

Mohawk District

Lay Servant Basic & Advanced Course Offerings Fall 2025

1) “Called to Preach” Lay Servant (on-line) Advanced Course being Offered by Pastor Donna Fitchette

Offered via Google Meet (Must have a google account)

August 12th

August 19th

August 26th

September 2nd

September 9th

All classes will be from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Please register with the district office at: tammymcadam@unyumc.org

The book “From Pew to Pulpit” by Clifton F. Guthrie can be purchased at Amazon www.amazon.com. Cost new \$ 15.99. (Check for used books.)

2) “How to Fight Racism: Courageous Christianity and the Journey Toward Racial Justice” Advanced Lay Servant Course

Being offered by Paul Phister, CLS

Offered in-person at Delta UMC, 6825 Hawkins Corners Road, Rome, NY
13440

Sept 13th

Sept 20th

9 am to 3 pm Both Saturdays

The participant's text book "Courageous Christianity --" by Jemar Tisby can be purchased from www.cokesbury.com , Cost new \$15.29 (check www.Amazon.com for used books.)

3) Introduction to Lay Servant Ministries - Basic Lay Servant Course

Being offered by Pastor Joelle Faulks

Offered in-person at Morning Star UMC, 36 Second Street, (enter from Morgan St. Entrance) Ilion, NY 13357

Nov. 8th

Nov 22nd

9 am to 3 pm both Saturdays

The participant's text book "Lay Servant Ministries, The Basic Course" by Sandy Zeigler and Brian Jackson can be purchased from www.upperroom.org/store Cost new \$12.00 (check www.amazon.com for used books.)

Lay Servant courses are open to all whether or not one wishes to pursue recognition as a Certified Lay Servant.

Ken Guilfoyle, CLM, Director (315 254 6673)

Mohawk District Committee on Lay Servant Ministries

Participants Registration Form (for in-person Courses)

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: _____

NOTE: Registered Students attending Approved in-person Mohawk District Lay Servant Courses are required to obtain their own textbooks prior to the start of the class.

The in-person course fee (\$20.00) is payable in advance to the UNYAC.
Mail this completed registration form and course payment to: Lay Servant Course, Mohawk District, POB 208, Gouverneur, NY 13542

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

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

Pastor’s Signature:

Or: Admin Chair/Lay Leader Signature:
