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June 23, 2022



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*Director of Congregational Development & Mission
Rev. Tara Spuhler McCabe
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*led by Service Never Sleeps
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September 26-28 – Savannah, GA*

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The Hymn Society in the United States will be holding an international conference July 17-21 in Washington, D.C. in celebration of its centennial year. Attached to this message is a press release about this exciting event. Would you be kind enough to share this information with pastors, musicians, and congregations through your communications? We would be happy to welcome them to this gathering.

The Hymn Society is an ecumenical organization of scholars, pastors, practitioners, and others who believe in the power of congregational song. For more information about The Hymn Society, please click [here](#), and for information on our conference, please click [here](#)



MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW!!!



June 23, 2022

Greetings People!

Have you started planning your fall yet? That is easy. Don't get stressed. Just feel blessed to be included in these amazing resourcing and equipping opportunities. Thanks to your Unified Mission Leadership with CDC and MCC, opportunities to thrive and re-vitalize our missional, pastoral, and prophetic ministries are HERE!

1. **Save the Dates:** in collaboration with Baltimore Presbytery, we are looking to provide a weeklong training through [Dialogue for Peaceful Change](#), November 6th – 11th. This will be an in-person training to be held at The Bishop Claggett Center. More details to come.
2. **CAST Coach Training!** This is virtual throughout the Fall 2022. The dates and times are listed in the flyer, included in this TM.



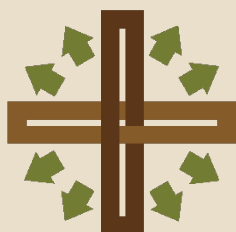
CDC has witnessed a positive collaboration through training and skills that were previously provided in our presbytery in the area of ICF Coach Training. These particular skills have been helpful for congregations as there are now key leaders in their own churches who can support discernment work in areas of mission and vision. Pastors have connected to a deeper energy of service at times in ways of healthy and effective volunteer leadership when it comes to supporting congregational members to discern their gifts. NCP works with coaches to provide leadership for others in our Presbytery as they work with the [Church Assessment Tool](#).

Key leaders in our Presbytery are also individual [coaches](#) that provide leadership discernment throughout the Presbytery.

We hope you will strongly consider participating in this upcoming training! We have at least 12 spots to start off with. Please do not hesitate to contact myself or Rev. John Lee, johnylee65@gmail.com for any questions you may have. We look forward to offering this training again! We see the benefits in equipping you, our members and ordained clergy, so that your churches and the ministry of Jesus Christ can grow.

Peace and Courage,

Rev. Tara Spuhler McCabe



AN EXCITING OPPORTUNITY TO BECOME A FULLY TRAINED COACH!



A highly-interactive course teaching the skills of coaching to leaders

We equip individuals to effectively coach others, and to lead with a “coach-approach” in their context. You will learn the basic and advanced skills of individual, group, and team coaching, plus the integration of the coach approach to leadership. Participants come away with the ability to effectively do “peer coaching” and to lead with a coach approach in their own context. Learn more about Coach Approach Skill Training (CAST) here: <https://coachapproachskilltraining.com/>

**This training is approved by the International Coaching Federation as the first step to becoming an “ICF credentialed coach.” It provides all the training needed to advance as a coach.*

SCHEDULE

ORIENTATION CALL:

September 13, 2022, 10:00am-11:00am Eastern

TRAINING SCHEDULE:

Meeting Time — 9am-noon Eastern

Tuesdays and Thursdays on the following dates:

- WEEK 1: September 20 and September 22
- WEEK 2: September 27 and September 29
- WEEK 3: October 4 and October 6
- WEEK 4: October 11 and October 13
- WEEK 5: October 18 and October 20
- WEEK 6: October 25 and October 27

**Note all times are Eastern. Please do the time conversion if necessary.*

NEXT STEPS?

Refer to the attached letter from Church Development Committee (CDC) and direct questions to: Tara Spuhler McCabe at tspuhlermccabe@thepresbytery.org



NCP – Coach Training (please refer to Rev. Tara Spuhler McCabe’s letter)

A few years back, through the CDC, there was a series of trainings provided for members of NCP to become ICF trained leadership coaches. Out of that pool, NCP witnessed positive outcomes as those leaders moved forward with our congregations and their own calls. We are happy to equip leader again in this training. In turn, you will provide some coaching hours within the work of NCP to support our congregations to thrive and grow. More on this throughout the training.

The training is now virtual! You can see the schedule on the previous flyer.

Funding and Cost for this Training!

- The total cost per participant is \$750.
- Agreeing to this cost, you will provide up to 20hrs of coaching services, team or individual, to the services of the Presbytery supported through CDC services.
- There are scholarships available, please request to Tara

The total cost per NCP participant is being highly subsidized through the Unified Mission Giving, Mission Budget.

If you have any questions about meeting the funding required to participate in this training, please contact Rev. Tara Spuhler McCabe (tspuhlermccabe@thepresbytery.org).

