

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN MAINE

Annual Clergy Retreat 2016

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Forming Adults in the Local Community of Faith for God's Ministry of Reconciliation

A retreat led by

Dwight Zscheile and Lisa Marie Wiens Heinsohn

Grace Episcopal Church, Bath

Sunday, 24 April 2016 to Tuesday, 26 April 2016

About our Retreat Leaders...



The Rev. Dwight Zscheile, Ph.D. is associate professor of congregational mission and leadership at Luther Seminary, part-time associate priest at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in St. Paul, Minnesota, and a consultant with The Missional Network. He is author of *The Agile Church: Spirit-Led Innovation in an Uncertain Age* (Morehouse Publishing, 2014), *People of the Way: Renewing Episcopal Identity* (Morehouse Publishing, 2012), *Participating in God's Mission: A Missiology for the U.S.* (forthcoming, with Craig Van Gelder), and *The Missional Church in Perspective: Mapping Trends and Shaping the Conversation* (with Craig Van Gelder, Baker Academic 2011) and editor of *Cultivating Sent Communities: Missional Spiritual Formation* (Eerdmans, 2012). A graduate of Stanford University (BA), Yale University (M.Div.) and Luther Seminary (PhD, Congregational Mission and Leadership), he previously served congregations in Virginia and Connecticut. Dwight's experience growing up in a secular home in California has shaped his commitment to helping the church cultivate Christian community with new populations and generations in today's changing world.



The Rev. Lisa Wiens Heinsohn is the Sunday Evening Ministry Director at St. Matthews Episcopal Church in St. Paul, Minnesota, where she leads an innovative worship service and free community dinner geared for young adults and seekers. She is a transitional deacon who is also doing her internship year at St. Mark's Episcopal Cathedral in Minneapolis, where she is helping to launch the Minnesota chapter of the Episcopal Service Corps, which will be called "The Circle of the Beloved." A graduate of Columbia Law School, Lisa has just finished her M.Div. at Luther Seminary. While in seminary she did three years of deep listening to young adults experiencing homelessness in Minneapolis.

About the Retreat Theme...

Our Retreat continues the theme of adult formation begun earlier this year: How can we form adults for God's ministry of reconciliation in these times? Earlier this year we looked at two programs for inspiration: *Living Compass* and *Renewal Works*. Now we're going to consider parish-based practices: *Naming the Gospel for Our Community*, *Dwelling in the Word*, and *Following the Spirit's Leadership*. We invite you to bring your experience and your questions.

Save the Dates...

<i>Tuesday, May 24</i>	Clergy Gathering with the Bishop for Parochial and Extra Parochial Priests: South Trinity, Portland
<i>Thursday, May 26</i>	Clergy Gathering with the Bishop for Parochial and Extra Parochial Priests: North Location TBA
<i>Tuesday, June 22</i>	Retired Clergy Luncheon: North Location TBA
<i>Friday, June 24</i>	Retired Clergy Luncheon: South Marriott Sable Oaks, South Portland
<i>Saturday, August 20</i>	Deacons' Day with the Bishop Holding: Palmyra

Three Clergy Gatherings with the Bishop are being planned for Sept/Oct 2016, stay tuned for details. Thank you.



AGENDA

With our thanks to the parish of Grace Church for the warm welcome and gracious hospitality.



Sunday, April 24	
4:00PM – 5:00PM	Check in at the Hampton Inn
5:00PM	Retreat Registration at Grace Church
5:30PM – 6:30PM	Dinner, Parish Hall

6:30PM – 8:00PM	Welcome, Introductions and Logistics Opening Session <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Lisa's Story ➤ Naming the Gospel in our lives ➤ introduction to writing exercise: <i>What is the Gospel in your community?</i>
8:15PM	Compline, Church Worship Leader: Steve



Monday, April 25

	Breakfast at the Hampton Inn/on your own
8:30AM	Morning Hospitality (Continental Breakfast), Grace Church
9:00AM	Dwelling in the Word: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21
9:30AM	Reflecting Missiologically on the Contemporary Cultural Environment Presentation by Dwight with discussion time
10:45AM	Break
11:00AM	The Triune God's Mission of Reconciliation Presentation by Dwight with discussion time
Noon	Lunch, Parish Hall
1:00PM	Following the Spirit's Leadership into the Neighborhood Presentation by Lisa
2:15PM	Break
2:45PM – 3:45PM	Following the Spirit's Leadership, Pt 2 Presentation by Lisa and Dwight
4:00PM	Vespers/Evening Prayer
5:P30PM	Dinner at JR Maxwells, 122 Front St, Bath (cash bar) www.jrmaxwells.com Parking is limited at Maxwells; please carpool from Grace. Thanks!
7:30PM	Day is Done



Tuesday, March 24

Check out, Hampton Inn

Breakfast at the Hampton Inn/on your own

8:30AM Morning Hospitality (Continental Breakfast), Grace Church

9:00AM Dwelling in the Word: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21

9:30AM Sharing of Gospel Statements

Closing Conversation

10:30AM Break

11:00AM Closing Eucharist

Presiding: Steve

Preaching: Dwight Acts 16:9-15, John 14:23-29