

Program Personalities

Bible and Theology Presenter:

Rev. Awilda Gonzalez-Tejera, PhD,
Director, Center of Biblical Studies
Education, Dallas

Practical Ministry Presenters:

Rev. Norm Stolpe

Multi-sensory Sermon Preparation

Rev. Suzanne Castle-Roland & Rev. Jennie Churchman

Multi-sensory Worship Preparation

Rev. Sherley Collier-Walker

Multi-sensory Teaching Preparation

Deans:

Rev. Ken Crawford, Minister, Forest Grove Christian Church, Allen

Rev. Norm Stolpe, Minister, Central Christian Church Dallas

Mentors:

Rev. Katie Alexander, Community CC, Aledo

Rev. Steve Goss

Rev. Jerry Kirkpatrick, WestWind CC, Keller

Rev. Gilbert Marez, Camino de Paz CC, Fort Worth

Rev. Doug Skinner, Northway CC, Dallas

Creekwood Christian Church
2660 Forest Vista Dr.
Flower Mound, TX 75028
972-539-2660

Directions to Creekwood

From Fort Worth: Take Hwy 121 towards DFW Airport (you will need to exit several times to stay on 121). Exit FM 2499 (pass exits for I-635 and Bass Pro Dr.) and go north. Cross FM 3040 and take the 1st right at the light after Valero and turn right onto Forest Vista. The church is on the northeast corner of Forest Vista and FM 2499.

From Dallas: Go west on LBJ (I-635) towards DFW Airport. Take the FM 2499 exit (near Grapevine Mills Mall) and go north. Cross FM 3040 and take the 1st right at the light after Valero and turn right onto Forest Vista. The church is on the northeast corner of Forest Vista and FM 2499.

Saturdays from 8:45 - 4:30

September 26, 2009

January 9, 2010

April 10, 2010

Pre-registration through the North Texas Area office is required.

The course provides teaching, mentoring, and networking. The fee covers textbooks, snacks and lunch. Some congregations will pay all or part of the fee.

Registration Deadlines and Costs:

\$150 received by June 1, 2009

\$175 received after June 1 and before or on September 1, 2009

\$200 received after September 1, 2009

LICENSED MINISTER TRAINING

2009-2010

THE BIBLE AND THEOLOGY

Sponsored by the
North Texas Area and
Trinity-Brazos Area of
The Christian Church
(Disciples of Christ) in
the Southwest



Registration Form

Please return this form with the \$150 registration fee by **June 1**. Make checks payable to NTA. **After June 1, fee will be \$175, and \$200 after September 1.**

RETURN BY SEPTEMBER 1 to:

North Texas Area Office
3525 Lawler Rd., Suite 101
Garland, TX 75042-5338
972-272-1300 fax

(Please print)

Name _____

Email _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Work Phone _____

Church _____

Position _____

Church address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Are you currently licensed? yes no

By what Area? _____

Will you need English translation? yes no

Payment rec. _____ Check # _____

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September 26, 2009

****Afternoon Workshop:**
*Sermon Preparation - "Mind Mapping"***

January 9, 2010

****Afternoon Workshop:**
*Worship Preparation***

April 14, 2010

****Afternoon Workshop:**
*Teaching Preparation***

8:45	Gathering
9:00	Welcome, information
9:15	Morning Prayers
9:45	Lectures
11:45	Small Groups
12:30	Lunch and Conversation
1:15	Workshop
2:30	Small Groups
4:00	Worship and Benediction

NTA/TBA Licensed Minister Training

Creekwood Christian Christian Church
26660 Forest Vista Dr.
Flower Mound, TX 75028

Saturdays from 8:45 - 4:30

September 26, 2009
January 9, 2010
April 10, 2010

The Licensed Minister Training is a four-year program provided for Licensed Ministers and Licensed Ministry candidates. The training is offered by the North Texas Area and the Trinity Brazos Area in cooperation with the NTA and TBA Committees on the Ministry. **Full day participation at all three retreats and completion of all assignments is expected.** Three Saturday events will provide the eighteen contact hours required by the Region for Licensed Ministers.

Topics covered in the program:

2009-2010	<i>Bible and Theology</i>
2010-2011	<i>Disciples' Identity</i>
2011-2012	<i>Family Systems and Church Dynamics</i>
2012-2013	<i>Spiritual Leadership</i>