

ANNUAL TEACHER TRAINING WORKSHOP



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- "Basics of Teaching" Barbara Gunn, Pastor, Mt. Carmel Baptist Church, North Versailles, Pa.
- "Using Puppets in Your Church School Programs" Scott KuechenmeisterHall, Pastor, Nativity Lutheran Church, Gibsonia, Pa.
- "Clay in the Hands of the Potter: A Spiritual Exploration" Stephanie Flom, Roster Artist, Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, Pittsburgh, Pa.
- "Using Technology Creatively in the Classroom" Gregg Hartung, Executive Director, Presbyterian Media Mission, Pittsburgh, Pa.
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- "Incorporating Music in My Sunday School Class" Dwayne C. Fulton, Minister of Music and Fine Arts, Mt. Ararat Baptist Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.
- "Developing a Thematic Approach to Curriculum" Heather Richardson, Retired Sunday School Director, Korean United Presbyterian Church of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pa.
- "The Creative Classroom" Vera White, Former Director of New Church Development, Stewardship, and Commission on Ministry, Pittsburgh Presbytery, Pittsburgh, Pa.
- "Visual Arts in the Classroom" Suzanne Bailey, Retired School Psychologist, Educator, and Art Therapist, Pittsburgh, Pa.
- "Youth and Social Media" Deirdre King Hainsworth, Assistant Professor of Ethics and Director of the Center for Business, Religion and Public Life, PTS

Registration fee, which includes lunch, is \$25 before Sept. 7 and \$30 after Sept. 7. Limited scholarship aid is available.Contact the Office of Continuing Education at 412-924-1345 or ConEd@pts.edu to register or apply for aid. Registration is also accepted online.

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