

## Registration Form

Name

Address/City/Zip

Phone

Email

Church/Denomination

**Child Care: Must be requested by August 21**

*Bring sack lunch for children.*

Child(ren)'s name and age

**Circle Workshop Choices:**

Morning: 1 2 3 4 5

Afternoon:

12:45-1:30pm 6 7 8 9

1:45-2:30pm 10 11 12 13

**Registration Fees - Program & Lunch:**

**1 person from a congregation- \$25**

**2-9 people from a congregation- \$20 each**

**10 or more people from a congregation:**

**\$150 total, flat rate for the group**

*Send form and check made payable to:*

The Presbytery of Giddings-Lovejoy

Attn: Cindy Corley

2236 Tower Grove Ave.

St. Louis, MO 63110

**Deadline for registration:**

**August 21**

### Sponsoring Denominations

The Episcopal Diocese of Missouri  
The Presbytery of Giddings-Lovejoy,  
Presbyterian Church (USA)

The Missouri Conference, United  
Methodist Church

Illinois South and Missouri Mid-South  
Conferences of the United Church of  
Christ

Southeast Gateway Region Christian  
Church, Disciples of Christ

### Webster Groves

**Presbyterian Church**

**45 W. Lockwood Ave.**

**Webster Groves, MO 63119**

**314-962-9210**

**www.wgpc.org**



### Local Denominational Contact

Laura Schultz 314-993-2306; Janis Greenbaum 636-227-1484

## 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Christian Education Event

A continuing education experience for church  
educators, pastors, teachers and lay leaders



## Re- Energize Christian Education

Saturday

August 29, 2009

9:00 am – 2:30 pm

Webster Groves Presbyterian Church

45 W. Lockwood Avenue

Webster Groves, MO 63119





# Schedule

9:00am	Registration
9:15am	Opening
9:30-11:45am	Morning Workshop
12:00-12:45pm	Lunch with Interest groups
12:45-1:30pm	Workshops
1:45-2:30pm	Workshops

The Cathedral Bookstore will have resources available to purchase at this event.

## Workshops

Morning (9:30 – 11:45am)

**1. Ministry In An Electronic Age.**

*A look at social networking and other “new” technologies.* **Isaac Arten**, Youth Minister, Episcopal Church of St. Michael and St. George, St. Louis, MO.

**2. Alternative Time for Christian Education.**

*This workshop will provide a broad definition of curriculum, with a focus on learning outside a classroom setting. There will be opportunities for sharing.* **Dr. Karen Van Galder**, Director of Christian Education, Ladue Chapel Presbyterian Church, Ladue, MO.

**3. Classroom Management.**

*Helping teachers manage classroom behavior.* **Lisa Eberle-Mayse**, MA, Inclusion Specialist, Child Day Care Association, St. Louis, MO

**4. Young Children and Worship.**

*This course was developed by Jerome Berryman and Sonya Stewart. Like “Godly Play,” it includes elements from Montessori and the church year.* **Stephanie Foltz**, Christian Education Director, First United Presbyterian Church, Belleville, IL.



Afternoon (12:45 - 1:30pm)

**6. ADVENTure.** *Come share and explore ideas to help your congregation experience the season of waiting and reflection. How to make Advent meaningful in a consumer world.* **Rev. Joy Myers**, Associate Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Edwardsville, IL.

**7. Safe Practices/Safe Sanctuaries.**

*What can we do to prevent and recognize abuse so we keep the teens and children entrusted to us as safe as possible?* **Jon L. Thompson**, Senior Pastor, St. Luke’s United Methodist Church, St. Louis, and Safe Sanctuaries Trainer for the Missouri Conference of the United Methodist Church.

**8. It’s Not Easy Being Green.**

*What can churches do to be environmentally friendly? Here are some ideas to help “reduce, reuse, recycle.”* **Laura Schultz**, Director of Christian Education, St. Peter’s Episcopal Church

**9. “Churching” Teens in a MySpace World.**

*How to connect teens to the church in this new age of social networking.* **Brian Kuhn**, Youth Director, Webster Groves Presbyterian Church, Webster Groves, MO

Afternoon (1:45 – 2:30pm)

*Repeating the following Workshops*

**10. ADVENTure**

**11. Safe Practices/Safe Sanctuaries**

**12. It’s Not Easy Being Green**

**13. “Churching” Teens in a MySpace World**