***THE ESSENTIALS OF FIRE***

***CHAPLAINCY COURSE***

This course, created by the

Federation of Fire Chaplains, provides

an opportunity for everyone –

experienced chaplains, new chaplains,

and prospective chaplains alike – to

learn valuable lessons about Fire

Chaplaincy.

The class consists of 16 hours of

instruction, over the course of two

days, covering the following areas:

• The Foundations of Fire Chaplaincy

• Personhood of the Fire Chaplain

• Fire Chaplain’s Ministry to Firefighters

• Fire Chaplain’s Ministry to Crisis Victims

• Beginning a Fire Department Chaplaincy

• Critical Incident Stress Management

• Firefighter Injury or Death /

Death Notification

• Fire Department Funerals

***CLASS SCHEDULE***

Our class will meet on Friday and

Saturday, April 29 and 30, 2022, from

8:00 a.m. sharp to 5:00 p.m. You must

be present for the entire 16 hours of

instruction to receive Basic Fire

Chaplain Certification.

***COST***

The Essentials of Fire Chaplaincy Course costs **$200**. This includes two days of

instruction and discussion, Chaplain Manual from the Federation of Fire Chaplains.

***LOCATION***

Classes will be held at the

St. Matthew Church  
216 Scribner Avenue  
Norwalk, CT 06854

Dress is casual.

***Hotels***

DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Norwalk **(closest to St. Matthew)**  
789 Connecticut Ave.   
Norwalk, CT 06854•(203) 853-3477

Hilton Garden Inn Norwalk   
560 Main Ave.  
Norwalk, CT 06851•(203) 523-4000

Hotel Zero Degrees   
353 Main Ave.   
Norwalk, CT 06851•(203) 750-9800

Your host is **Fr. Jeff Couture**

e-mail: stmattparish@hotmail.com

(203) 838-3788, ext. 101

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Church/synagogue/mosque you attend:

Denomination (if any):

Are you an ordained/licensed clergyperson?

□ Yes □ No

Fire department:

Are you currently appointed as a fire chaplain? □ Yes □ No

Are you a trained fire fighter (FF 1 or

above)? □ Yes □ No

***COST***

Course Fee **$200.00**

*Please mail this completed form and*

*your check to:*

***Federation of Fire Chaplains***

***c/o John F. Long, Jr.***

***343 Cool Breeze Court***

***Pasadena, MD 21122***

***REGISTRATION***

This form, together with a

nonrefundable registration fee of **$200**

(make your check payable to

“**Federation of Fire Chaplains**”)

must be received no later than April 11, 2022.

***Please print legibly***

Your Name:

Mailing address:

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Daytime phone number:

Evening or cell phone number:

E-mail address  
  
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***YOUR INSTRUCTOR***

*Rev. John F. Long, Jr.* is the Vice-President for the Federation of Fire Chaplains. He presently serves as the Chief Chaplain to the Maryland State Firemen’s Association, Chaplain to the Anne Arundel County Volunteer Firefighters Association, Chaplain to the National Volunteer Fire Council. He also serves on the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation Maryland L.A.S.T. team. John is a Nationally certified Fire Officer III, and Fire Instructor III. He has served in all fire line officers positions including three years as a Volunteer Chief. Certified in Spiritual Care in Crisis Intervention through the ICISF.

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We recommend that you complete the ICS

100, 200, 700, 800, and 505 self-study courses through the online training center at the National Fire Academy before the class.

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***FIRE CHAPLAINCY***

***TRAINING***

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***THE TOOLS***

***YOU NEED***

***TO SERVE THOSE***

***WHO SERVE***

***OTHERS***

***April 29-30, 2022***

***Norwalk, CT***

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