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# VIRTUAL BI-DISTRICT TRAINING DAY

January 15, 2022



## WELCOME TO BI-DISTRICT TRAINING DAY!

Bi-District Training Day is **Saturday, January 15, 2022**. This year's event will be **all virtual** and will take place within the event platform at [bdtd2022.heysummit.com](http://bdtd2022.heysummit.com). This year's keynote speaker is Rev. Michael Beck, author of *Fresh Expressions in a Digital Age: How the Church Can Prepare for a Post Pandemic World* and *Contextual Intelligence: Unlocking the Ancient Secret to Mission on the Front Lines*.

Michael Beck will offer three LIVE sessions during Bi-District Training Day. His Keynote Address will begin at 9:00 a.m. He will also offer two live workshops at 10:00 a.m. and 12:45 p.m. In order to interact with Rev. Beck via Q&A you will need to participate in those sessions during the live broadcast. We also have 54 additional prerecorded workshops for you, all of which will be available beginning at 10:15 a.m. Additionally, this year we are offering five LIVE Zoom Conversations over the lunch break (from 11:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.). You must be signed on at 11:45 to join one of those live Zoom Lunchtime Conversations.

We are offering two different ticket types. You can select a Day-Of Pass for \$30 and have access to all the content for 24 hours OR you can select an All-Access Pass for \$50 and have access to all 62 sessions until July 15, 2022. (That's an **incredible** deal!)

We've prepared this little booklet as a companion piece to the virtual registration. When you register for the event you will be asked to select which workshops you plan to attend. You can select all to have all 62 sessions added to your schedule, OR you can choose from the various categories and sessions in order to have access to the content that interests you most.

Bi-District Training Day is **entirely customizable to fit your schedule and your ministry focus**. On January 15 our event runs from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. In that time period you will be able to participate in **at least** five (5) sessions. (Prerecorded workshop lengths vary so you may be able to squeeze even more in to your day!)

We've prepared the following **sample schedules** to help you think through how you want to structure your day as you prepare to register. YOU can design your day based on your needs, these are just some of the **MANY** different possibilities.

### SAMPLE SCHEDULES

	<b>A</b> LIVE SESSIONS	<b>B</b> WORKSHOPS + LUNCHTIME ZOOM SESSION	<b>C</b> MIX OF LIVE & WORKSHOPS	<b>D</b> ANYTHING YOU WANT!
<b>9:00 AM</b>	Attend Keynote (LIVE Webinar)			
<b>10:15 AM</b>	Michael Beck: Session 2 (LIVE Webinar)	Workshop(s) of your choice (Prerecorded Sessions)	Workshop(s) of your choice (Prerecorded Sessions)	Mix and Match workshops and live sessions. Choose to take a lunch break, or connect with others over lunch via zoom. Choose a schedule that fits you best!
<b>11:45 AM</b>	Workshop(s) of your choice (Prerecorded Sessions)	Live Lunchtime Zoom (LIVE Zoom Meeting)	Take a Lunch Break	
<b>12:45 PM</b>	Michael Beck: Session 3 (LIVE Webinar)	Workshop(s) of your choice (Prerecorded Sessions)	Michael Beck: Session 3 (LIVE Webinar)	
<b>2:15 PM</b>	Workshop(s) of your choice (Prerecorded Sessions)	Workshop(s) of your choice (Prerecorded Sessions)	Workshop(s) of your choice (Prerecorded Sessions)	

### CATEGORIES

An event with 60+ workshops can be overwhelming, so we've created some categories or 'tracks' to help you choose the workshops that are most important to you and most applicable to your ministry area. Workshop categories are marked with these icons in the following pages.

