

REGISTRATION FORM

➤ **Biblical Storytelling I**

➤ **Exploring Healing Prayer**

Students are responsible for ordering their own books.

Your Name

Your home address

Your phone number with area code

Your cell phone number with area code

Your email address

Your district

Your home church

Your pastor

- I am taking this class for my own spiritual growth and do not require LSM credit (no fee)

Please make all checks payable to UNYAC. Cost: \$25.00* zoom classes \$15.00

Please mail registration & check
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Be A Disciple - Online Learning

Did you know that there are classes for Lay Servant Ministry online:

Upcoming is, "Patterned by Grace," starts February 26

Join Daniel Benedict in a transformative exploration of his text, *Patterned by Grace: How Liturgy Shapes Us*. Discover how patterned actions through the art of ritual and worship carry us into ministry and mission. IFD 375 will enhance your understanding and appreciation of practices inherent in our deep and historic traditions; how they open doors to life in today's world. This course has been approved by [Discipleship Ministries](#) as an advanced course in Lay Servant Ministries. It provides the required 10 contact hours and is eligible for 1.0 CEU.

For a full list of upcoming classes and registration information please visit [BeADisciple Course Schedule | BeADisciple.com](#)

Certified Lay Servants and Certified Lay Ministers are reminded that in order to retain their certification they must submit reports annually to their local charge conference as well as complete at least one approved Advance Course every three years.



Mountain View District Lay Servant Ministries

Presents:

2024 Winter/Spring Classes

**Exploring Healing Prayer
Retreat**

Corning Grace UMC
Friday, March 1st, 12- 5
Saturday March 2, 9-4
Biblical Storytelling
Big Flats / Zoom

April 3-May 1, 2024
Wednesdays,
6 pm - 8:30 pm

***Please register by Feb. 15th 2024
to reserve your space in class.***

Lay Servant Ministry Courses are open to any one interested in growing in their faith and understanding of the varied ways in which lay people engage through ministry in their local church. Pastors will receive 1. CEU for attending the Advanced Classes

What courses would you like?

Please help us in planning upcoming LSM courses by answering a few questions.

- I can attend in person classes in district
- I prefer zoom options for courses
- The best time for me to meet:
 - Daytime
 - Evenings
 - Saturday's

Please check below which courses you would like to see offered in Mountain View District

- Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts
- Called to Preach
- Leading Missional Small Groups
- Leading Prayer
- Leading Worship
- Life Together in the UMC Connection
- Living Out Our UMC Beliefs
- Conflict Resolution
- Christian Transformational Leaders
- Ministry With the Forgotten (Dementia)
- God's Mission Our Journey
- Biblical Storytelling
- Exploring Healing Prayer

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Biblical Storytelling I

Led by Bob Briggs

Learning the sacred stories of Scripture by heart and sharing them with others is both an ancient-future art and a powerful spiritual practice. This course's methods, developed by the Network of Biblical Storytellers International (NBSI), are for everyone who wishes to learn, to tell and to connect with God and other people through the ancient-future art and spiritual discipline of telling the sacred stories of Scripture – yes, you can do it too!

By the end of the course you will be able to share at least one text with others by heart (not "memory"), and you will understand how this completely non-technological art fits into a digital communications world. Whether you work with children in Sunday School or dream of bringing Scripture to life in worship or elsewhere, your ministry and your spirit will be enriched by this art.

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Dancing With Words by Ray Buckley.
Available at Amazon or
Upper Room Books

<https://bookstore.upperroom.org/Products/DR407/dancing-with-words.aspx>

Stretch Out Your Hand - Exploring Healing Prayer - Lent Study Retreat

Led by Susan Silhan and Kim Snyder

This study, written by Tilda Norberg and Robert D. Webber explores the Christian practice of Healing Prayer. They share stories of healing, answer some frequently asked questions about healing prayer and explore the practice of praying for individuals, social institutions and the church.

The author's share their growing faith in God's desire to bring wholeness.

"Whenever we open ourselves to the activity of the Holy Spirit, some kind of healing takes place....Not all healing will be physical, of course, often healing comes in emotional and spiritual realms where God's love is able to overcome every obstacle". The Authors.

Text

[Stretch Out Your Hand - Exploring Healing Prayer - Tilda Norberg and Robert D. Webber](#)

[Stretch Out Your Hand - Upper Room Books](#)