

## Registration Information

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:  
APRIL 26, 2024**

*Payment must be made by check.  
No other forms of payment will be accepted.*

**MAKE CHECKS FOR \$25 PAYABLE TO:  
Upper New York Annual Conference  
(UNYAC)**

**Please complete and return the attached  
registration form and payment to:**

*Cora M Martin, Co-Director  
Cornerstone District  
Lay Servant Ministries Committee  
3250 West Five Mile Road  
Allegany, NY 14706*

*or*

*E-mail: [cmm9668@aol.com](mailto:cmm9668@aol.com)  
(check can be brought to training)*

**YOU MUST BE PAID IN FULL  
BY DAY OF TRAINING.**

*Cornerstone District  
Lay Servant Ministries*

*Cora Martin, Director  
[cmm9668@aol.com](mailto:cmm9668@aol.com)*

*Rev. Carlos Rosa-Laguer  
District Superintendent*

## Registrants

**It is your responsibility to order  
and read the text and any other  
material before class.**

*It is suggested that material  
be ordered at least 3 weeks prior  
to training. Your instructor will  
notify you of any other  
assignment(s) or material(s)  
required.*

**Attendance is required for the  
entire 10 hours of course time.**

*Material can be purchased  
through Cokesbury.  
[www.cokesbury.com](http://www.cokesbury.com)  
1-800-672-1789*

*Class size may be limited.  
Undersubscribed classes  
may be cancelled.*

## Schedule

### Friday

5:00 - 6:00 PM Gather/Registration  
6:00 - 6:25 PM Welcome and Worship  
6:30 - 9:00 PM Class

### Saturday

8:00 - 8:30 AM Gather/Coffee Hour  
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM Class  
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM Lunch  
1:30 - 5:00 PM Class



## Cornerstone District Spring 2024 Lay Servant Training School

Friday, May 3, 2024  
Saturday, May 4, 2024

Registration deadline: April 26, 2024  
Registration not guaranteed after deadline.



**Hosted by:**

**Camp Street UMC  
110 Stanford Drive  
Jamestown, NY 14701**

*Handicap Accessible*



## Course Descriptions

### INTRODUCTION TO LAY MINISTRY: THE BASIC COURSE

This course is the foundation for all courses in lay servant ministries. Participants are encouraged to discover & employ personal spiritual gifts as God intended and to consider the importance of exercising servant leadership, developing future leaders, remaining rooted in consistent spiritual practices and being part of a group that holds members accountable in their discipleship.

Required text: *Introduction to Lay Ministry: The BASIC Course* (Participant's book) by Sandy Zeigler Jackson and Brian Jackson.

Leader - Susan Hardy, Certified Lay Speaker, District Lay Leader-Cornerstone District

### CALLED TO PREACH

This course is designed for those who have not completed formal preaching training, for pastors seeking a basic refresher course, and for others who are called upon to preach in a pastor's absence. (This course is the required preaching course in the lay speaker track of study.)

Required text: *From Pew to Pulpit* by Clifton F. Guthrie (Participant's book)

Leader - Pastor Craig Buelow, Northern KonXions, Belfast/Wellsville First UMC, Wellsville

## Course Descriptions

### DISCOVER YOUR SPIRITUAL GIFTS

This course helps participants understand spiritual gifts and how the church can use them to fulfill its mission and ministry. Participants will also learn what it means to be a spiritual leader and will be equipped to lead others in exploring and using their spiritual gifts.

Required text: *Each One A Minister* by William J. Carter (Participant's book)

Leader - Michael Quesenberry, Certified Lay Servant, Trinity Unity Methodist Church, Olean

### LEADING MISSIONAL SMALL GROUPS

This course teaches the Wesleyan way to form missional communities and congregations. It is based on the conviction that just as holiness of heart leads to holiness of life, it is communities of holy love that participate in God's mission in the world.

Required text: *Transforming Community* (Participant's book) by Henry H. Knight III and F. Douglas Powe, Jr.

Leader - Rev. Stephen Crowell, Sr., KonXions UMC, Belmont

**REGISTRATION FORM  
2024 SPRING - MAY 3-4  
LAY SERVANT TRAINING SCHOOL**

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:**  
*April 26, 2024*  
*(Please print)*

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YOUR CHURCH

**PLEASE CHECK THE COURSE FOR WHICH  
YOU ARE REGISTERING.**

**ALL FULL DAY CLASSES COST \$25/PERSON  
AND INCLUDES LUNCH AND BREAK  
REFRESHMENTS**

\_\_\_\_\_ THE BASIC COURSE

\_\_\_\_\_ CALLED TO PREACH

\_\_\_\_\_ DISCOVER YOUR SPIRITUAL GIFTS

\_\_\_\_\_ LEADING MISSIONAL SMALL GROUPS

\_\_\_\_\_ SPECIAL NEEDS \_\_\_\_\_