Introduction to Lay Servant Ministries

As Laity, our ministry flows from a commitment to Christ’s outreaching love and the knowledge that we are called to be missional and carry out the Great Commission (Matthew 28:18-20). The “local church is the most significant arena” (BOD ¶120), in which people will come to know Jesus Christ and the U.M.C. will fulfill its mission.

Lay Servant Ministries include equipping sessions that are intended to guide participants through thoughtful reflection on the areas of leading, caring, communicating. So that our “witness, leadership, and service inspires others to a deeper commitment to Christ and more effective discipleship (BOD ¶266).

Introduction To Lay Minisitry – The Basic Course

Required Course Material: Participants Course Book: → DR626 • 978-0-88177-626-3, By Sandy Zeigler Jackson and Brian Jackson. 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.

10 study hours are required for Course Certification of Completion

Course Participants, Order Your Own Books through
Cokesbury.com (telephone 800-672-1789) or
UpperRoom.org (telephone 800-972-0433)

Location: Alda United Methodist Church, 202 E Pine Street Alda, Ne

Time/Date: Friday, March 27th 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 28th from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Leadership Team: Introduction To Lay Minisitry – The Basic Course
Mary Plock, at 402-724-2171, e-mail mplock50@gmail.com; Bill Mowinkel at 308-380-4179, e mail mowinkelbill@gmail.com; Jeanie Leeper, jleeper@greatplainsumc.org, 308-380-7223

Cost: $20.00 Payable upon arrival. Includes snacks and Saturday lunch (make checks payable to Alda UMC)

***Plus ****$15.00 Payable to Great Plains UMC-Prairie Rivers District (mail in with your registration)

Register by March 16th, 2020

Please honor this registration deadline to allow time for you to order, receive, and read your books. Honoring this registration deadline will also give the church a count to prepare the food.

If you have any questions, please contact Jeanie Leeper, at 308 380 7223, e mail jleeper@greatplainsumc.org, or Mary Plock, at 402-724-2171, e-mail mplock50@gmail.com.
Prairie Rivers District
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Registration Page:
Send this entire page to the District Office at the address below.
Please keep a copy for your records.

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Name ____________________________________________________________

Home Phone ____________________ Cell phone _______________________

E mail address __________________________________________________

Mailing Address: _________________________________________________

Your local Church ________________________________________________

Your Pastor’s Signature___________________________________________ Date _______

Mail your $15.00 check payable to “Great Plains Conference PR District” with this form to Lay Servant Training % Prairie Rivers District Office of The United Methodist Church, 511 N Elm St. Ste 2, Grand Island, Ne 68801

*****Note: the $20.00 cost for snacks and meal is separate and is payable upon arrival at the class to the Alda UMC.