Charleston District Lay Servant Ministries School Registration

Cokesbury United Methodist Church

4990 Dorchester Road North Charleston, South Carolina 29418

School Dates and Times:

Saturday, September 14 (9:00 am - 5:00 pm) Sunday, September 15 (2:30 pm - 5:00 pm) (Lunch will be served on Saturday)

Registration must be received by: August 31, 2024. Class size is limited, so register early.

Payment Information	Mail To:
The course cost is \$ 30.00. (Non-refundable)	Charleston District Office - UMC
Submit a check or money order with the registration form. Make	Lay Servant Ministries
check or money order payable: Charleston District - UMC	PO Box 80159
	Charleston, SC 29416

Course Offerings and Book Information

Note: Each participant is required to purchase their book. Ordering information is listed below the course description. If you have a problem ordering your book, Please contact me. We are not allowed to copy any book without permission from the author.

Books can be ordered through:	
Cokesbury.com or Amazon.com	Upper Room Bookstore
(use ISBN order # as listed)	(use DR or AB item # or the ISBN order # as listed)

PLEASE MARK THE COURSE DESIRED BELOW:

BASIC Lay Servant Ministry

This is a required course for all new Lay Servants. It also serves as a refresher for those who wish to be recertified.

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.

The required book: Lay Servant Ministries Basic Course by Sandy Zeigler Jackson, and Brian Jackson DR626 • 978-0-88177-626-3

Lay Servants Lead In Conflict Resolution (New)

Every church deals with conflict, both healthy and unhealthy, and lay servants can be equipped and empowered to help lead through those times of conflict as a time of transformation.

The required book:

Participant's Book -The Spirit and Art of Conflict Transformation by Thomas Porter

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ISBN 978-0-8358-1026-5

United Methodist Heritage

The focus of this course is on the distinctive traditions and emphasis of the United Methodist Church, such as its history, beliefs, mission, and church organization.

The required book:

Participant's Book - The United Methodist Way: Living Our Belief 2nd Edition by Kenneth L. Carder ISBN 978-0-8817-571-6

Call To Preach

This course is designed for those who have not completed formal preaching training and may be called upon to preach in a pastor's absence. This is a required course on the Lay Speaker tract.

The required book: **Participant's Book - From Pew to Pulpit by** *Clifton F. Guthrie* **ISBN 978-0-687-06660-5**

Please Print or Type Carefully - This is the way your name will appear on your Certificate.

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(your pastor may send his/her approval via e-mail to **layservantscharlestondistrict@gmail.com**). Please mention the participant and course name.

If you have any questions, contact Constance Wilborn, Director of Lay Servant Ministry, **Phone:** (843) 797-3736 (home) (leave a message) **Email**: layservantscharlestondistrict@gmail.com

Please keep a copy of this registration form with the class information for your records.