☆ Live with Michael Beck

↔ ALL

👦 Children's Ministry

💻 Church Communications

👥 Congregational Care

📖 Discipleship

🗣️ Exploring a Call to Ministry

💰 Stewardship

🌱 Green Church

🗣️ Korean Language

🗣️ Leadership

😊 Meeting and Connecting with New People

🤝 Mental Health

🏠 Multiculturalism

🎵 Music & Worship Arts

👴 Older Adult Ministry

🤝 Outreach & Partnerships

⚖️ Social Justice

➡️ Spiritual Formation

👦 Youth Ministry

🏠 Young Adult Ministry

🗣️ Zoom Lunchtime Conversations

🔄 2021 Repeat



## UNITED METHODIST SOCIAL PRINCIPLES FOR A GLOBAL CHURCH

REV. DR. ROB VAUGHN & BOARD MEMBERS,  
GENERAL BOARD OF CHURCH & SOCIETY

What are the proposed Social Principle revisions and how did they come into being is topic for this brief presentation. The role of our United Methodists in Christian life will also be briefly discussed.



## RESTORATION YOGA: LIFE GROUP SESSION

LARA PANKOWSKI

Experience this Christian Yoga Class! Restore your resilience with this beginner-level class, grounded in scripture, led by Lara Pankowski, RYT-200. Designed to quiet busy minds and open hearts by connecting breath to movement in an uplifting and welcoming format. ALSO, consider how you might connect people in your church and reach new people in your community by connecting faith and yoga!



## WHAT'S LOVE GOT TO DO WITH IT ?

(A CONVERSATION ABOUT THE MINISTRY OF FOSTER CARE)

JILL GAYNOR & SOPHIA BOOKER

Learn more about the foster care system and how you can help children in foster care in Northern Virginia. This session features a firsthand account from a UMFS foster care alumna.



## ANCIENT PRAYERS FOR MODERN VOICES:

PRAYING WITH THE EARLY CHURCH

REV. ANNA ADAMS PETRIN

This workshop will explore popular prayers from early Christian communities that have remained important to Christians for the past two thousand years, and which continue to help us encounter the living God today. The first part of our discussion will focus on two short prayers, the Jesus Prayer and the Veni Creator Spiritus ("Come, Holy Spirit") that can act as companion prayers for daily life and ministry. And the second part of our discussion will focus on the "Liturgy of the Hours," or a broader pattern for sanctifying the whole day.



## YEAR-LONG PREACHING PLANNING

REV. JONATHAN PAGE

This workshop will walk through the importance of advanced planning for preaching. Instruction will include mapping the process of year-long preaching planning as well as ideas for integration of lectionary, preaching in sermon series, and how to adapt plans when life happens.



## GRIEF AND LOSS DURING COVID-19

REV. JUANITA STOKES

The COVID-19 Pandemic has increased the burden of grief and loss. Death of a loved one is not the only cause of grief. This workshop will provide an overview of the losses experienced during the pandemic; recognizing the related symptoms of grief; tips for coping with the grief; recognizing when you need professional help; and how to get help.



## I'M NOT READY: THROW IT ALL AT THE WALL

REV. ANDREW LABAR-DIETZ

This workshop will discuss the practice of ministry as 'trying everything.' We will talk about experimenting, failing, creativity, and a willingness to try new things.



## BUILDING A COMMUNITY OF YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

AMANDA KOENIG

The young professionals group has grown at CUMC through a variety of engagement activities and the subsequent development of a community. Amanda Koenig, the leader of this group, will provide an outline of her strategy in programming and communications as well as some examples of successful events and connections.



## REDISCOVERING IMPORTANCE: 50+ MINISTRIES IN A NEW ERA

MARTHA STOKES

Our understanding of what it means to be "church" has changed over the last two years. How we are the church in the world will continue to evolve. How, then, do we validate the contributions of our senior adults as we guide intentional ministries for those who are age 50+ into this new era?



## GENEROUS

REV. TOM BERLIN

Teaching the generosity of Christian discipleship is more important than ever in this time of hybrid worship and lower pandemic attendance. Participants will gain practical ideas to teach and increase generosity, motivate the local church to be generous, and impact their local community. You will learn about essential elements that can be used throughout the year to help people grow in deeper commitment to God and the ministry of your church.



