

# Registration Form Lay Servant Training 2017

**REGISTRATION LIMITED TO FIRST 18 PERSONS FOR EACH CLASS!!!!**

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER - MARCH 17, 2017**

**Because of space limitations, we are asking that you choose a first and second choice for the Advanced Class**

**COST: \$30 - CHECKS SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO: Metro District**

*Mail Completed Registration Form along with Check to:*

*Metro District Office, Attn: Lay Servant Training - P.O. Box 5622, Charlotte, NC 28299*

NAME:		
CHURCH:		
EMAIL:		
ADDRESS:		
PHONE:	Mobile:	Home:
<b>You must have your Local Church Pastor's approval to participate in courses.</b>		
PASTOR'S SIGNATURE _____		



**I WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN:**

- BASIC**
- YOUTH BASIC (\*\*ONLY OFFERED APRIL 1 AND 2)**
- ADVANCED (GOD'S MISSION – OUR JOURNEY)**  
(This is my \_\_\_\_\_ 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> choice)
- ADVANCED (JUSTICE IN EVERYDAY LIFE)**  
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**I WISH TO ATTEND:**

- MONDAY EVENINGS (6:30PM – 9PM) – ST. MARK'S UMC, CHARLOTTE**  
(April 3, 10, 17, and 24)
- APRIL 1 (9AM-4PM) & APRIL 2 (2PM-6:45PM) - Central UMC, Charlotte**

## COURSES DESCRIPTION:

### **(1) BASIC COURSE – *Lay Speaking Ministries*.**

The required beginning course for local lay servant certification; course topics: Leading, caring, communication, serving. It offers guidelines for best practices as a church leader and outlines a number of ministries in which lay servants my assume roles.

### **(2) ADVANCED COURSES**

**God's Mission – Our Journey** - a study to help gain a better understanding of and a more holistic approach to participation in God's mission to the world. This course will help equip lay servants for more effective missional engagement in their communities and beyond as well as provide the theological and foundational training for mission volunteers, UMVIM teams and leaders, and individuals.

**Justice in Everyday Life** - An in-depth look at the Social Principles of The United Methodist Church — the church's attempt to speak on contemporary issues with which it is confronted today. The book covers topics such as the following: Natural World, Social Community, Economic Community, Political Community, Biblical Foundations of the Social Principles, and Teaching the Social Principles. It is not only for Lay Servants but is for anyone interested in studying the Social Principles in greater detail.