



HERITAGE DISTRICT LAY SERVANT CLASSES SPRING 2024

Lay Servant Ministry classes provide laity with opportunities for personal growth: learning more about the United Methodist Church, and ways to provide leadership in the church.

Registration for classes may be done on-line at <https://forms.gle/KTQdaDwKBEb7ttNZ8> or mailed to Anne Hanna, P.O. Box 787, Manchester, MI 48158.

Class fees: Free to Heritage District in 2024; \$25.00 non-refundable fee for other district registrants. Registrations are due to the registrar by the due dates. *There is a \$10.00 late fee for registrations received after the due date.* Checks should be made payable to: Heritage District and mailed to: Anne Hanna, P.O. Box 787, Manchester, MI 48158. Payment on-line is not available at this time.

If you have questions about Lay Servant Ministry classes or becoming a Certified Lay Servant, Certified Lay Speaker, or Certified Lay Minister contact any person listed to the right.

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IN-PERSON CLASSES

Bring your own lunch

- Introduction to Lay Ministry (Basic)**
Learn ways to discover and develop gifts of caring, leading, and communicating ministries; putting faith into action in daily life to love God and neighbors. It is a required class for those seeking to become Certified Lay Servants.
Class Sessions: Saturdays; March 2 and March 16 from 9:00am - 3:00pm
Location: Pinckney Arise United Methodist Church, 11211 Dexter-Pinckney Road, Pinckney, MI 48169
Registration Deadline: February 20
Class Facilitators: Pastor Jonathan Vitale & Richard Gorham

- For the Common Good: Discovering and Using Your Spiritual Gifts**
This class helps participants identify their gifts, abilities, and sense of calling. It also helps their church in making spiritual gifts discernment an integral part of making disciples for the transformation of the world. A class on Spiritual Gifts is required for those desiring to become Certified Lay Speakers.
Class Sessions: Saturdays, March 9 and March 23 from 9:30am - 3:30pm
Location: Webberville United Methodist Church, 4215 East Holt Road, Webberville, MI 48892
Registration Deadline: February 27
Class Facilitators: Pastor Paula Vergowven & Carol Gorham

- Embracing Personal Prayer**
Prayer is a relationship with God that grows and matures over time. This class helps participants encounter God and discover tools to help in the process of personal prayer.
Class Sessions: Saturdays, April 6 and April 20 from 9:30am - 3:30pm
Location: Fowlerville: First United Methodist Church, 201 South Second Street, Fowlerville, MI 48836
Registration Deadline: March 26
Class Facilitators: Pastor Scott Herald & To Be Announced

ZOOM CLASSES

- Life Together in the United Methodist Connection (Polity)**
Learn the structure and organization of the United Methodist Church. Participants need the latest edition of the Book of Discipline to view during the class. It is a required class for those seeking to become Certified Lay Speakers.
Class Sessions: Tuesdays, March 5, March 12, March 19, and March 26 from 6:30pm - 9:00pm
Registration Deadline: February 24
Class Facilitators: Pastor Suzy Todd & Anne Hanna

- Sacraments: Means of Grace**
This new class helps participants understand the scriptural and traditional roots and Wesleyan theology of baptism and communion, both sacramental and evangelical.
Class Sessions: Saturdays, March 2 and March 16 from 9:00am - 3:00pm
Registration Deadline: February 20
Class Facilitators: Pastor Christopher Butson & Colleen Croxall

Name: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ Church: _____

Mark the circle above next to the class(es) you're registering for and return this whole page along with class fee (if applicable) to the address on the front. Don't forget to mark class dates on your calendar! We're glad you're attending a lay servant class. Thank you!