## MISSIONAL LEADERSHIP 101

SEUNGSOO 'RJ' JUN & KENN SPEICHER

We are called to become a blessing to this world. In this workshop, we will discuss the theological framework on how to become a blessing to the community we are surrounded. We will also introduce some ways to get connected, so we can continue to serve together, in deeper commitment to God and the ministry of your church.



## ALLOWING OURSELVES TO GRIEVE...DIFFERENTLY

### MARTHA STOKES

All of the rituals of the church to support individuals through grief and mourning had to change during COVID. Moving through loss is different for each person, but this time of change has been especially challenging for senior adults. Whether our friends and family are facing the grief of death, loss of independence, employment change, impact of isolation or other possible transitions, our congregational care response must be different.



## DEMENTIA FRIENDLY COMMUNITY EFFORTS: WAYS YOUR CONGREGATION CAN BECOME INVOLVED

### MARTHA STOKES

Dementia Friendly Community efforts, including the Dementia Friends initiative and Dementia Friendly designations, are well underway in the localities of Northern Virginia. Every member of the church and local community benefits when a church takes seriously the need to be more dementia-friendly and dementia capable. Learn more about how your congregation can become involved.



## THE BENEFITS OF COACHING

### REV. JIM CHANDLER & REV. DR. MICHELLE HOLMES CHANEY

Have you ever considered getting a coach? Hear the benefits from two coaches in the Bi-District.



## AN INTRODUCTION TO SIMPLIFIED, ACCOUNTABLE STRUCTURE

### REV. BRIAN BOETTCHER & REV. JASON STANLEY

This session will introduce how the Simplified, Accountable Structure functions in the local church by covering key concepts of simplified, accountable structure, including the connection to a church's mission, vision, and goals. The session will also prepare those who are interested in discerning this governance transition with practical next steps.



## RESPONDING WITH URGENCY WHEN THE WORLD HURTS

### REV. MICHELLE MATTHEWS

As United Methodists, we're really good at the method, but what happens when the needs of the community or the needs of the world don't know, don't care, and don't have time for our method? Mission on the front lines is urgent and requires the church to bend toward that urgency, or we will get left in the dust. Mission on the front lines is ever-moving and ever-permission-giving. Will we move with it? Hear from Pastor Michelle Matthews as she shares the ways that the Kingstowne Communion has dropped everything to respond with urgency when our community or the world hurts.



## YOUNG ADULTS AND THE CHURCH

### REV. DREW ENZ

Come hear from young adults as they discuss the intersection of religion, spirituality, culture and society.



## GREEN YOUR CHURCH TO CARE FOR GOD'S CREATION

### JAYDEE HANSON

This workshop will help your church implement the Virginia Conference Green Church Initiative. You will learn how to green your worship, education, stewardship, mission, evangelism and advocacy for climate justice.



## LECTIO DIVINA (SACRED READING)

### REV. JAMES HENRY

Perhaps you've heard about the monastic tradition of Lectio Divina and wondered if it might be for you? Be part of this seminar where we will briefly touch on the origin of the practice of sacred reading and then dive into trying out the practice. I will offer some various practice hints to help you try it. I hope you will find this helpful as I have in my own spiritual work!



## CONNECTING WITH GOD THROUGH CONTEMPLATIVE PRAYER

### REV. JAMES HENRY

There are several ways to approach prayer from the contemplative tradition. This session will introduce Centering Prayer, Breath Prayer, and Christian Meditation. If you have been looking for ways to broaden your prayer practice, this may be a session worth your time.



## EMPATHY: I SEE YOU AND I FEEL YOU -- KOREAN LANGUAGE

### REV. DR. TAK HYUN CHO

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*\*This workshop will be presented in Korean.*



## BUILDING A DISCIPLESHIP TEAM

### REV. NICKIE MORENO HOWARD

Learn how to build a discipleship team, consider models for a discipleship team and how to encourage leadership and participation on a discipleship team with your local church.



