Mandatory Ethical and Boundary Training for Yellowstone Presbytery Saturday, June 5th, 10am-2pm or Saturday, October 2nd, 10am-2pm

"The Church and Her Ministry: Safe Spaces and Whole Relationships"

"We are recognizing at this moment there is much relational brokenness in our society and world. God cares about these wounds, about healing them, about building life-giving relationships that allow each person to flourish. God has placed the church in this world to be an agent of healing and light. In this workshop, we will learn about God's good intentions for our wholeness, how pastors, leaders and the church can recognize areas of need and respond, as well as be a community in which healthy relationships and boundaries are built and modeled.

- Have you ever worried about a grandchild being bullied or harassed?
- Have you been concerned about what to do if you learn someone is experiencing abuse?
- Do you wish that you had a constructive way to cut through interpersonal committee conflict?
- Do you want to not wonder but know that your church is up to speed on best practices?

Then this workshop is for you. Bring your questions, hopes, and desire to be God's salt and light in the world!"

What Is the Training?

Every three years, pastors and Commissioned Ruling Elders within the bounds of Yellowstone Presbytery are required to complete an ethical and boundary training event. This training will address issues of behavior, decision-making and risk management in terms of ministry and workers and leaders in the church.

When and How Will It Be Offered?

Saturday, June 5th, 10am-2pm Saturday, October 2nd, 10am-2pm

Two sessions via Zoom. The link will be sent to registrants a few days before the training session.

Who is Invited?

Clergy and Commissioned Ruling Elders within Yellowstone Presbytery are <u>required</u> to have this training every three years. We also invite session members, children's and youth volunteers, child care workers, etc. to join us.

Who Will Be Presenting?

Rev. Dr. Beth McCaw is the General Presbyter of Glacier Presbytery, Prof. @ Dubuque Seminary, former pastor and missionary co-worker and a trained workshop facilitator.

How Much Will It Cost?

\$15/workbook. ORDER ASAP.

Click on this link to order a hard copy or an electronic copy:

https://store.faithtrustinstitute.org/collections/healthy-boundaries/products/healthy-boundaries-101-participant-workbook-english-edition

Other Options?

If you are unable to attend one of our trainings, you must go through a training. Contact JP Carlson <u>rev.jpcarlson@gmail.com</u> and/or Debbie Blackburn <u>deb4cats@aol.com</u> if you need help finding an alternative option.

How Do I Register?

Email and/or call JP Carlson, Co-Moderator of PMT, at rev.jpcarlson@gmail.com; 402-613-1973.

REGISTRATION DEADLINES: Thursday, June 3rd for Saturday, June 5th & Thursday, September 30 for Saturday, October 2nd.