Send an email to Tspuhlermccabe@thepresbytery.org answering the following questions to be considered for Coaching Training:

1. What can ministry coaching mean to you?
2. What excites you about congregations and ministry these days?
3. What are patterns that you see or experience in ministry today that may give you a sense of ‘stuckness’, either on the whole for your congregation/ministry context OR for you?

Please include:

Name:

Church affiliation:

Email:

Congregation contribution to Unified Mission Giving in the past three years:



Thanks to all who offered a Presbyterian presence in the Capital Pride Parade on June 11th!

Special shout-out to 15th Street PC for leading our opening worship, to Church of the Pilgrims for hospitality at the end of the parade route, to NCP for funding to help cover expenses, and to members of a dozen NCP churches for walking, marching, singing, praying, laughing, crying, dancing, waving, living, loving, and just plain showing up as the Body of Christ!

A very special thank you to Erin Counihan, Jesy Littlejohn, and Rachel Landers Vaagenes for organizing and coordinating everything!



BENEFIT PIANO CONCERT 2022

PRESENTED BY THE BEN HOLT
MEMORIAL BRANCH OF NANM, INC.
IN SUPPORT OF OUR YOUNG ARTISTS'
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

FEATURING



EVERETT WILLIAMS AND KEVIN ALLEN

Guest Artist: Rafealito Ross, Tenor

Sunday 26 June 2022 3pm

SIXTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
5413 16th St NW, Washington, DC 20011

Ticket Price:

\$25 — in person (MASKS REQUIRED)

\$15 — virtual

Eventbrite Link: <https://bit.ly/BenHoltConcert>

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF MORRIS PLAINS

Walsh Memorial Bell Choir

SUMMER TOUR 2022



DIRECTOR
Amy Bozza



TUESDAY, JUNE 28

Church of the Pilgrims

2201 P Street NW – Washington, DC

7PM | Free

FOR MORE INFORMATION

a.bozza@mppresby.org



2022 Schedule

Non-Profit Org.
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Harrisonburg, VA
Permit No. 156



Fri, July 15

3:00 - 7:00 PM Registration
4:00 PM First Timer Orientation
4:30 PM Small Group Leader Training
5:00 PM Choir Practice
6:00 PM Supper
7:00 PM Welcome & Music
7:10 PM Preview & Introductions
7:20 PM Scripture and Song
8:15 PM Small Group Discussions
9:00 PM Fellowship & Music

Sat, July 16

7:00 AM Breakfast
8:00 AM Welcome & Music
8:15 AM Speaker - Rev. John Molina-Moore
9:10 AM Group Photo
9:30 AM Break
9:40 AM Small Group Discussion
10:30 AM Kenya Mission Celebration
10:40 AM 2023 Conf. Preview
11:00 AM 2022 Annual Meeting
12:00 PM Lunch
1:00 PM Free Time / Activities
4:00 PM Watermelon Fellowship
4:30 PM Choir Practice
6:00 PM Supper
7:00 PM Welcome & Music
7:05 PM Preview & Introductions
7:15 PM Speaker - Rev. Dr. Carl Utley
8:20 PM Conference Offering
8:30 PM Small Group Discussions
9:00 PM Ice Cream Fellowship

Sun, July 17

7:00 AM Silent Communion
8:00 AM Breakfast / Room Check Out
9:00 AM Welcome & Music
9:15 AM Speaker - Rev. Dr. Carl Utley
10:15 AM Small Group Discussions
10:45 AM Break
11:00 AM Worship - Rev. Clayton Rascoe
11:45 AM Closing
12:00 PM Lunch



Presbyterian Men's Conference
Massanetta Springs Conference
Center 712 Massanetta Springs
Road Harrisonburg, VA 22801

Electronic Service Requested

Synod of the Mid-Atlantic Men's Conference July 15-17, 2022

“Loving God by Loving
Each Other”
Luke 10:25-37

2022 Conference Speakers



REV. JOHN MOLINA -
MOORE

General Presbyter of
National Capital Presbytery

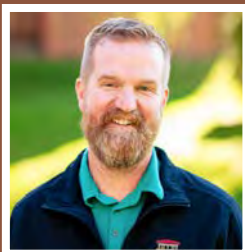


REV. DR. CARL UTLEY
General Presbyter of Presbytery
of the Peaks

2022 Conference Leader
NACHEE MILLER



Worship Leader
REV. KEITH PHILLIPS
Co-Pastor at Massanutten PC in
Harrisonburg, VA



Worship Leader
REV. CLAYTON RASCOE
Executive Director of
Massaentta Springs in
Harrisonburg, VA



Silent Communion Leader
REV. MARK HINCHCLIFF
Spiritual director for
the Mid-Atlantic Synod
Men's Conference



Music Leader
KATIE GRANT
Former Director of Music at
Bayside PC in VA Beach, VA

REGISTRATION FORM

2022 Synod of the Mid-Atlantic Presbyterian Men's Conference

Register on-line: www.midatlanticmen.org / **PayPal Available**

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Day Phone _____ Evening Phone _____