## MAPPING DISCIPLESHIP IN THE LOCAL CHURCH

### REV. NICKIE MORENO HOWARD

In this workshop participants will explore definitions and current models of discipleship. Building from that foundation participants will learn strategies for building a discipleship team in their local church.



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## CONFLICT RESOLUTION AND MEDIATION IN CHURCH SETTINGS

**REV. BETH NEIL**

Blessed are the peacemakers. We are called to love one another, forgive an infinite number of times, and turn the other cheek. How can we live this out when addressing conflict within church settings?

In any group, differences will arise, and the church is no exception. Dissension isn't necessarily bad, for we all have differing ideas and perspectives; however, it becomes a problem when conflict is ignored or poorly managed. Unmanaged conflict can disrupt the work of the church, splinter congregations/church staff, with members sometimes opting to leave. In the process, pastors and church managers may end up spending an inordinate amount of time dealing with conflict among members and staff.

In a church, conflicts need to be resolved without wounding those involved, without allowing toxic environments to flourish, without creating cultures of blame.

This session will explore conflict resolution and mediation strategies modified for church settings. (For example, given that churches often rely on volunteers for much of the work, roles are more fluid, without the same dynamics of performance reviews as found in business settings.)



## MESSY CHURCH: CHURCH, BUT NOT AS YOU KNOW IT!

**CINDY BANEK**

If you have ever been to "regular" church, Messy Church may not look like church to you. At Messy Church, all ages meet together to learn about Christ through games, crafts and activities, music, and storytelling from the Bible. A foundational ingredient of Messy Church is to gather around a table for a snack or meal and build relationship with each others, God and the world. During this workshop, we will discuss the basics of Messy Church and how to begin a Messy Church in your own home church.



## DIGITAL CAMPFIRES FOR COMMUNITY BUILDING

**RYAN DUNN**

A campfire is an inviting event. It serves as an intimate setting for gathering and sharing. Can we bring the same invitational elements from physical campfires into digital space? In this session we'll explore several ways to provide intimate and inviting points of gathering in digital spaces.



## ENGAGING THE CHURCH AND COMMUNITY- THE NEW LIFE STORY

**REV. JOHN OBENG**

This workshop will focus on how New Life International, a new church start is connecting with church members and the community in general for fruitful ministry. The presentation will also throw light on how a conversation of two pastors at a district Christmas party led to a church merger and revitalization.



## HOWDY PARTNER: HOW TO PARTNER

**REV. TIM TATE**

Christ calls us to connect with the world and community around us, but even more importantly, God has placed us and our churches in communities in which we are uniquely positioned by the Spirit to share the Gospel with our neighbors. Such connections can happen well through partnerships with non-profits, other churches, and our district staff. Pastors Carl Chapman and Tim Tate of Warrenton UMC will share the ways in which partnerships have been a blessing to, for, and through the church.



## EXPERIENCES OF THOSE IN CROSS-RACIAL CROSS-CULTURAL APPOINTMENTS

**REV. DR. MICHELLE HOLMES CHANEY**

Several facilitators of the Cross-Racial Cross-Cultural training will share and discuss the experiences and learnings of being in ministry with those of a different culture or ethnicity.



## CROSS-RACIAL CROSS-CULTURAL TRAINING

**REV. DR. MICHELLE HOLMES CHANEY**

The train-the-trainer format of this training will help you and your lay leadership design and deliver a congregationally contextual CC/CR training and begin the steps of developing a CR/CC ministry for your church and community.



## THE CHURCH HAS LITERALLY LEFT THE BUILDING: PROPERTY REDEVELOPMENT TO LIVE INTO GOD'S VISION

**REV. SARAH HARRISON-MCQUEEN & REV. ALLIE ROSNER-BASS**

Two unique stories of living into God's vision through redevelopment of a church's property. In the summer of 2021 Central UMC temporarily relocated so that their existing structure could be demolished. The new structure will be an eight-story building to provide space for worship, pre-school, a commercial kitchen for continued feeding ministries, and 144 committed affordable rental units. The many challenges along this journey grew the resiliency of Central UMC, and they are excited about this new space that will allow them to continue to worship God, serve others, and embrace all.

