GRADUATE COURSE DESCRIPTION

Term:         Spring 2009
Instructor:   Dr. Susan K. Wood, SCL
Course #:     THEO 384
Section:      1001
Course Title: Special Questions in Systematic Theology
Course Subtitle: Nouvelle Théologie

Content:

A study of the theological movement of the 20th century known as “la nouvelle théologie” or “ressourcement” that reacted to neo-scholasticism and sought to reunify theology through a reappropriation of the sources—the liturgy, Scriptures, and the Early Church Fathers. Representative figures include Henri de Lubac, Jean Daniélou, Henri Bouillard, Yves Congar, Louis Bouyer, and Marie-Dominique Chenu.

Format:

Seminar

Assignments and/or Examinations:

- Seminar presentations of assigned reading, midterm exam, major research paper

Language Pre-requisites:

- French would be extremely helpful, but not required.

Required Texts:

- Henri de Lubac. Catholicism: Christ and the Common Destiny of Mankind
- Henri de Lubac Scripture in Tradition (Crossroad, 2001)
- Henri de Lubac. Mystery of the Supernatural (Crossroad, 1998)

In addition there will be a number of scanned articles in D2L.