Email _____

Emergency Contact Name _____

Relation _____ Phone _____

Roommate Request Name _____

Special Needs / Disability _____

Church _____ Presbytery _____

Number of prior conferences attended _____

Select Conference Package

- ☐ Hubler Lodge, Double, 2 nights, 6 meals, conference, \$350
☐ Hubler Lodge Single, 2 nights, 6 meals, conference, \$400
☐ Richardson Lodge, Double, 2 nights, 6 meals, conference, \$300
☐ Richardson Lodge, Single, 2 nights, 6 meals, conference, \$350
☐ Conference & Meals Only, 6 meals, conference, \$200
☐ Conference Only, conference, \$100 (No meals or lodging)

****Hubler Lodge - 2 Queen Beds, Private Bath**

****Richardson Lodge - 2 Single Beds, Shared Bath**

Select Saturday Afternoon Activity

- ☐ Zip Lining
☐ Local Winery Tour
☐ Local Cave Tour

Total Cost

\$ _____ Total Conference Package

Make checks payable to "Presbyterian Men's Conference"

Mail Registration Form and Check to:

Mr. Paul Willbanks

P.O. Box 72

Port Penn, DE 19709

Questions? Call 410-829-9161 or Email pmwillbanks@gmail.com

THE HYMN SOCIETY IS INVITING YOU TO COME AND SING

The Hymn Society in the United States and Canada is inviting you to come and sing at three upcoming public events. As it celebrates its one hundredth anniversary during an Annual Conference in Washington, D.C., the Society will be sponsoring three lively hymn festivals that are free and open to the public. If you believe in the power of singing together, you are invited to come and join in the song.

The conference will formally open on **Sunday, July 17, at 7:30 p.m.**, with a festival of African American song led by Stanley J. Thurston at Foundry United Methodist Church, 1500 16th St., NW. Well known as a pianist, composer, arranger, and conductor, Thurston is Director of Music Ministries at Foundry United Methodist Church, Artistic Director of The Heritage Signature Chorale, and Artist-in-Residence at Washington National Cathedral.

On **Wednesday, July 20, at 7:30 p.m.**, the conference will feature a festival of Latin American song entitled "¡Que Cante Toda la Tierra! / Let All the Earth Sing!" to be held at the Church of the Epiphany, 1317 G St., NW. The event will be led by composer, liturgist, and cultural promoter Carlos Colón, a native of El Salvador who currently serves as Assistant Director for Worship and Chapel at Baylor University; and Peter Kolar, a bilingual composer and classically trained pianist who serves as Editor for Spanish and Bilingual Resources at GIA Publications, Inc., Chicago.

The closing hymn festival of the conference, "Sing the WORLD God Imagines," will be held on **Thursday, July 21, at 7:30 p.m.**, at National City Christian Church, 5 Thomas Circle, NW. Featuring hymns and songs from around the world, the festival will be led by Michigan organist Pamela Ruiter-Feenstra, a Grammy-nominated performer who thrives as improvisation expert, international concert and recording artist, and award-winning composer, conductor, pedagogue, and author.

These free public events will be held as part of The Hymn Society's Annual Conference, "Sing the World God Imagines." The gathering will have an international and multicultural focus, drawing participants from at least eleven countries on six continents. Program and registration information for the full conference can be found at www.thehymnsociety.org

This information is provided by J. Michael McMahon, Executive Director of The Hymn Society in the United States and Canada, 5 Thomas Circle, NW, 4th floor, Washington, DC 20005-4153. For more information, please contact Dr. McMahon at mike@thehymnsociety.org or 800-843-8966.

Founded in 1922, The Hymn Society in the United States and Canada is an ecumenical organization of people who are passionate about hymns and congregational song. The Hymn Society community, open to all, is made up of scholars, church musicians, poets, composers, choir directors, choir members, clergy, worship planners, song leaders, music publishers, music educators, and people who love to sing. We believe that the holy act of singing together shapes faith, heals brokenness, transforms lives, and renews peace. Our mission, therefore, is to encourage, promote, and enliven congregational song

THE DISMANTLING RACISM TEAM
OF NCP INVITE YOU TO

ALLY TRAINING 2022

led by Service Never Sleeps



THREE TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

(Each Training consists of TWO sessions.

Your registration confirms you will attend both)

Training A - **Tuesday, July 26 & Wednesday, July 27 (1:00 pm to 4:00 pm)**

Training B - **Tuesday, Aug 23 & Wednesday, Aug 24 (1:00 pm to 4:00 pm)**

Training C - **Tuesday, Sept 27 & Wednesday, Sept 28 (1:00 pm to 4:00 pm)**

Where: **Zoom**

Who: **ALL (Members of NCP congregations & communities & friends of our congregations)**

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[Register HERE](#)

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE
from the Stewardship Committee of NCP!



Stewardship Kaleidoscope

Real Tools for Real Ministry

StewardshipKaleidoscope.org

September 26-28, 2022

Savannah, GA or online

Over 30 workshops spanning theology, practical stewardship planning, creative ventures, and legacy programming.



A.J. Jacobs

Author
The Year of Living Biblically



Rev. Dawn Hyde

Head Pastor
Downtown Church, Columbia, SC



Dr. Michael Bos

Pastor and Author
Marble Collegiate Church

Early-bird, group, and first-call discounts; scholarships available

