Using the login you have created for Praesidium, log in to the system and you will see this:

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Take a Tour of Academy

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Welcome to Praesidium Academy

You play a vital role in keeping your organization a safe place. We're so happy you are here to learn about proper boundaries, how offenders operate and how to stop abuse and much more. If you're unsure where to start, take a look at our featured content or search the course catalog.

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A Message From The Right Rev. Thomas C. Ely Bishop Provisional of North Dakota

For decades, The Episcopal Church has been in the forefront of providing safe church education and training for clergy and lay members of our churches. This commitment to establish and maintain safe environments for our children, youth and adults has been a hallmark of our denomination's baptismal commitment to respect the dignity of every person.

In the Diocese of North Dakota, we participate in this ministry primarily through the Armatus Online Safe Church Training Program called Learn to Protect, offered by Praesidium. This training represents our strong ideals and teaching regarding the safety and protection of all those in our churches, and it helps us to implement the highest standards for abuse and exploitation prevention within our diocese.

English

Just below, you will see the Bishop's picture and his statement. Scroll down below the Bishop's picture and statement, you will see this:

KNOW YOUR POLICIES

Policies: Episcopal Diocese of North Dakota (ENG)

Our diocesan policies are the first required course in our training; **complete this course**.   When you have completed the policies course, click on "Exit this course" and that will return you to the page above.

Scroll down **BUT do not** take the course entitled Safe Church, Save Communities – Universal Training: Organizational Rules and Policies. Instead, scroll down a little further to the line below BROWSE and go to "Sort by" and select "Title" from the dropdown menu
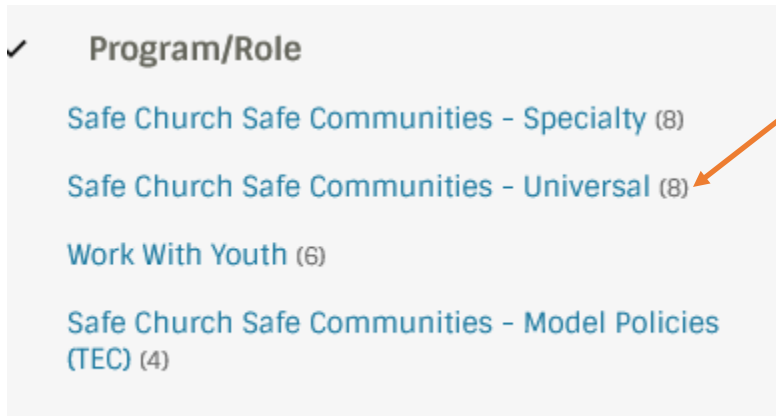
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〉 Safe Church, Safe Communities - Universal Training:
Organizational Rules & Policies (ENG)

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Then go to the Program/Role box and select **Safe Church Safe Communities** - **Universal**

✓ **Program/Role**
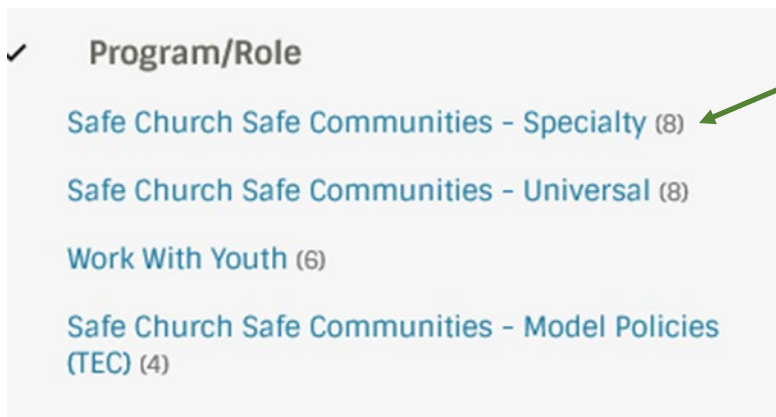
Safe Church Safe Communities – Specialty (8)

Safe Church Safe Communities – Universal (8)

Work With Youth (6)

Safe Church Safe Communities – Model Policies
(TEC) (4)

In **Safe Church Safe Communities** - **Universal** take these **three** courses:

1. Safe Church Safe Communities Universal Training: **Introduction & Theological Background**
2. Safe Church Safe Communities Universal Training: **Healthy Boundaries**
3. Safe Church Safe Communities Universal Training: **Inclusion**
   REMEMBER – **DO NOT** take the Safe Church Safe Communities Universal Training – *Organizational Rules & Policies*

After you complete EACH of these three courses, you will need to "exit the course" and return to the first page above. Repeat the same steps until you have completed all three courses.

THEN return to the Program/Role box and **select Safe Church Safe Communities: Specialty**.

✓ **Program/Role**

Safe Church Safe Communities – Specialty (8)

Safe Church Safe Communities – Universal (8)

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Safe Church Safe Communities – Model Policies
(TEC) (4)

The role(s) you have in your congregation will determine which of the specialty courses you should take. See the chart below to determine which are required for the role(s) you have.

1. Safe Church Safe Communities – Specialty Training: **Pastoral Relationships**
2. Safe Church Safe Communities – Specialty Training: **Power and Relationships**
3. Safe Church Safe Communities – Specialty Training: **Bullying**
4. Safe Church Safe Communities – Specialty Training: **Abuse & Neglect**

Course	REQUIRED for	Suggested/recommended for
Pastoral Relationships	• **all** clergy except retired • wardens • vestry members • eucharistic visitors • choir directors • administrative support	• **all** youth related ministries **and** • other lay leaders - **see** Appendix A-2 for list
Power and Relationships	• **all** clergy except retired • wardens • vestry members • eucharistic visitors • choir directors • administrative support	• **all** youth related ministries **and** • other lay leaders - **see** Appendix A-2 for list
Bullying	• **all** clergy except retired • all youth related ministries • wardens • vestry members • eucharistic visitors • choir director	• other lay leaders - **see** Appendix A-2 for list • organist • administrative support
Abuse & Neglect	• all clergy except retired; • all youth related ministries - **see** Appendix A-2 for list • eucharistic visitors • choir director	• wardens • vestry members • eucharistic visitors • other lay leaders - **see** Appendix A-2 for list • organist • administrative support