In late 2022 Arlington Temple UMC will temporarily relocate so that their existing structure can be demolished. The new facility will be built to relate better with the emerging community as Rosslyn redevelops with hi-rise commercial and residential properties intermixed. A relocated entrance and building design to serve future generations will allow this congregation to live into God's vision for their future.



**Workshops are listed here in the order you will find them on the Schedule page online.**

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**Find the category descriptions at:**

[btdt2022.heysummit.com/topics](https://btdt2022.heysummit.com/topics)

## COMMUNICATION IN THE SMALL CHURCH

REV. JESSIE COLWELL

Whether you are serving a solo church or a multi-point charge, learn how to maximize your communication in order to foster fellowship and discipleship. Topics in this session including: worshipping planning, newsletters, on-line small groups, mailings, and best practices for communication.



## WHERE HAVE ALL THE VOLUNTEERS GONE? -- SHIFTING FROM VOLUNTEERING TO SERVING

REV. JASON STANLEY

Thanks to COVID-19, churches are experiencing a decline in volunteers. What would happen if we made the shift from recruiting volunteers to equipping servants? The ministry of every church relies on the ministry of the laity. This session will explore ways to equip the laity to serve in and through the church for disciple-making.



## OVERCOMING THE STIGMA OF MENTAL ILLNESS

ERIN GALLAGHER

Research has revealed that many individuals feel more comfortable going to their pastor's office with mental health challenges than they do going to their doctor's office. This presents an incredible opportunity for pastors to educate people about mental illness -- that it is a medical condition and not a reflection of poor character or faith. These are deeply ingrained stigmas and we need all the help we can get to break those down! In this session you will hear from storyteller Becky LeBlanc about her lived experience with mental illness and her church community, researcher Kristin Kosyluk, PhD, about her research on the topic of stigma and Matthew Na, LMSW, who will share his perspective as both a minister and a mental health professional.



## YOUTH MINISTRY: WORK SMARTER, NOT HARDER

YOUTH MINISTRY CLERGY COHORT

Do you find yourself feeling stuck in youth ministry? Do you feel lonely and frustrated at the lack of help and support to minister to young people? Are you feeling yourself burning out? You aren't alone. This happens all the time. So, why not come together and work smarter, not harder?



## ROOTS & WINGS: ANCIENT-MODERN WORSHIP

AARON MILLER

Incorporate ancient hymns and prayers in modern worship settings creatively and effectively. This workshop explores what it means to plan and facilitate worship that is rooted and relevant, ancient and modern, transcendent and timeless.



## DIGITAL WORSHIP DURING THE PANDEMIC AND BEYOND: INSPIRATION FOR CONNECTION AND EVANGELISM

REV. BILLY KLUTTZ

Digital worship through Zoom and social media platforms is here to stay. We'll discuss best practices for digital worship and equip you with ideas for better connecting across the screen through worship online that is engaging, participatory, and outreach-oriented.



## GENERAL CONFERENCE UPDATE

REV. TOM BERLIN

Is it on or is it off? How will they decide if the 2022 General Conference will be held? What is happening with key legislation like the Protocol of Reconciliation Through Separation or the Christmas Covenant? These questions and more will be answered so that your church can have the latest news on our global denominational meeting.



## CREATING A BUDDY PROGRAM-- OFFERING SUPPORT TO THOSE WITH DIFFERENT ABILITIES

LAUREN SOLJANYK

Workshop will provide a how-to and a why for creating a Buddy Program, focusing on how to offer one to one support, how to organize the program, how to manage it, and expected outcomes potentially across several ministries.



## ADVANCED VIDEO EDITING TIPS

HUNTER BRYN

Hang out with the VAUMC digital media specialist, Hunter Bryn, as he walks through his Zoom Fatigue video as he teaches his advanced editing tips. In this workshop you'll learn the different cuts you can use while editing, how to make titles, audio mastering, and color correction!

