

143rd ANNUAL CONVENTION THE DIOCESE OF ALBANY

June 10 – 12, 2011

Convention Weekend Workshop Schedule



Friday, June 10, 2011

Special Session: Friday, June 10, 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Safeguarding God's Children	The Rev'd Michael and Marianne Gorchov	Zeitfuss Lodge Office
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Session 1: Friday, June 10, 2:30 – 3:15 pm

Workshop	Presenter(s)	Location
Church-wide Consultation, March 2011: C056-Same Gender Blessings	Rev'd Scott Garno & Debbie Fish	Arts & Crafts
Christian Community	Rev'd Lynne Crimi	Jelinek 1B
Five things I would to say to leaders from the Confession of St Patrick	The Rt Rev'd Harold Miller, Down & Dromore	Demarest A
Listening Prayer	Torre Bissell	Demarest B
Nineteen Ways to Help Your Church Grow	Rev'd Robert Haskell	Jelinek 1A
Now that I've completed the E100 (Bible Reading) Challenge, what should I do?	Gil Reynders, Scripture Union	Zeitfuss II Conference Room
People Reaching People in Madagascar	Rev'd Patsy & Rt Rev Todd McGregor	Zeitfuss Lodge Conference Room
The Sacraments: God's Gift of Himself to Us	Rev'd Bill Cooper	CE Building

Session 2: Friday, June 10, 3:30 – 4:15 pm

Workshop	Presenter(s)	Location
Bird of Paradise Ministries Rwanda (Christian Caring For the Elderly)	Mary Munyangaju, Down & Dromore	CE Building
Being A Church That Can	Rev'd Marty Wendell & Rev'd Bill Tatem	Arts & Crafts
Christian Freedom Framework	Mother Miriam, CSM	Zeitfuss II Conference Room
The Dark Side	Chris Pollock, Down & Dromore	Wigwam
Discovering Your Gifts of Healing	Rev'd Nigel Mumford	Demarest A
Equipping Our Youngest Saints	The Puppets of Grace	Jelinek 1B
Holiness of Life	The Rt Rev'd Dan Herzog	Zeitfuss Lodge Conference Room
So You Want To Go To Israel? - Preparing To Be A Pilgrim	Rev'd David Sutcliffe & Rev'd Peter Pierson	Demarest B
The Traditional Rosary (1) (it's not just about Mary)	Rev'd Gregory Bailey	Jelinek 1A

Session 3: Friday, June 10, 4:30 – 5:15 pm

Workshop	Presenter(s)	Location
From Jerusalem to the ends of the Earth: Missions from the Diocese of Albany	Rev'd Robert Haskell, Tom Gizara, Jennifer Dean	Zeitfuss Lodge Conference Room
Have it Your Way: Defining Your End of Life	Rev'd Micki Thomas	Demarest B
How God Helps Us Deal With Stress	Rev'd Lynne Crimi	CE Building
The Latest from Maridi, S Sudan	Jane Corbett, Down & Dromore	Wigwam
Living the Gospel -- Sharing the Gospel, Sometimes With Words	Franciscan Community of the Holy Cross	Demarest A
“MERE CHRISTIANITY”	Rev'd Mike Shank	Jelinek 1B
The Engaged Workshop: An Introduction	Rev'd Bill Hinrichs	Arts & Crafts
The Traditional Rosary (2) (it's not just about Mary)	Rev'd Gregory Bailey	Jelinek 1A
You Have to Know the Story BEFORE You Tell It	Rev'd Steven Peay	Zeitfuss II Conference Room

Evening Prayer

7:00 pm

Tibbitts Auditorium

OPENING OF CONVENTION

7:45 pm

Tibbitts Auditorium

The Rt Rev'd William Love

Saturday, June 11, 2011

Special Men & Boy's Breakfast

6:30 am

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Open 12 Step Meeting

7:00 am

Demarest B

Saturday, June 11, 2011

MORNING PRAYER

7:45 am

Tibbitts Auditorium

PLENARY SESSION

8:45 am

Tibbitts Auditorium

Marks of Discipleship

Session 4: Saturday, June 11, 10:00 – 10:45 am

Workshop	Presenter(s)	Location
Blending Contemporary Worship in a Liturgical Worship Service	Kristin Roberts	Demarest A
High Church to High Energy: Ministry to Soldiers and Civilians at War	CH (CPT) Glen Lightfoot	Zeitfuss Lodge Conference Room
Jubilee ministry - using retirement for ministry overseas	Rev'd Ian & Polly Montgomery	Demarest B
Lives changed!	Richard Waller, Down & Dromore	Jelinek 1B
National Day of Prayer	Barbara Mitchell	Jelinek 1A
Principles of Discernment: How We Hear the Voice of God?	Sister Mary Elizabeth, CSM	Zeitfuss II Conference Room
Releasing Heaven on Earth! Spiritual Mapping and Prayer Walking for Your City	Michael Hales	CE Building

