



# PRAIRIE CENTRAL LEADERSHIP TRAINING 2025

**January 18** 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

**Grace UMC in Naperville**

300 E. Gartner Road

**Cost \$15 each** Up to \$60 per church

<b>Schedule:</b>	<b>8:30</b>	<b>Gathering and Refreshments</b>		
	<b>9:00</b>	<b>Welcome and Worship</b>	<b>12:15</b>	<b>Workshop 2 (W2)</b>
	<b>10:15</b>	<b>Workshop 1 (W1)</b>	<b>1:45</b>	<b>Workshop 3 (W3)</b>
	<b>11:30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	<b>3:10</b>	<b>Closing</b>

- Classes:** **Pick 1 Class per Workshop** (Classes offered during different workshops)
- **Simplified Accountable Structure (One Board)** - Rev. Dr. Jaye Johnson (W1)
  - **Staff-Parish Relations Committee ToolKit**  
- Rev. Danita R. Anderson (W1, W2)
  - **Building Connections** - Rev. Violet Johnicker (W2, W3)
  - **Asset Management** - Rev. Rob Hamilton (W1)
  - **Creation Care as a Spiritual Practice** - NIC Net Zero Team (W3)
  - **Stewardship and Budgeting** - Elaine Moy (W1, W2)
  - **Vital Congregations: The "E" Word (evangelism)**  
- Rev. Christian Coon and Rev. Hyujae Lee (W2, W3)
  - **Building and Resourcing a Communication Plan for Your Church**  
- Rev. Scott Himmel (W2, W3)
  - **Children and Youth Mental Health** - Megan Hamilton (W1)
  - **Common Sense Gun Safety** - Rev. Elizabeth Bowes (W1)
  - **The Call of Discipleship** - Nadia Kanhai (W3)

**Registration:** [umcnic.org/calendar/prairie-central-leadership-training-2025](https://umcnic.org/calendar/prairie-central-leadership-training-2025)

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