



Children's Curriculum

- Growing in Grace & Gratitude
- Awesome Adventures
- Faith for Life
- Feasting on the Word

Youth & Young Adult

- Confirmation Resources
- InFormed Adolescent Development Resources
- PresbyYouth
- LOGOS
- Engage
- Faith Questions
- Simple Sundays
- Feasting on the Word

Adult Curriculum

- Being Reformed
- The Present Word
- Engage
- Feasting on the Word

Additional Resources

- The Year of the Bible

*Resources available in Spanish and Korean.
For complete listing of resources, see
goo.gl/DtxBxm.*

Two Workshop Opportunities!

Location:
First Presbyterian Church
79 Academy St.
Marion, NC 28752

July 29th:
One hour curriculum workshop after lunch at the presbytery meeting.

July 30th:
The Nearly Childless Church, 2:00-3:30

Join Malinda Spencer, Associate for Curricula Training for Congregational Ministries Publishing (CMP) and POINT educator, for a weekend of enriching events!

Presbyterians Organized in Nurture and Teaching (POINT) is a network of Christian educators who offer education expertise and curriculum interpretation skills to churches in their area. These volunteers, appointed by each presbytery and equipped through the Presbyterian Mission Agency, lead the way in assisting churches with their educational ministry.

CMP has two seats for POINT representatives chosen by your presbytery at this year's POINT training event January 30 – 31 in Louisville, KY. Contact Malinda today to learn more! malinda.spencer@pcusa.org

2017 PWNC PASTOR'S RETREAT



September 25-27, 2017

William Black Lodge, Montreat, NC

The Jazz of the Pastoral Life:

Cultivating a Vibrant, Creative, Deeply Humane and
Syncopated Ministry in Stressful Times



Come for:

- *Time for Sabbath Rest*
- *New Ideas for Ministry*
 - *Spiritual Renewal*
 - *Professional Support*
- *A Time Apart for Reflection*
 - *Creative Worship*

"If you love jazz, you'll love this retreat...even if you don't like jazz, it will be transformational!"



Retreat leader: Bill Carter blends his work as a jazz composer and his calling as a Presbyterian pastor. Walking the dotted line between the sacred and the secular, he preaches sermons each week at First Presbyterian Church of Clarks Summit, Pennsylvania, and makes music with jazz musicians throughout the northeast. A graduate of Binghamton University (SUNY) and Princeton Theological Seminary, he has taught jazz piano and composition at Marywood University in Scranton, Pennsylvania for the past eighteen years.

A faculty member for the CREDO program of the Board of Pensions, he is the founder of the Presbybop Quartet, a jazz ensemble that presents concerts and jazz worship services around the country. Over the course of his career, he has made music with Phil Woods, Dave Brubeck, Bobby McFerrin, and David Liebman, among many others. He is the author of eight books, and travels widely as a speaker, teacher, workshop leader, and jazz pianist.

Tentative Retreat Schedule

Monday, September 25:

10:00-10:45 a.m. Registration and Check-In
 11:00-11:45 a.m. Opening Worship
 Noon-1:00 p.m. Lunch
 1:30-3:00 p.m. Session 1
 3:00-5:30 p.m. Sabbath Opportunities
 5:30-6:30 p.m. Dinner
 7:00-8:00 p.m. Vespers

Tuesday (continued):

10:30-Noon Worship Activity
 Noon-1:00 p.m. Lunch
 1:00-5:30 p.m. Sabbath Afternoon
 5:30-6:30 p.m. Dinner
 7:00-8:30 p.m. Session 3
 8:30-8:45 p.m. Closing Prayer

Tuesday, September 26:

8:00-9:00 a.m. Breakfast
 9:00-10:30 a.m. Session 2

Wednesday, September 27:

8:00-9:00 a.m. Breakfast
 9:00-10:00 a.m. Session 4
 10:30-11:30 a.m. Closing Worship w/ Communion



2017 Pastor's Retreat with Bill Carter

RETREAT REGISTRATION

Registration Deadline: September 8, 2017

Name: _____ Cell: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

Church where you lead/worship: _____

- _____ Full Registration (\$150.00 double occupancy)
- _____ Private Room (\$200.00 single occupancy)
- _____ No Lodging - Meals and Program Only (\$75.00)

Note: Full payment is due at the time of registration.

Send Registrations to:
 Presbytery of Western North Carolina
 Attn: Tonya Williams
 114 Silver Creek Road
 Morganton, NC 28655
 Phone: 828-438-4217