

SAFE Sanctuaries Training

Reducing the Risk of Child Abuse in the Church for Clergy and Laity

sponsored by Susquehanna Conference, The United Methodist Church

Saturday, September 29, 2018

Fairdale Community UMC - Scranton/Wilkes-Barre District

6212 Ridge Rd, Montrose PA 18801

9 a.m. - 12 p.m. , \$3 for Booklet

Led by Jane Pykus and Charmarie Bisel

To register, contact Jane Pykus at 570-465-3500
or by email at jpykus@susumc.org

Register by September 19

Monday, October 1, 2018

First UMC - Altoona District

801 Allegheny St, Hollidaysburg, PA 6648

6 - 9 p.m. , \$3 for Booklet

Led by Mick Dawes

To register, contact Cindy Himes at chimes@hollidaysburgumc.org
or at 814-695-4411

Register by September 23

Sunday, October 7, 2018

Stewartstown UMC - York District

26 S. Main Street, Stewartstown, PA 17363

2:30 - 4:30 p.m. , \$3 for Booklet

Led by Dr. Keith Braucher

To register, contact Connie Zetterman at 717-993-2507
or connie@stewartstownumc.org

Register by September 30

Saturday, October 13, 2018

Faxon-Kenmar UMC - Williamsport District

1301 Clayton Ave, Williamsport PA 17701-3837

9 a.m. - 12 p.m. , \$3 for Booklet

(to be paid at time of training)

Led by Denise Haskins

To register, contact Faxon-Kenmar UMC office
by phone at 570-323-7272 or by email at fkumc@comcast.net.

Saturday, October 20, 2018

Emory UMC - York District

35 Center Sq, New Oxford, PA 17350

9 - 11: 30 a.m. , \$3 for Booklet

Led by Dr. Keith Braucher

To register, contact Angela Steel angela@steelfarms.org
or call (717) 521-8736

Register by October 13

Saturday, October 20, 2018

Otterbein UMC - Harrisburg District

15634 Paxton Run Rd, Newburg PA 17240

9 a.m. - 12 p.m. , \$3 for Booklet

Led by Melissa Hockenberry

To register, contact Otterbein UMC office
at otterbeinumc@embarqmail.com contact church office 570-729-7011

Register by October 9

Sunday, November 11, 2018

Williamsburg UMC - Altoona District

431 W 2nd ST, Williamsburg, PA 16693

2 - 5 p.m. , \$3 for Booklet

Led by Mick Dawes

To register, contact Shirley Saylor at wmsbgumc@embarqmail.com
or call 814-832-2816

Register by November 1

Wednesday, November 28, 2018

Baughman UMC - Harrisburg District

228 Bridge Street, New Cumberland, PA 17070

5:30 - 8:30 p.m. , \$3 for Booklet

Led by Therese Finney

To register, contact Melinda Rhoads-Miller at Baughman UMC
717-774-2005 or email Therese at tfinney@susumc.org

Register by November 19

By attending the Safe Sanctuaries training...

- You will gain an understanding of the scope of child abuse
- You will understand the church's comprehensive strategy against abuse
- You will learn how to draft and implement your local church policy
- You will learn how to recruit and screen workers with children
- You will get proven procedures for safe ministry with children, youth, and vulnerable adults
- You will learn how to respond if abuse does occur
- You will learn about the Susquehanna Conference insurance policy regarding sexual abuse and molestation

Who Should Attend?

Pastors and those serving local churches

Church Staff

Lay Persons responsible for nursery, childrens ministry, youth ministry and ecumenical ministries

Persons responsible for church sponsored daycare

Trustees

Anyone involved with VBS, Scouts or other groups sponsored by the local church

Please bring your copy of the book *Safe Sanctuaries* * with you.

If your church does not have a copy, they can be purchased online through Cokesbury, www.cokesburynext.com, or Amazon.com.

(*SAFE SANCTUARIES *Reducing the Risk of Abuse in the Church for Children and Youth*
- By Joy Thornburg Melton)

Safe Sanctuaries Training REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Church: _____

District: _____

Date/Location of training you plan to attend: _____

Make checks payable to **Susquehanna Conference** and mail to:

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