DeKalb District Leadership Training Event

Our Theme: "Who is My Neighbor?"

Our Target:

For ALL (especially those new to church leadership) who care about today's church and its future!

Our Goal:

To worship, celebrate, inspire, equip, train, empower, connect, share and collaborate so Christ's mission and ministry flourishes among the laity and clergy of the DeKalb District of the Northern Illinois Conference of the United Methodist Church.

Statistical Training

There will be a training for the Statistical reports during the lunch break. Please bring your Treasurer and anyone else that complies the information.

Even if you have done this report for MANY years. This will be a great time to refresh your understanding of this important report. Please bring with you any questions you may have and the following items;
Last Years report
Church budget

Reynoldswood Wish List

Each church is invited to bring an offering for our district's Camp, Camp Reynoldswood. Offering possibilities are included and includes Menard's gift cards and/or IOU's of volunteer labor. *For a complete Wish List* www.reynoldswood.org/Forms/wishlist2014 2015.pdf

Item	Description/Miscellaneous
New Curtains	Curtains, Fabric, or \$\$ and staff can go purchase
School Supplies	Various
Snacks	Prepackaged, single serving size
Drywall	5/8" drywall and tape
Table Clothes	Round 70" or 90", white
Exhaust Fans	
Chainsaw Bayonets	2 Stihl (estimated \$50 each)
John Deere Gator	
Leaf Blower Gutter	
Attachments	
Rental of 55' Lift	\$675.00
Rental of Auger	\$120.00
Stainless Steel Pans	½ size, 4" deep
Dust Floor Mop	Large
Vacuum Cleaner	
Card Stock	
Copy Paper	
Ink Cartridges	Call for current needs and item description
Air Compressor	Industrial/Commercial to hook into existing system
Oil Filters/Oil	Call for current needs and item description
Scoop Shovels	Aluminum
Light Bulbs	Vanity Lights, Fire Exit Lights (3 sizes), general, exterior floodlights
Religious Artwork	

DeKalb District Leadership Training

January 24, 2015

Event Location

Rochelle United Methodist Church

709 4th Avenue Rochelle, IL 61068 815-562-2164

Calling All Church Leaders

Including those new to:

Trustees

SPRC Committee

Lay Leader

Worship Leader

This workshop is for you...

Registration Deadline January 19, 2015

Rockford/DeKalb Regional Office United Methodist Church 951 South Seventh Street Suite D Rochelle, IL 61068 815-561-8285 bsmith@umcnic.org



DeKalb District Leadership Training

Welcome!

This coming new year, join us for an enlightening and insightful leadership event for the DeKalb District. Rev. Young-Mee Park will be our Keynote Speaker.

Conference Outline

8:30-9:00 am Registration /

Continental Breakfast

9:00-10:00 am Opening Worship

Offering Opportunity: "Imagine No Malaria"

10:00—10:15 am Introducing the day's

Speakers / Presenters

10:15-10:30 am Break w/Snacks

10:30-11:45 am Session 1

11:45—12:45 pm Lunch & Missions Displays (during lunch there will be a Statistical question & answer time)

12:45–2:00 pm Session 2

2:00—2:30 pm Closing Worship/Evaluations

Workshop Descriptions

1. Attracting Collaborative Children-Oriented Community/School Partnerships Panel

Mt. Morris' Lot 12, Criket, DeKalb's SLAM, Polo Kidz Cafe) Eric Hoffman, Reynoldswood Camp Director, Presenter's **Both Session 1 & 2**

2. Church Missions and Conference Connections,

Rev. Michael Mann, NIC Associate Director of Mission and Advocacy, Presenter

Both Session 1 & 2

3. Staff Parish Relations Issues and Guidelines -

Rev. Arlene Christopherson, Assistant to the Bishop, Presenter

Both Session 1 & 2

In this workshop Rev. Christopherson will provide all the participants with in depth knowledge on how to effectively conduct SPRC meetings with realistic examples of common issues that Staff Parish Relation Committees face today. This is a hands on workshop that will provide valuable resources. Whether you have been on SPRC before or are brand new to it, this workshop is for you!

Workshop Descriptions (Continued)

4. Senior Social Connections

Rebecca Fraley, Steward Lay Leader & LSSI Social Service Coordinator Senior Housing, Presenter

AM Session only

Many older adults live in the same community most of their lives, but as they age, are unable to get "out and about" like they used to; and, so have lost "connectedness" that is so vital to healthy aging. This program offers an opportunity to connect and/or re-connect them with each other.

5. Suicide Awareness and Prevention

Cheryl Robinson, K-8 Director of Curriculum, Jeff Hippen, 7th grade math teacher & Ken Zuithoff, retired minister/police dept. chaplain, Sterling, IL , Presenter's

Both Session 1 & 2

Each year the number of suicides, in the U.S., exceeds the number of fatalities from auto accidents. A suicide takes place once every 13 minutes! This interactive Suicide Awareness and Prevention session provides an overview of the three levels of suicide training that will be offered, at no cost, in the DeKalb District in 2015. Jeff and Cheryl provide exceptional perspectives to this training as each one lost a son through suicide.

6. Prayer Practices

Rev. Lora Zink & Barb Miller
NIC Spiritual Formation Committee
Both Session 1 & 2

7. Veterans & Military Children & Families Ministries, Jacques Rene Herbert, Veteran and Child Serv., Presenter Both Session 1 & 2

Special Offering

Raising at least \$1 million dollars means that every church needs to make a significant contribution.

- Malaria, a disease spread by mosquitoes:
 3.3 Billion people are at risk of infection
- Kills 655,000 of those infected
- Is a leading killer of children in Africa

Malaria is preventable. When 80% of homes in a village have a bed net, rates of infection drop for the entire community.

Malaria is treatable. Effective means to diagnose and treat malaria already exist.

Malaria is beatable. With our partners, The United Methodist Church aims to eliminate deaths from malaria by 2015.

Registration Deadline is January 19, 2015 Saturday, January 24, 2015 **DeKalb District Leadership Training**

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City, State, Zip:	number, which workshop would	any allergies or reasonabl
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Questions? Call Betsy Smith at 815-561-8285 Mail registration form and \$10.00 per person or \$40 per church to: Rockford/DeKalb Regional Office 7th Street, Suite D, Rochelle, IL 61068 or email to: bsmith@umcnic.org. s.

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