

## REGISTRATION FORM

Check one:

- Basic Lay Servant Course**
- Exploring Prayer**
- Using PowerPoint in Worship**

**Students are responsible to order their own books.**

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Your home church

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Your pastor

**Please make all checks made out to UNYAC by Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017**

**Please mail registration & check to:**  
Vida Johnson  
Lay Servant Class Registrar  
34 S. Maple St.  
Corning, NY 14830

**Cost:** \$25.00

## Instructors:

### Basic:

**Peter O'Neill:** I moved to Elmira in February 2016 and attends New Beginnings UMC and is its Lay leader. I came from Long Island, where I was an active United Methodist, serving as a Lay Leader, Finance Chair and Church Council Chair. I have been a Certified Lay Servant since 1990 and have taught a number of Basic and advance courses. I was a District Director and the New York Annual Conference Director of Lay Servant Ministries prior to coming to the Mountain View District.

**Pastor Mark Flandreau:** Mark has been a Licensed Local Pastor for 7 years. As a Lay Person he was a Certified Lay Minister and District Lay Leader. He taught Basic Lay Speaking (precursor to Basic Lay Servant) for over five years.

### Exploring Prayer:

**Vida Johnson:** is a Certified Lay Servant who attends Grace UMC in Corning. She is active in the church ministry, serving on the Church Council, Finance Committee and the Membership Care Committee. She also serves as the Lay Member to Annual Conference. She has previously taught the Basic Lay Servant Ministries course, the Pastoral Caregiving course and Leading Public Prayer.

**Sue Flandreau:** Sue Flandreau is a Certified Lay Servant and a member of Big Flats UMC where she is a member of the UMW. Sue worships at Addison UMC where her husband Mark is the pastor. She is involved in all the outreach and fund-raising activities and is the Lay Member to Annual Conference. Previously, Sue has taught the Basic Lay Servant course.

### Using PowerPoint in Worship:

**Ed Jaqua:** Ed is a Certified Lay Servant who is in the candidacy process for pastoral ministry. He has taught youth group and Sunday school, sung in the choir, and served as Lay Supply. He was an Equalization Member to Annual Conference.



## Mountain View District Lay Servant Ministries

Presents:

### 2017 Spring Training Workshops

All classes will be held at:

Hornell UMC

7528 N. Main St. Ext.

Hornell, NY 14843

**Dates:** Sunday Afternoons

March 12, 19, & 26

**Time:** 2:00-6:00 pm

### Classes Being Offered:

- *The Basic Lay Servant Course*

### Advanced Courses

- Prayer
- Using PowerPoint in Worship

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*Registrations Ends February 23, 2017*

**MUST ATTEND ALL FOUR CLASSES**

Church is Handicap Accessible

## **Basic Lay Servant Course**

Led by: Peter O'Neill & Pastor Mark Flandreau

Learn what Lay Servant's roles are as defined by the Book of Discipline. Delve into the concept of "call". Explore how we are all called by God to use our gifts and graces in proclaiming the Gospel. Students will use the newly developed course for Basic Lay speaking with emphasis on leading, living and witnessing by the Spirit rather than preaching. This reflects the new membership vows which say that we will support the church with our prayers, our presence our gifts and **our witness**. There are excellent sessions on our Wesleyan heritage, Spiritual gifts, on servant leadership, caring ministries and communication.

The book needed for this class is *Lay Servant Ministries – Basic Course Participant's Book* by Sandy Jackson with Brian Jackson, is available at Cokesbury and Amazon, ISBN- 9780881776263

**Students must order their own books**

## **Prayer**

Led by Vida Johnson & Sue Flandreau

Students will explore various methods of praying individually and corporately, explore sources of prayer in the Bible and in the United Methodist Hymnal and learn to write basic prayers. The overall objective is to enhance the students' prayer experience by acquainting them with a variety of prayer methods and resources. Students should read the Introduction, the first 6 chapters and the Conclusion before the first class.

The book for the course is *Beginning Prayer* by John Killinger (Upper Room Books) ISBN 978-08358-1186-6 Price \$ 13.99 Here is the link to order the book. <http://bookstore.upperroom.org/Products/1186/beginning-prayer.aspx>

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## **Scholarships?**

There are some funds for scholarships. If you need help financing a course, please check with your church first. If you still need funds, please contact Vida Johnson at [mevidaloca@stny.rr.com](mailto:mevidaloca@stny.rr.com) or at 607-962-0788

## **Using PowerPoint in Worship**

Led by Ed Jaqua

In this class we'll talk about what added value PowerPoint brings to your pastor and the worship service, some of the things you can do with PowerPoint and how to use them, some constraints on your use of PowerPoint, and how to work with your pastor and worship team. The course will include instruction, sharing and hands-on practice.

**Please bring a laptop** with you if you are able to and it would be an asset to you if it has a **PowerPoint program** already on the laptop.

**No book required**