Session 5: Saturday, June 11, 11:00 – 11:45 pm

Workshop	Presenter(s)	Location
Art Making as Praise and Worship	Christine Simoneau Hales	Arts & Crafts
Bible Engagement for Children	Sonia Dobson, Scripture Union	Jelinek 1A
...but my church isn't like that	Colin Davis, Down & Dromore	Zeitfuss Lodge Conf Rm
The Future is Ancient	Simon Richardson, Down & Dromore	Jelinek 1B
How to Answer God's Call to be Stewards of His Creation	Maggie Hasslacher	CE Building
How to be a Supporting Congregation for Missionary Ministry Overseas	Rev'd Ian Montgomery	Demarest B
Prayer Partners and Warriors	Polly Montgomery & Rev'd Patsy McGregor	Demarest A
Why Do Greek?	Sister Mary Lucia, CSM	Zeitfuss II, Conf. Rm.

Session 6: Saturday, June 11, 1:30 – 2:15 pm

Workshop	Presenter(s)	Location
After the Healing, God's Grace Fills Us with Strength	Sister Mary Elizabeth, CSM	Zeitfuss II Conference Room
Beads, Breaths, Flames and Prayers	Rev'd Laurie Garramone-Rohr	Demarest A
The Church and The Middle East through the eyes of St. Paul	Rev'd Peter Pierson	Arts & Crafts
Daughters of the King: "Be Filled with the Holy Spirit"	Trudy Bailey	Zeitfuss Lodge Office
Domestic Violence 101 for Your Parish: Rights, Remedies and Christian Responsibilities	Rev'd Anne Curtin & Rebeccca Alamillo	Demarest B
Generational Healing 1: Teaching	Rev'd Scott Evans	CE Building
Go into His courts with Praise: the Prayer of the Heart	Rev'd Ellen Neufeld	Jelinek 1B
He? She? Or It? The Theology of the Holy Spirit	The Venerable Dr Christopher Brown	Zeitfuss Lodge Conference Room
How to Help Your Kids Establish and Keep Their Faith	Rev'd Tyler Slade	Sports Complex Conference Room
An Introduction to Christian Meditation	Peter Minucci	Wigwam
Is Jesus Your Savior?	Rev'd Steve Hart	Jelinek 2A
What Does Starbucks Have to Teach the Church?	Rev'd Lorrie Lyons	Jelinek 1A

Session 7: Saturday, June 11, 2:30 – 3:15 pm

Workshop	Presenter(s)	Location
Anglicanism and the Bible – Yesterday and Today	Rev'd Joel Grigg	Jelinek 1B
Celebrating 30 Years of “Bringing Friends to Christ”	Cursillo Community	Zeitfuss Lodge Conference Room
Empire Haiti Coalition	Robert Lillipop & Rev'd Scott Underhill	Arts & Crafts
Generational Healing 2: Eucharist On The Beach	Rev'd Scott Evans	CE Building (in case of rain)
Generosity in answering God’s call as Stewards of His Creation	Rev'd Derik Roy	Demarest B
High Church to High Energy: Ministry to Soldiers and Civilians at War	CH (CPT) Glen Lightfoot	Wigwam
The Nursing Home Ministry	Rev'd Gregory Bailey	Zeitfuss Lodge Office
Paul and his slave-owning friend	Rev'd Grant LeMarquand	Jelinek 2A
Reaching Out To The Community With Prayer	Torre Bissell	Jelinek 1A
Receive Restoration as We Walk with Jesus	Rev'd Fay VanDermark	Demarest A
Using An African Model As A Bridge For Reproducing Christian Leaders In The Context Of Evangelism And Discipleship	The Rt Rev'd Todd McGregor	Zeitfuss II Conference Room

CONVENTION EUCHARIST

Saturday, June 11, 3:30 pm

Tibbitts Auditorium

Standing Committee

Saturday, June 11, 5:00 pm

Jelinek 2A

Service of Healing

Saturday, June 11, 7:00 pm

Tibbitts Auditorium

Sunday, June 12, 2011

Open 12 Step Meeting

Sunday, June 12, 7:45 am

Demarest B

Morning Prayer

Sunday, June 12, 8:15 am

Tibbitts Auditorium

Session 8: Sunday, June 12, 9:00 – 9:45 am

Workshop	Presenter(s)	Location
The Church in Sudan	Rev'd Grant LeMarquand	Jelinek 1B
Discovering Your Spiritual Gifts	Rev'd Canon Robert Haskell	Demarest B
Empowered Prayer	The Rt Rev'd Dan Herzog	Demarest A
Evangelization of the Nations and the Transformation of Society	Rev'd Scott Evans	Zeitfuss II Conference Room
Leaving a Legacy: Charitable Giving to the Diocese of Albany	Rev'd Chip Strickland	CE Building
Missions Near and Far	Tom Gizara	Wigwam
Now that I've completed the E100 (Bible Reading) Challenge, what should I do?	Gil Reynders, Scripture Union	Zeitfuss II Family Room/Lobby
Something from Nothing: Mission Work in Troy	Rev'd Hannah Mudge & Rev'd Christina Vance	Arts & Crafts
Theology in Life - Is It Taught or Is It Caught?	Alistair Morrison, Down & Dromore	Zeitfuss Lodge Conference Room
Vestry: Creating an Effective, Holy Spirit-Filled Team	Jennifer Dean & Michelle Wills	Jelinek 1A