This workshop is a follow-up to our "How to Make A Video" workshop and features advanced techniques.



All prerecorded workshops will be available starting at 10:15 a.m.

Attendees may watch these sessions at any time.

Michael Beck's keynote address and workshop sessions as well as the Zoom Lunch Conversations happen live at specific times during the day.

## PODCASTING 101

### HUNTER BRYN

Join Hunter Bryn, Host of the 1000 Question Christian, as he teaches the basics of podcasting. From forming your new podcast's topic to marketing your podcast on all networks, Podcasting 101 will set you up to start recording your awesome podcast ideas!



## CRISIS COMMUNICATIONS

### MADELINE WHITE

Would you know to do if a news reporter contacted you for a quote? What would you do if a staff member posted something on social media that upset the congregation? Knowing what to do in a crisis is even more important in today's online world. Learn more with this video resource with Madeline Pillow White, Virginia Conference Director of Communications.



## WHO IS MY NEIGHBOR?

### KIM JOHNSON & CYNTHIA LOPYNSKI

Take the guesswork out of ministry decisions. Mission Insite is a tool that will help you understand your community, identify community needs and make informed decisions about ministry offerings. Find out how you can use this resource to bless your community.



## GIFTS TO SHARE

### CYNTHIA LOPYNSKI

Every person is a gift from God with unique gifts to share. Using their gifts helps them grow closer to God and become who God created them to be. How can the church help people identify and exercise their gifts? This workshop will discuss some of the tools that are available and how churches might implement a gift discovery process.



## HYBRID DISCIPLESHIP:

### THE FUTURE OF DISCIPLESHIP IN A POST-PANDEMIC WORLD

#### RACHEL HAGEWOOD WITH REV. EVELYN ARCHER-TAMINGER, REV. NILSE FURTADO-GILLIAM, & WILLIAM (BILL) GRAY

Most of us were not trained to lead a church through a global pandemic. Yet, that is what we each have done over the last twenty-two months. What lessons did we learn? How do we merge our pre- and post-pandemic practices to build faithful models of discipleship? Where does the church go from here? In this session, host Rachel Britt Hagewood (Amplify Engagement Manager, UMPH) speaks with Bill Gray (Director of Grow Ministries at Floris FUMC), Rev. Nilse Furtado-Gilliam (Associate Pastor of Clarendon UMC), and Rev. Evelyn Archer-Taminger (Associate Pastor of Burke UMC) about discipleship, teaching, and community in a post-pandemic world. They will share with Rachel how using Amplify Media connects their faith communities with theologically sound, inspiring study resources and tools.



## DECONSTRUCTION AND EXVANGELICALS:

### BETTER UNDERSTAND THE NEEDS OF THOSE HURT BY CHURCH

#### MEGAN RAE DIETRICK

We are all aware of the exodus many pastors are seeing from their church pews. Terms like "deconstruction" and "exvangelical" are becoming more prevalent in the news, as people have a crisis of faith or simply feel disillusioned with evangelical Christianity. However, many of those people leaving the church still crave a relationship with God and a deeply connected community. In this workshop, Megan will share her own experience and knowledge of the exvangelical community, as well as ways the church can better serve those in our community who are fleeing fear-based religion.



## PARTNERSHIPS FOR IMPACT

### REV. DR. MICHELLE HOLMES CHANEY & REV. DAN JACKSON

As church resources decrease, it is vital for churches to consider partnerships so the work in the community remains sustainable.



## DISCERNING YOUR CALL

### REV. CRYSTAL SYGEEEL

This video presentation will help participants explore ways to discern their vocation within the church and beyond.



## TRANSFORMING THE WORLD THROUGH WORSHIP

### REV. LEIGH ANNE TAYLOR

The *Fellowship of United Methodists in Music and Worship Arts* exists to assist worship leaders in creating meaningful worship experiences that bring people into deeper relationships with God and each other.



