## Clare of Assisi: Her Life and Theology

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Joan Mueller, OSC, Ph.D. is an active Poor Clare Sister and an internationally known Franciscan scholar specializing in the writings of Clare of Assisi.

Clare's writings include her four letters to Agnes of Prague and her *Form of Life*. This course will examine Clare's four letters to Agnes of Prague as they stand among hundreds of letters written at the time to various houses of Poor Ladies. Examining Clare's letters in the context of these contemporaneous letters as well as other hagiographical literature will help you gain fresh insight into the issues and spirituality of Clare's legacy.

12- 25 minute audio CDs – and a printable Study Guide

## **Topic Titles**

- Clare's Writings: An Overview
- Clare and Agnes: The Characters
- Clare's First Letter to Agnes of Prague
- Reading Clare's Second Letter to Agnes of Prague
- The Privilege of Poverty
- Clare's Third Letter to Agnes of Prague
- Clare's Form of Life, Chapters 1 & 2
- Clare's Form of Life, Chapters 3, 4 & 5
- Clare's Form of Life, Chapters 6 & 7
- Clare's Form of Life, Chapters 8 & 9
- Clare's Form of Life, Chapters 10, 11 & 12
- Reading Clare's Fourth Letter to Agnes of Prague