Youth Mass & Convention Adjournment

10:15 am

Tibbitts Auditorium

Diocese of Albany Vision

The Diocese of Albany is One Church fulfilling the Great Commandment and Great Commission, moving from membership to discipleship; equipping, emboldening, and sending disciples to make disciples.

Marks of Discipleship and Diocesan Values

❖ *Prayer & Worship*

- Worshipping the Lord daily (Psalm 95:1-7, Psalm 96:1-9, Acts 2:46, Romans 12:1)
- Gathering weekly as the Body of Christ in remembrance and thanksgiving (Acts 2:42, I Corinthians 11:23-26)
- Praying continuously & interceding for all in need (Romans 12:12, I Thessalonians 5:16-18, I Timothy 2:1)
- Praying with and in the Spirit (I Corinthians 14:1-25)

❖ *Scripture – The Word of God*

- Studying the Holy Scriptures daily; ordering our lives to God's word; and proclaiming the Good News through Biblical Preaching (Luke 4:16-21, Acts 2:42 & 17:11, Romans 12:2, II Tim. 3:14-17, II Timothy 4:1-2)
- Acknowledging that the Old and New Testament is the very Word of God, "containing all things necessary to salvation and as being the rule and ultimate standard of life" (BCP 853 and 877)

❖ *Catholic Structures of Anglicanism*

- Committing to The Body of Christ, The Universal Church, across space and time (Matthew 16:18, Romans 12:5, I Corinthians 12:27-28, Ephesians 4:4-16)
- Honoring the three-fold ministry of Bishop, Priest and Deacon (Acts 2:21-26, Ephesians 2:19-22, I Timothy 3 & 4, II Timothy 2:2, BCP 510, BCP 517-519, BCP 531-532, BCP 543-544)

❖ *Christian Education*

- Teaching young and old alike in Sunday School & Bible Study to know God and follow Jesus (Psalm 27:11, Matthew 28:20, Mark 1:21-22, Mark 10:13-16, Luke 24:27 & 45, John 14:26, Acts 17:11, Titus 2:1)
- Teaching the Catechism & preparing for Confirmation (BCP 845-862)

❖ *Christian Fellowship*

- Committing to being in the Body of Christ – the Church, and using our Spiritual Gifts for its benefit (Acts 2:42-47, I Corinthians 1:9, I Corinthians 12, Ephesians 4, Colossians 3:1-17).
- Loving One Another as commanded by Christ (John 15:12, Romans 12:10, I John 1:3-7)

❖ *Spiritual Gifts & Healing*

- Learning to identify and use the Spiritual Gifts God has given each person for the work He has prepared for them to accomplish in His name (Romans 12, I Corinthians 12, I Peter 4:10)
- Following Jesus' command to His disciples to heal the sick (Matthew 4:23, Luke 9:1-2 & 10:9, James 5:14-15)

❖ *Christian Service*

- Serving the Lord faithfully (Deuteronomy 10:12, Joshua 24:14, Romans 12:11, Philippians 2:3-8, Colossians 3:17)
- Serving others in a broken world (Matt. 25:31-40, Luke 10:30-37, John 13:1-17, Galatians 5:13, I Peter 4:10)

❖ *Generosity in answering God's call as Stewards of His Creation*

- Embracing the Biblical standard of tithing and working to achieve it (Malachi 3:10, II Corinthians 9:6-8)
- Contributing to the needs of the saints (Matthew 6:2-4, Acts 20:35, Romans 12:13, II Corinthians 8)
- Growing in stewardship of all God has given us (Genesis 1, Luke 21:1-4, I Peter 4:9-10)

❖ *Evangelism – Sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ*

- Introducing people to Jesus (Matthew 28:18-20, John 17:18-26)
- Encouraging the next generation to pass forward the faith (Deuteronomy 6:6-9, Psalm 78:1-8, 2 Timothy 2:2)

❖ *Mission at Home and Abroad*

- Restoring all people to unity with God and each other in Christ (BCP 855, John 14:6, I Timothy 2:3-6)
- Witnessing to the truth of Jesus Christ, going into the world and making disciples of all nations (Matthew 28:18-20, Mark 16:15-16, Luke 24:46-48, Acts 1:8)

As we pray through the "Marks of Discipleship and Diocesan Values," may the Lord show us where we need to grow – individually, as a parish, and as a diocese.