UNITING CPE

THE JOHN PAVER CENTRE

CLINICAL PASTORAL EDUCATION (CPE) SEMESTER 1 2026

This Centre, with its particular focus for people engaged in community-based pastoral ministry contexts, is under the auspices of the Uniting Church Synod of Victoria and Tasmania. The Centre is located at the Centre for Theology and Ministry, based at Pilgrim Theological College. This program will be delivered online. Please see schedule on the reverse.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE: NOVEMBER 13, 2025

Education and Pastoral Care Formation

Uniting CPE – The John Paver Centre offers Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) programs for pastoral/spiritual care formation. The programme's methodology uses the action-reflection-action model of peer group experiential learning.

The action component is the actual provision of pastoral/spiritual care in a supervised placement setting. The reflection component includes exploring the pastoral/spiritual experience, its dynamics, and the theological and spiritual dimensions. Pastoral/spiritual care formation happens as students develop their identity in the role while integrating their spirituality/theology with their experiences of offering care to vulnerable people. In the process students learn about their own gifts and vulnerabilities and experience personal and professional growth.

The group supervision process helps expand students' world view as they engage with a diverse group of peers. As educators, CPE supervisors create a safe space for students to encounter, explore and learn from the challenges they face.

Placement

The pastoral/spiritual care placement for this program could be in a community setting, either one that the Centre initiates or one that the participant initiates. Applicants already in a pastoral care role may negotiate with the Centre Director and their employer to use this setting as a placement.

The ASACPEV Inc. standards require a minimum of 100 hours of actual face-to-face pastoral care to be provided in the placement. For further information about CPE requirements, please refer to Standards at **www.asacpev.org.au** and read standard 1 if this is your first CPE unit

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Roslyn's pastoral care experience includes industry, business, parish and hospital settings. She has provided supervision, spiritual direction and retreats in many contexts. As a Research Candidate (Doctor of Professional Practice) she is passionate about helping people explore how Authentic / True Self shapes vocation and practice.

This online unit of Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) is designed to accommodate the scheduling needs of working people. In addition to attending the required in-person and online education outlined in the schedule below, students spend 200 hours in their work or placement context, including providing 100 hours of direct face-to-face pastoral/spiritual care.

The program is designed for students to set aside two days per week for their placement, in addition to education days listed below.

CPE requirements include written reflection on pastoral/spiritual care practice, 10 hours of individual supervision, and active participation in peer group education sessions.

There is a **fee of $2,200** (inc GST) payable in full prior to the beginning of the course.

CPE may be taken for academic credit as part of a University of Divinity degree program. Contact the Registrar of your home college for further information including unit fees.

APPLICATIONS CLOSE THURSDAY NOVEMBER 13, 2025

INTERVIEWS WILL BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 19 AND 26, 2025

Dates for this part-time extended online unit are below:

DATE (2026)	TIME (VICTORIA)
February 11	9.00am-5.00pm
February 18	9.00am-5.00pm
February 25	9.00am-12.30pm
March 4	9.00am-12.30pm
March 11	9.00am-12.30pm
March 18	9.00am-12.30pm
March 25	9.00am-12.30pm
April 1	9.00am-12.30pm
April 8	No class
April 15	9.00am-12.30pm
April 22	9.00am-5.00pm
April 29	9.00am-5.00pm
May 6	9.00am-12.30pm

DATE (2026)	TIME (VICTORIA)
May 13	9.00am-12.30pm
May 20	9.00am-12.30pm
May 27	9.00am-12.30pm
June 3	9.00am-12.30pm
June 10	No Class
June 17	No Class
June 24	9.00am-12.30pm
July 1	9.00am-12.30pm
July 8	No Class
July 15	9.00am-12.30pm
July 22	9.00am-12.30pm
July 29	9.00am-5.00pm

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