

# 2019 Wesleyan District Workshop for Church Leaders

Whether you are a new church leader/officer or been around a while, bring your questions and your experience, and JOIN US ON JANUARY 19<sup>th</sup> for our annual Wesleyan District Church Leaders' Workshop. It is so important that we gather together to share, learn and deepen our call to our churches.



Leadership is an extension of discipleship. It calls for Christians who are committed to increasing their leadership skills and developing their spiritual practices.

**This training will be held at the Broad Street United Methodist Church in Weston on January 19, 2019 from 10:00am until noon.** Registration & Fellowship will begin at 9:00am. **There is no charge for this workshop, so please plan to bring your entire team.**

9:30am to 10:00am – Worship & Communion, *Rev. Felica Wooten Williams and Rev. Mary Ellen Finegan.*  
10:00am – 11:30am – Plenary Session, *Rev. Dr. Felica Wooten Williams; Pastor, Simpson Memorial & St. Stephens United Methodist Churches*  
11:30am – 12:30pm – Lunch provided by Broad Street UMC  
12:30pm – 2:30pm – Breakout session of your choice



Breakout Sessions will be held for the following:

#### **Administrative/Church Council:**

*Rev. Steve Meadows, Facilitator*  
*Pastor, First UMC in Buckhannon, WV*

The church council exists to create and supervise the strategic plan for your local congregation fulfills its mission of making disciples of Jesus Christ. This twofold function includes both leadership and management. This session is designed to help equip you and your ministry team to navigate these two functions

#### **Financial Teams/Treasurers:**

*Kim Mathews, Facilitator*  
*Vice President, United Methodist Foundation of WV;*  
*Director of Lay Servant Ministries*

The goal of the ministry of finance is to fund ministries that nurture persons in their faith. The finance system in the congregation will raise, manage, and disperse the funds of the congregation that help realize the mission and vision of the church. This session is designed to help equip you in leading this ministry group in your congregation.

#### **SPRC/PPR:**

*Rev. Cliff Schell, Facilitator*  
*Retired Elder & former Wesleyan District Superintendent*  
The Pastor Parish Relations Committee (PPRC), also known as Staff Parish Committee, serves a key role in establishing the focus of the pastor, staff, and congregation's ministry. This session is designed to help implement and guide the work of the ministry area.

#### **Trustees:**

*Jeff Taylor, Facilitator*  
*President, United Methodist Foundation of WV Inc.*  
Your role as trustee is governed by The Book of Discipline. Being a trustee of your local church is an important role and one in which you can take great pleasure. This session is intended to be a guide as you begin fulfilling your responsibilities, and a reference throughout your tenure as trustee.

#### **Church Leaders' Workshop**

Church: \_\_\_\_\_ How many will attend? \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Attendee Name

Church Role

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Please mail back your registration form to the Wesleyan District office by Jan. 11<sup>th</sup>; PO Box 230; Buckhannon, WV 26201. If you have any questions or want to register by phone, contact the District office at 304-472-1095.