NATIONAL CAPITAL PRESBYTERY

LEADERSHIP TRAINING & SAFE CHURCH TRAINING



February 22, 2025

8:00 AM to 2:30 PM w/Safe Church Training from 2:45 to 4:45 PM (doors open at 8:00 AM; lunch included)

National Presbyterian Church 4101 Nebraska Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20016



Leading with ENERGY, INTELLIGENCE, IMAGINATION, and LOVE



Worship Leader Le Quan Turner CRE, Adelphi Presbyterian Church



Music
Paul Vasile
Interim Director of Music & Organist
New York Avenue Presbyterian Church



Plenary Speaker Rev. John Molina-Moore General Presbyter, NCP

Register HERE

thepresbytery.org/ncp-events

Deadline to register: Wednesday, February 12, 2025





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SCHEDULE

Safe Church Training

8:00 - 9:00	Welcome and Light Breakfast / Coffee
9:00 - 9:30	Plenary - Rev. John Molina-Moore
9:45 - 11:00	Workshop 1
11:15 - 12:30	Workshop 2
12:30 - 1:30	Lunch (Open Facilitated Conversations
	grouped by Trustees, Deacons and Elders)
1:45 - 2:30	Closing Worship, led by Le Quan Turner, CRE Adelphi
	Presbyterian Church

Offerings (select TWO)

2:45 - 4:45



Presbyterian Polity: Organizing and Making Decisions with Energy, Intelligence, Imagination, and Love - Led by Rev. David Baer, NCP Stated Clerk - God is up to something, and it's the church's job to discern, follow, and lead people in God's mission! Come and learn the basics of governance in the congregation, and leave equipped with tools to help your church stay focused and faithful. Workshop 1: Polity 101 -Designed for New Officers & Workshop 2: Beyond the Basics



Ordained Spiritual Leadership Outside of the (Session, Deacon, Trustee) Meeting - Led by Rev. Tara Spuhler McCabe, NCP Director of Congregational Development and Mission - Ordained officers are called into Spiritual Leadership of the church. How we live into and practice this spiritual leadership deserves to be constant and not just in our meetings.



Hospitality Plan - Led by Rev. Elizabeth Brookens-Sturman - Sharing the good news of the gospel includes how we welcome and are welcomed. Learn best practices in hospitality as this is one of the quickest fixes out of your Church Assessment Tool (CAT). Leaders from Brambleton Presbyterian Church will be guides for this practice based workshop.



Tools for Managing Change & Conflict - Led by COM's Ministry Relations Team members - Change is inevitable and at times our responses are driven more out of anxiety and fear of change. This can show up in our church systems as growing conflict. We all deserve ways to manage these realities into practices that enable our congregations to thrive and grow. This workshop offers helpful tools you can use right away. Resources will also be provided to take back to your congregations.





People and Property: Led by Heather Deacon, NCP Director of Business Affairs & Rev. John Molina-Moore, NCP General Presbyter. Stewarding the resources we have into the resources we want and need to grow in Christ's mission.

Safe Church Training: Offered for *current session members or elders-elect*. Topics include sexual misconduct and child sexual abuse prevention, satisfying the new Book of Order training requirement for session members.