



Mohawk District



Lay Servant Course Offerings - Spring 2024

(Course Registration Form is included with this notice.)

The **Advanced in-person LSM Course “Leading Worship”** will be offered at the Lowell UMC, 5840 Lowell Road, Lowell, NY 13490 beginning Saturday, **April 13th and continuing on Saturday, April 20, 2024.** Class times are 9 am to 3 pm each Saturday. Registration cut-off date is April 5, 2024. Each participant is required to obtain their own text “Worshiping with United Methodists” by Hoyt Hickman. Text may be obtained through www.UpperRoom.org/store or through www.Amazon.com for \$11.99. (Check Amazon for used books). Please complete the attached registration form, enclose a check payable to “UNYAC” in the sum of \$20.00 and send to the Mohawk District office. This is one of the six required advanced courses to be recognized as a Certified Lay Speaker. CLM Wendy Grosjean is the instructor for this class.

The **Advanced LSM in-person Course “ Discover Your Spiritual Gifts”** will be offered at the Delta UMC, 6825 Hawkins Corners Road, Rome, NY 13440 beginning on Saturday, **April 13th and continuing on Saturday, April 20, 2024.** Class times are 9 am to 3 pm both days. Registration cut-off date is April 5, 2024. Students are responsible for obtaining their own textbook prior to start of class. Textbook for this course is “Rediscovering Our Spiritual Gifts” by Charles Bryant. Text is available from www.upperRoom.org/store. Cost is \$ 11.99. Check out www.amazon.com for used at \$4.99 plus S&H. Please complete the attached registration form, enclose a check payable to “UNYAC” in the sum of \$20.00 and send to the Mohawk District office. This is one of the six required advanced courses to be recognized as a Certified Lay Speaker. This course is also a requirement for those considering Certification as a Lay Minister. Class Leader is CLS Paul Phister.

The **Advanced in-person LSM Course “ Enough”** will be offered at the Delta UMC, 6825 Hawkins Corners Road,. Rome, NY 13440 beginning Tuesday, **May 7th and continuing on Tuesday, May 14, 2024.** Class times are 9 am to 3 pm both days. Registration cut-off date is April 30, 2024. Students are required to obtain their own textbook prior to the start of class. Textbook for this course is “Enough” by Adam Hamilton and may be obtained through www.amazon.com for \$14.99. Check for used books on amazon.com. Please complete the attached registration form, enclose a check payable to “UNYAC” in the sum of \$20.00 and send to the Mohawk District office.

Money has great power over our lives. Finances can become a source of pain and cause problems even for the most prudent and thoughtful people. Everyone, regardless of the reason, must come to realize that what they have is all they really need. Class Leader is CLS Paul Phister.

The Advanced in-person LSM Course “Embracing Personal Prayer” will be offered at St. Paul’s UMC, 551 Sayles St, Oneida, NY 13421 beginning on Saturday, **May 25th and continuing on Saturday, June 1, 2024.** Class times are 9 am to 3 pm both days. Registration cut-off date is May 15, 2024. Students are required to obtain their own textbook prior to the start of class. Textbook for this class is “Lord Teach us to Pray” by Margie Burger. Text may be obtained through www.upperRoom.org/store for \$10.00. Check for used books on amazon.com. Please complete the attached registration form, enclose a check payable to “UNYAC” in the sum of \$20.00 and send to the Mohawk District office. Class Leader is CLM Ken Guilfoyle.

The education grace period to obtain your continuing education has now expired. If you have not completed an advanced Course since 2020 you will need to complete an Advanced course by December 31, 2024 to remain active as a Certified Lay Servant.

Lay Servant Courses are available and open to all, whether or not the participant wishes to be recognized as a Certified Lay Servant/Speaker/Minister in the Mohawk District.

To obtain additional information about the Mohawk District Lay Servant Classes, Contact : Ken Guilfoyle, CLM, 315 254 6673 or kguilf2855@aol.com .

**Ken Guilfoyle, CLM, Director,
Mohawk District Committee on Lay Servant Ministries**

LSM Course Registration Form

**Upper New York Conference of the United Methodist Church
Mohawk District Committee on Lay Servant Ministries**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____ **E-Mail:** _____

Home Church: _____

Course Name: _____

Dates: _____

Mail this completed registration form and the course fee payment (\$20.00) check payable to UNYAC. Mail to Mohawk District, Lay Servant Course, POB 2208, Gouverneur, NY 13642.

NOTE: Registered Students attending Approved Mohawk District sponsored Lay Servant Courses are required to obtain their own textbooks for the class.

Note: All participants for the “Basic” course are required to have the approval of their home church in order to enroll and participate in the class .

“By my signature below, I signify that I approve this person to be enrolled in the “Basic” Lay Servant Ministry course.”

Pastor/Admin Chair/Lay Leader Signature:

NOTE: No Signatures required for Advanced Lay Servant Course Enrollment.