University of Saint Mary is a Catholic co-educational applied liberal arts university founded and sponsored by the Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth. The University of Saint Mary is located at 4100 South 4th Street, Leavenworth, Kan., with additional locations in Overland Park and Kansas City, Kan. Visit www.stmary.edu for more information.

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