

Part-time is Plenty

Ch 1 Recovering Ministry as It's Been Done through the Ages

Ch 2 How Laypeople Step Up and Share Leadership

Resources/Tools

Constitution & Canons, General Convention of the Episcopal Church, Title III, Canon 4: Of Licensed Ministries (pages 101-103)

<https://extranet.generalconvention.org/staff/files/download/23914>

Pastoral Leader

Worship Leader

Preacher

Eucharistic Minister

Eucharistic Visitor

Catechist

Evangelist

Licensed Lay Ministry in our diocese, The Episcopal Church in East Tennessee

<https://www.dioet.org/licensed-lay-ministry/>

Pastoral Care – Fall 2020 & Spring 2021 (in session)

Catechist – Fall 2020 & Spring 2021 (in session)

Holy Scripture – Fall 2021 & Spring 2022*

Preaching – Fall 2022 & Spring 2023

Catechist – Fall 2022 & Spring 2023

Pastoral Care – Fall 2022 & Spring 2023

Lay Preacher Training Initiative (LPTI), Episcopal Preaching Foundation (EPF)

<http://www.preachingfoundation.org/webinar/lpti-sign-up/>

Diocesan application for 2022-2023 pilot program participation being considered

Licensure & Church-Wide Imperatives, Pathways for Baptismal Living, Lifelong Learning, Bexley Seabury Seminary

<https://www.bexleyseabury.edu/pathways/>

Evangelism with Jerusalem Greer February 14 – March 27, 2021 (in session)

Catechism with Sharon Pearson April 11 – May 29, 2021*

Preaching with Susan Ironside April 11 – June 12, 2021*

Worship Leadership with Dick Hamlin May 30 – August 7, 2021*

Pastoral Leadership with Steve Matthew October 3 – November 20, 2021*

Here I Am Day, Diocesan Commission on Ministry Discernment Retreat for anyone who is discerning a call to licensed lay ministry, vocational diaconate, or priesthood

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUrce-orjktHdJkLMRki2ak1EPms7cyeioz>

Saturday, May 8, 2021, 8:45 – 12:30 via Zoom*

* Consider lifting up laity for these formation opportunities soon

Questions for Conversation in Your Congregation

- 1 Who in your congregation has gifts for a ministry that can be licensed for or practiced by the laity?
- 2 How might you create more awareness and buy-in, and begin to plan with parish leadership and stakeholders for equipping the laity for ministry?

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