## MULTICULTURAL MINISTRY IN KOREAN IMMIGRANT CHURCH

### REV. EUGENE KIM

#### 다문화 사역과 한인교회

교회 내부와 교회 외부를 문화적으로 살펴보자. 교회 외부는 이미 다문화 (multiculturalism)로 구성되어 있다. 하지만, 교회 내부는 여전히 일원화된 문화 (monoculturalism)속에 놓여 있다. 문화적 단절이 교회 내부와 외부 사이에 생기기 되었다. 이러한 문화적 분리 속에서 어떻게 복음을 위한 다문화 사역 (multicultural ministry)을 한인교회가 감당할 수 있을까? 우리 교회는 어떻게 언어와 문화가 다른 이웃을 향한 사역을 시작할 수 있을까? 어떤 사역이 가능할까? 이러한 질문들은 한인교회의 지역 내에서의 역할, 그리고 선교적 역할에 대한 근본적인 질문이다. 이러한 질문들을 함께 고민해 보고, 다문화 이웃을 향한 한인 교회의 사역들에 대해 함께 길을 찾아보고자 한다.

*\*This workshop will be presented in Korean.*



## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN CHILDREN'S MINISTRY?

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY LEADERS NOVA

We asked a few Children's Ministry directors and leaders what things look like in their ministries and churches right now. Looking for some new ideas for working with the kids in your congregation? Check out this session.



## YOUTH MINISTRY: IT'S HARD BUT IT'S AWESOME

### NOVA UMC YOUTH MINISTRY COHORT

We sat down with some folks who are doing youth ministry and asked them what things look like NOW. In this workshop, folks who work with teenagers talk about their wins, what has changed for this school year, the struggle with volunteers, and share some 'pro-tips' to help you navigate the important work of walking with students.



## CHURCH COMMUNICATIONS: WHAT WE'VE LEARNED

### NOVAUMC CHURCH COMMUNICATORS

A group of church communicators talks about what they've learned over the last year and what they are looking forward to in 2022.



## LUNCHTIME ZOOM CONVERSATIONS

LIVE 11:45 AM - 12:30 PM

### OUTREACH & SERVICE: LUNCH ZOOM

#### FACILITATOR: DARLENE RUNALDUE

Join others interested in caring for others in service to church, community and world in a lunchtime conversation. Share resources and ideas with one another.



### EXPLORING PATHWAYS FOR SPIRITUAL FORMATION: LUNCH ZOOM

#### FACILITATOR: JERRY TAYLOR

Join this informal group as we discuss and explore some pathways for Spiritual Formation. We will begin with the ancient practice of Lectio Divina and identify several other Spiritual Disciplines and opportunities for further development of a personal devotional lifestyle. Bring your curiosity and questions.



### CHURCH GROWTH IN A DIVERSE WORLD: LUNCH ZOOM

#### FACILITATOR: REV. DR. MICHELLE HOLMES CHANEY

A conversation about the changing racial demographics of our communities and the impact on church growth.



### YOUTH MINISTRY: LUNCH ZOOM

#### FACILITATOR: KIM JOHNSON

Join other youth ministry leaders in conversation. Over the lunch break, we will talk about what youth ministry looks like right now, we will share resources with one another, and we will connect to others who also have a passion for serving the teenagers in their congregations.



### KIDS MINISTRY: LUNCH ZOOM

#### FACILITATOR: CINDY BANEK

Join other kids and children's ministry leaders for a facilitated conversation over the lunch break.



## TICKETS & REGISTRATION

Registration is NOW OPEN.

To register for Bi-District Training Day, visit [bdttd2022.heysummit.com](https://bdttd2022.heysummit.com).

### TICKET TYPES

#### DAY-OF PASS

\$30/person

Have access to ALL Bi-District Training Day content on January 15.

Access to Day-Of and Replays  
All content available for 24 hours.

#### ALL-ACCESS PASS

\$50/person

Get access to ALL Bi-District Training Day content for 6 months. Beginning on Bi-District Training Day (January 15) all content will be available to you until July 15, 2022.

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