

PRAIRIE NORTH SPRING 2022 LAY ACADEMY

Saturday, April 2

8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Sunday, April 3

1:00 pm - 4:30 pm



Cost \$30

Includes: Box lunch (Saturday only), snacks, water and coffee.
Each student will need to purchase their own book.

at Beth Eden UMC 3201 Huffman Blvd, Rockford

Register Online:

umcnic.org/calendar/prairie-north-spring-lay-academy

- 1 Basis Course:** The Basic Course focuses on the three primary aspects of Lay Servant ministry: Leading, Caring and Communicating. Book: *Basic Course-Lay Servant Ministries : Participant's Book* by Sandy Zeigler Jackson & Brian Jackson
- 2 Life Together in the United Methodist Connection (United Methodist Polity):** This course gives participants an overview of the structure and organization of The United Methodist Church. A copy of the 2016 *Book of Discipline* is recommended.
Book: *The Method of our Mission* by Prof. Lacey C. Warner
- 3 Accountable Discipleship:** This course focuses on the concept of the household of God, Scripture as divine revelation, Wesleyan understandings of grace, and the importance of the class leader in the development of the Methodist movement. Book: *Accountable Discipleship* By Steven Manskar
- 4 Soul Reset:** Soul Reset is a call for the church and all of Jesus' disciples to reset and reorder their lives around spiritual practices, to learn to walk through our difficult seasons with our souls connected to the source of Living Water so that we don't burn out or break down.
Book: *Soul Reset - Breakdown, Breakthrough, and the Journey to Wholeness* by Junius B Dotson
- 5 Teaching Biblical Faith: Leading Small Group Bible Studies**
Biblical faith is a lens for viewing life, and Jack Seymour refreshingly illustrates how the reading of scripture is a resource for ongoing theological reflection connecting experience, vocation, daily life, and faith. Student Book: *Teaching Biblical Faith* by Jack L Seymour
- 6 Called to Preach- Llamados a Predicar (Spanish Class)**
Llamados a predicar está diseñado para aquellos que no han completado la capacitación formal de predicación, para pastores que buscan un curso básico de actualización y para otros que son llamados a predicar en ausencia del pastor. Llamado a predicar es el curso de predicación requerido en la pista de estudio de oradores laicos.

All books may be purchased
at your favorite bookseller

QUESTIONS?

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