



Šiauliai, Lithuania, May 2004— Non-residential Bible School of the Lithuanian Baptist Union gathered for its third session since the launch of the Diploma programme in December 2003. 18 students met in Šiauliai Samarija Centre facilities (north-east of Lithuania) for the Introduction to Ethics course on May 7-8. It was a fruitful time of intensive lectures, reading, discussing, and writing, with more writing to be done after the students return

to their homes and reflect on the ethical issues most pertinent to their context and immediate situation. “Now I clearly see that it is impossible to be a Christian without the Christian community. We need each other, and in our living together, the qualities of a true disciple of Christ develop,” one of the students commented. Another observed that she found it very memorable that “we are first and foremost formed by the ethics of everyday rather than crisis situations... I realized there is more to ethics than just decisions.”



Evening talks and songs

Besides the lectures, an emphasis was put, as in previous times, on keeping on getting to know each other better in sharing meals, stories, and worries. It is an important aspect of the school as it also provides opportunities to do some planning for other Lithuanian Baptist events, such as summer youth camp.

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