

THE BIG EVENT



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Generations:
Living, Learning
& Loving God
through ALL the Ages!

Saturday, April 21, 2018

9:30am – 3:15pm

First Presbyterian Church of Bellevue

1220 Bellevue Blvd S, Bellevue, NE 68005

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9:30	Registration	
10:00	Keynote	Rodger Nishioka
11:00	Q&A	Q&A with Rodger Nishioka
11:30	Lunch	
12:30	Workshops	
	1A	Intergenerational Ideas Roundtable Bring your best Intergenerational church ideas along with any resources you are willing to share. We plan to send you home with a list of new ideas and supporting materials for encouraging and supporting the relationships and faith nurturing between the generations in our churches. Presenter: Linda Reffert, First Presbyterian Church of Bellevue
	1B	Spiritual Practices There are many paths to communing with God. We will explore several approaches to prayer and meditation, and learn four distinct practices for deepening our relationship with the holy. Presenter: Sally Carlson, Presbytery of Missouri River Valley
	1C	Our Needs Change Over The Life Span This session will explore normative changes in people across the life span with emphasis on changes in identity. As people move through their lives, we are called upon to deal with who we are in the face of new challenges at each age-stage. The speaker will walk those in attendance through those changes and the identity challenges that accompany them. Presenter: Tim Dickel, Creighton University
1:30	Workshops	
	2A	Mentor Program Are you interested in starting a Mentor Program for your Confirmation Class? Are you looking for new ideas to add to your existing one? This workshop will provide you with guidelines, suggested activities for the mentor and mentee, service opportunities, and forms you can use in your church. Our two presenters have successful experiences serving as a mentor and will share their stories with you! Presenters: Anna Sumner and John Morey, Presbyterian Church of the Cross
	2B	Welcoming All Ages in Worship Ideas about worship practice and content will be offered as well as time to share and discuss what's been fruitful in your setting. Imagine Psalm 148:12. Presenter: Sarah Dickinson, Discovery Presbyterian Church
	2C	Let's Talk About Death... Presenter: Mary Ann Calta, Soul Tending Psychotherapy
2:30	Worship	Rodger Nishioka Preaching