

TRAINING AND MINISTRY OF CERTIFIED LAY MINISTERS

# Out of the Pew

## REGISTRATION

**Time:** Friday, June 24, noon - Sunday, June 26, noon.

**Cost:** \$150 includes lunch Friday; lunch and banquet dinner Saturday, and lunch on Sunday. All materials and snacks included.

**Friday Night Optional Activity:** Pittsburgh Pirates vs. Boston Red Sox Game. Cost is \$20/person. We provide transportation. Tickets are limited!

**Accommodations:** The Comfort Inn, Cranberry Township--\$65.99/room. Call 724.772.2700 to make your reservations. Other hotels are also in the area.

Blue Shuttle van available from the airport to the hotel (about 30 miles).

[wpaumc.org/UMRF-CLM](http://wpaumc.org/UMRF-CLM)

**Deadline to register June 15.**



## EVENT DESIGN TEAM

The United Methodist Rural Fellowship: Rev. Roger Grace, West Ohio; Rev. Carl Ellis, Kansas West/East CLM Trainer; Rev. Sharon Schwab, Western PA

June 24 - 26, 2011  
Cranberry Township, PA

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The feeling remains that God is on the journey, too. ~Teresa of Avila



## ANSWERING THE CALL

Certified Lay Ministers are answering God's call, serving as chaplains, youth directors, Christian Ed Directors, pastoral leaders and so much more. CLMs are starting new communities of faith throughout the country.

Explore programs from different conferences, network, share leadership resources, and examine new ways CLMs have the opportunity to serve.

There will be an overview of the certification process, establishing ministry covenants, and the role of the equipper/trainer. Another aspect of the event is to assist District Superintendents to deploy CLMs and provide guidelines for District Committees on Ministry.

How will you answer the call?

"In this moment, we have the opportunity to demonstrate the value and need for the CLMs as ministry partners."

**Rev. Sharon Schwab**