

*****SAVE THE DATE*****

Learning Ministries Day –

something for everyone (not just Christian Education people!)

**Saturday, January 27th, 2018 (snow date Saturday, February 3rd)
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. @ Christ Hamilton**

“Re-booting” Sunday School....Special Needs Ministries....Caring for Creation in a Hostile Environment....Big Question FOR the Church.... Children, Nature and the Church.....Godly Wonder - Interfaith Understanding..... Science & Wonder.....“Wonderful” Crafts....Wilderness Wonder Track for Pilgrims....Singing in the Church...

These are ***just a few*** of the workshop themes for this year’s Learning Ministries Day, "***Church as Wonder-Land: Transforming Faith Communities from ‘Places to Go for Answers’ to ‘Places to be with the Big Questions’.***" Again, we have a variety of workshops, there is something that will draw the interest of most people in our synod’s congregations. LM Day will be held at Christ Hamilton United Lutheran Church in Hamilton Square, Stroudsburg, **on Saturday, January 27 starting at 8:30 AM with registration and concluding at 3:00 PM.**

After our opening devotion, the day will continue with a presentation by our keynote speaker, Pastor Lori Kochanski, former NEPS Pastor and Assistant to the Bishop. The title of her presentation is, “All Are Welcome: Celebrating Intergenerational Differences in the Church.”

Workshops will be offered in the morning and afternoon. Participants can choose to learn about new resources or learn a skill or choose a workshop for their own personal growth. LM Day is a wonderful day to meet other Lutherans in our synod – youth and adults alike – and to do some networking and glean ideas from one another. A lunch is provided for participants. **Through December 31, the cost for the event per person is \$30. After that date, the cost will be \$45.**

Registration forms and complete informational materials with session descriptions are on the synod website (www.godsllove.org). For more information, please contact Cheryl Statham at cstatham@ptd.net or Marlene Werkheiser at mkwerky@msn.com .