

The First Presbyterian Church in Hinton Welcomes Reverend Wayne Meisel to Worship Service

The First Presbyterian Church in Hinton invites the community and area churches to a special worship service on February 19 at 11 a.m. featuring Reverend Wayne Meisel.

Reverend Meisel is the Director of the Center for Faith and Service at McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago. Prior to his appointment, Reverend Meisel served as the Director of Faith and Service at the Cousins Foundation in Atlanta and was the founding President of the Bonner Foundation. As a Presidential appointee to the Commission on National and Community Service, Reverend Meisel served as one of the architects of the AmeriCorps programs and as a charter board member of Teach for America.



Reverend Meisel graduated cum laude with a B.A. in government from Harvard University. He was a John Harvard Scholar for highest academic achievement and was named a John Finley Travelling Fellow. He is the author of two books, "Building a Movement: Students in Community Service" and "On Your Mark, Go Get Set: From Student Ideas to Campus Action." He has edited two books of quotes: "Men About Men" and "Light One Candle." He is an ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church and describes himself as an AmeriCorps Chaplain.

A luncheon will be provided following the service, so people may meet Reverend Meisel and welcome him to the community.

Community Forum Featuring Reverend Meisel Monday, February 20 at 6 p.m.

Reverend Meisel will also speak at a Community Forum sponsored by First Presbyterian Church and the Hinton Area Foundation on Monday, February 20.

The forum will focus on how to organize, access funds and volunteers, and work collaboratively to improve the quality of life for all Summers County residents. It is open to all Summers County citizens and organizations, as well as citizens and community organization from surrounding areas.

The Forum will be at the First Presbyterian Church, 322 Third Avenue, Hinton, and will begin at 6 p.m. Reception following.