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2021 Spring Lay Academy

Via Zoom

5 Sundays Beginning February 21



February 21, 28,
March 7, 14 & 21,
2021
2 to 4 p.m.

Indicate your choice of class by checking the appropriate box:

Introduction to Lay Ministry: The BASIC Course

This course is foundational for all courses in lay servant ministries. Participants are encouraged to discover and 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. Instructor: Roger Curless

Called to Preach

“Called to Preach” 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. “Called to Preach” is the required preaching course in the lay speaker track of study. Instructor: Rev. Becky Nicol

Biblical Storytelling: Dancing with Words

Students in this course will learn what constitutes a good story, discover storytelling styles, learn the techniques of effective storytelling – especially the sacred stories of Scripture – and practice creating stories from their experiences. Instructor: Rev. JoAnne Chase

Leading Worship

This course focuses on the ministry of the Lay Servant who either regularly or occasionally leads a group, class, organization, or the congregation in worship. The course is grounded in the classic patterns of Christian worship and the practices of leading worship. Students will come to understand more about Christian worship in order to lead worship with more confidence. Instructor: Chuck Dexter

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\$20.00 Registration Fee by 2/15/2021

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