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SATURDAY WORKSHOPS

Please mark the workshops that you would like to attend on Saturday and return this form by **October 4** to Diane Adams by fax (541-296-0939), email (diocese@episdioeo.org) or mail (PO Box 1548, The Dalles 97058). We will confirm workshop space based on pre-registration. Please make note, for yourself, of the workshops for which you have registered.

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Session 1: 11:00 a.m. Choose 1 Workshop

_____ **Safeguarding God's Children** Presenter: *The Rev. Dcn Gaye Lawson*

Safeguarding God's Children is required training for all clergy, all those in process for Holy Orders, all persons who work with or supervise children and/or youth, all parish and diocesan employees, and all Eucharistic Visitors and other pastoral care ministries. It is strongly recommended for Vestry members and others in leadership positions. The training needs to be renewed every three years. This training will take a three-hour time block, so will extend over the lunch break. Participants will eat their lunch while in the training.

_____ **General Convention 2012** Presenters: *General Convention Deputies*

Learn more about what happened at General Convention, what decisions were made and what impact those decisions might have on Eastern Oregon. There will be time for questions and answers.

_____ **Treasurers' Workshop** Presenter: *Tiiu Vahtel*

Parish treasurers, Sr. Wardens, Clergy and vestry members: Questions about what's assessable and what's not? Questions about insurance and lay pension requirements or recommendations? What's required for audit reporting to the diocese? Learn more about best practices in church bookkeeping. Reap the benefits of Tiiu's knowledge and experience from her 24 years of service to the Diocese.

_____ **Partnerships: Sunriver Christian Fellowship** Presenter: *The Rev. Nancy Green and Bob Vogle*

Sunriver Christian Fellowship is a unique ecumenical church blending Episcopal (All Saints of the Cascades), ELCA (Good Shepherd of the Mountains Lutheran) and general membership. Nancy Green, Sr. Pastor of SCF, will review the history and structure of the parish as a new paradigm for small churches. She has previously made this presentation to the Standing Commission on Small Congregations at General Convention, to the Lutheran Synod, and to a Lutheran/Methodist congregation in Hood River.

_____ **Eucharistic Visitors** Presenter: *The Rev. Anna Carmichael*

Overview and preparatory training for the ministry of Eucharistic Visitor. Appropriate as continuing education for experienced licensed Eucharistic Visitors as well as training for those who are seeking licensing.

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**Session 2: 1:45 p.m. Choose 1 Workshop**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Safeguarding God's People** Presenter: Amy McIlvenna

Safeguarding God's People is required training for all clergy, all those in process for Holy Orders, all persons who work supervise others (both paid and volunteer), all parish and diocesan employees, and all Eucharistic Visitors and other pastoral care ministries. It is strongly recommended for Vestry members and others in leadership positions. The training needs to be renewed every three years. This training will take two workshop time blocks. If you choose this training, do not register for a Session 3 workshop.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Worship Leader Training** Presenter: Bishop Nedi

Explore the options for planning and leading the daily offices with Bishop Nedi. Appropriate as continuing education for experienced licensed Worship Leaders as well as training for those who are seeking licensing.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Holy Currencies** Presenter: The Rev. Alison Dingley

A brief exploration of currencies beyond money and how the flowing of these currencies will create sustainable missional ministries. The 6 currencies include: Gracious Leadership, Relationship, Truth, Wellness, Money and Time/Place. This workshop will focus on the Currency of Relationship and how it might be applied to the various partnerships in which our congregations and our ministries are engaged.

*The Rev. Alison Dingley attended extended training in Holy Currencies at Kaleidoscope Institute's Northwest Institute in August, 2012. She will lead participants in continuing the exploration and conversations about Holy Currencies that were begun by Eric Law at the 2011 Diocesan Convention.*

\_\_\_\_\_ **Stewardship as Invitation Rather than Obligation** Presenter: The Rev. Jerry Reynolds

In "Expanding the Paradigm: Stewardship as Invitation Rather than Obligation," Jerry Reynolds will explore the various reasons people financially support non-profits, especially churches, how these reasons shape giving, and explore a philosophy of giving that is potentially more spiritually in tune with Jesus' teachings.

*Reynolds, ordained an Episcopal priest in 1967, has had a lifelong interest in learning how to respond to God's infinite invitations. He believes that our use of our resources, including money, is fundamental to this.*

\_\_\_\_\_ **Partnerships: Cooperative Youth Programs** Presenters: Donna Jacobsen and The Rev. Katy Anderson

Donna Jacobsen, Youth and Neighborhood Programs Director, Trinity, Bend, and The Rev. Katy Anderson, Pastor/Rector, All Saints Episcopal/Hope Lutheran, Heppner will talk about the birth, growth and mission of their respective programs: *First Friday Friends of Jesus* and *Bend Youth Collective*. Both presenters will offer ideas about getting cooperative youth programs started in your local area. Question and answer time will be included.

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Session 3: 3:20 p.m. Choose 1 Workshop – *If you registered for Safeguarding God's People in Session 2, do not choose another workshop for Session 3.*

_____ **Stewardship as Invitation Rather than Obligation: Next Steps**
Presenter: *The Rev. Jerry Reynolds*

Continue the exploration of stewardship as a spiritual practice. This is a follow-up session to the workshop "Stewardship as Invitation Rather than Obligation;" appropriate if you attended the workshop in the previous workshop session or if you attended it at last year's Convention.

_____ **General Convention 2012** Presenters: *General Convention Deputies*

Learn more about what happened at General Convention, what decisions were made and what impact those decisions might have on Eastern Oregon. There will be time for questions and answers. *This is a repeat of the workshop offered in Session 1.*

_____ **Partnerships: Eastern Oregon Haiti Mission** Presenter: *Diane Walworth*

Through words and pictures, Diane will offer information from experience about the partnership between St. Paul's, The Dalles, and Eglise Sainte Esprit, Cap Haitian, Haiti. Diane, a member of St. Paul's, leads the teacher training/education portion of the mission partnership.

_____ **Partnerships: Companion Diocese Program** Presenter: *Bishop Nedi*

Explore with Bishop Nedi the potential for a companion relationship with diocese/s beyond our borders. What are the hopes, dreams, and possibilities that can come from such a relationship?