

List of Continuing Education Opportunities...

(**CC**=Cultural Competency Training; **AR**=Anti-Racism; **BT**=Boundary Training;

ABT=Advanced Boundary Training)

(**ALL Authorized Ministers, please note:** We will be identifying these kinds of continuing education opportunities – The policy was effective starting January 1, 2019. If you have any questions, please contact the Penn Northeast Conference Office at 610-826-3113. Thank You!)

Education Spotlight: Upcoming Webinars and Events

from LeadingAge PA

Live Webinars and In-Person Events

For-credit On-demand Webinars

2025

We know how vital it is for clergy and leaders to have access to high-quality training on **clergy boundaries** and **anti-racism practices**—resources that strengthen ministry and deepen community engagement.

In partnership with some of the best instructors in these fields, Convergence hosts excellent ONLINE courses in [Clergy Boundary Training](#) and [Anti-Racism Training](#) for Clergy and Congregations. They are asynchronous and meet the standards of Committee on Ministry requirements. We'd like to partner with you to make these trainings more accessible for your leaders—at no cost to you.

Warm regards, Cameron

Rev. Cameron Trimble, CEO, Convergence, convergenceus.org, convergencecolab.org-

(CC) – Pennsylvania Southeast Conference - Anti-Bias Training: Cultural Humility in Ministerial Practice - Nov. 12, 10:00a or 6:00p, Zoom. We serve a church that is 83% white that strives to be a justice seeking denomination, as well as one that is multicultural and multiracial. Your own congregation, perhaps your community, may not be very racially diverse but is likely more culturally diverse than you think. Join this discussion for deeper understanding of the ways in which we carry implicit and explicit biases in our daily lives and how those biases can impact ourselves, those around us, and the Church. Register [here](#).

Interim Ministry Network – Equipping and Supporting Transitional Leaders for Faith-Based Organizations – Fundamentals of Transitional Leadership (FTL) – new online core and advanced course of training – [Click Here to Read More...](#)

October 31 (Deadline) CWS's [2026 Restore and Renew program for clergy](#), focused on support for **middle judicatory and regional ministry leaders** like District Superintendents, Executive Presbyters, Bishops and Association and Conference ministers.

You can choose between six-month or yearlong programs aimed at enhancing leadership skills and deepening your sense of community and purpose. Each cohort begins and ends with in-person retreats and provides monthly virtual group coaching and one-on-one coaching. [Click Here to Register](#)

November 3 & 10 (**BT**) Please see the following links – please note all trainings are offered 9AM to 12 Noon each day and the time zone is Pacific – you must complete both days to receive a certificate for six hours of training. - \$65 - questions? Email mdweible@enkei-resolutions.com [Information](#) [Register](#)

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November 14-16

Liturgical Direct Action: A Discernment Retreat - How is direct action or civil disobedience altered when framed in prayerful worship? What dimensions of freedom are then embraced? When public witness tells the story of faith and marks a feast or season, what new depth of communication is opened? When nonviolence is practiced in sacramental forms, how is liturgy itself enhanced? With examples from the freedom movement, antiwar movements, anti-imperial and decolonizing struggles, and more, this retreat will offer opportunities for the imaginative work of movement action from a Christian perspective. Join practitioners in re-discerning your own local work. Come as a group to think it through together in story and silence, prayer and listening. Come on your own to connect with like-minded others and find inspiration for bringing folks together back home. CEU certificate available upon request.

[Master of Science in Nonprofit Leadership and Management](#) (MSNP).

December 2

Fractured Lives, Fractured Churches - [Learn More](#) - Online via Zoom - 9:00 AM - [Register](#)

2026



2026 training dates and registration links are posted below.

You will notice two options for Racial Justice Training. Level 1 training is a pre-requisite to register for Level 2. If you took the Level 1 training with me, I have that information on file. If you took it with another organization, please send me proof of completion.

Level 2 Racial Justice Training will use the "Respect and Affirmation" section of Rev. DaVita McAllister's TARASC spectrum to dive into systemic racism and areas of work that we need to pay attention to related to respect and affirmation for all people. These trainings are separated by a week as participants will be given a bit of "homework" between the trainings to prepare for a deeper conversation during the second day of training.

Conflict for Healthy Churches workshop is a one-day workshop. It's being offered two times in 2026. Churches who want to send 3 or more lay leaders will receive a discount on each participant. Please email me for a special registration link.

Links for more information and to register:

[Boundary Training Information](#)

Dates: January 13 & 14; March 3 & 4; May 11 & 12; September 8 & 9; November 5 & 12

[Boundary Training Registration](#)

[Level 1 Racial Justice Training Information](#)

Dates: April 7 & 8; August 24 & 26

[Level 1 Racial Justice Training Registration](#)

[Level 2 Racial Justice Training Information](#)

Dates: January 26 & February 2; August 11 & 18; October 6 & 13

[Level 2 Racial Justice Training Registration](#)

[Healthy Conflict Workshop Information](#)

Dates: February 25 or October 20

[Healthy Conflict Registration](#)

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January 26-30 **Lombard Clergy Retreat** - Epworth by the Sea, St. Simon's Island, GA - **Join us for this four-day retreat** and help us start a new tradition at LMPC! There are multiple options for days of participation, including virtual attendance. *Guests are welcome to accompany you to this beautiful location.* Read all about it on our website! [Register Here](#)

**Others...**

-Communities of Practice – participation qualifies for ½ of the continuing education requirements

-Crossroads Lay Leadership Program at Moravian Sem. – <https://www.moravianseminary.edu/academics/crossroads>

-Moravian Seminary – 610-861-1512 - - <http://moravianseminary.edu/academics/continuing-education>

This site gets a person directly to continuing education programs. The calendar is on the same page.

-Center for Family Process – [www.centerforfamilyprocess.com](http://www.centerforfamilyprocess.com)

-Lehigh Conference of Churches – <https://lehighchurches.org>

-Institute for Islamic Christian Jewish Studies – <https://icjs.org/> - usually (CC) qualified