

# Money Leadership For Rostered Leaders



September 30-  
October 1, 2008

St. Francis Retreat Center  
Easton, PA

- Engage leaders in open conversation and self-assessment of their experiences, feelings, knowledge and practices related to money.
- Increase literacy and emotional comfort with financial issues.
- Explore the dynamics of money and financial issues around the roles discipleship and leadership play within the congregational system.
- Encourage attitudes and behaviors to achieve personal and congregational financial goals.
- Develop a personal action plan to address financial issues.
- Prepare leaders to be living examples and coaches of healthy financial stewardship within the congregation and beyond.



Northeastern Pennsylvania  
Synod, ELCA

## Money Leadership for Rostered Leaders Registration

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Congregation (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Return to: Northeastern Pennsylvania Synod  
4865 Hamilton Blvd  
Wescosville, PA 18106

Registration Form and \$50.00 Fee Due  
No Later Than September 10, 2008

Make Checks Payable to Northeastern Pennsylvania Synod

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**M**oney Leadership provides tools for leaders and their congregations. The program engages leaders in conversation and self-assessment of their experiences, feelings, knowledge and practices related to money issues. Based on scriptural teachings and affirmation of healthy financial practices, this is undertaken in the context of strengthening personal and congregational stewardship. From experience in several synods, Money Leadership has helped individuals take important steps in their faith journey and financial planning while nurturing thriving congregations.

Led by Pastor Serena Sellers, stewardship specialist for the Southeastern Pennsylvania Synod, Pastor Mark Wimmer, MIF regional representative, and Pastor Mike Bennethum, stewardship specialist for the Northeastern Pennsylvania Synod, Money Leadership for Rostered Leaders focuses on the role and experiences of rostered leaders in their own context.

- The workshop begins at 11:30 AM on September 30 with registration and lunch and continues through lunch on October 1.
- The cost of the retreat is \$115 per person. Thanks to generous grants from the ELCA Mission Investment Fund and the Northeastern Pennsylvania Synod's Leadership Development Ministry Team, the first ten registrants pay only \$50 for housing, meals and course materials.

The retreat includes intentional conversation in a variety of important areas including:

1. Giving
2. Saving
3. Spending
4. Debt Reduction
5. Financial Life Planning
6. Money Leadership in the Congregation
7. Role of Money in the Congregational Family System

The content and support resources for these presentations have been developed by professional stewardship leaders, financial counselors and family system specialists. The design includes some pre-work including writing a money autobiography, a small amount of reading, collecting personal financial information and completing guided self-assessment. While open conversation of faith and financial issues has proven a valuable aspect of this experience, individual circumstances and confidentiality are respected.

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