

**The Penn West Conference and the Penn West Academy for Ministry Present  
The 2020 Installment of our Pastoral Ethics Requirements...**

**Technology and Boundaries Training**

Back in 2017, all six of the Associations of the Penn West Conference passed the resolution, “On Pastoral Ethics Requirements for the Associations of the Penn West Conference of the United Church of Christ.” In 2020, we are providing Technology and Boundaries Training for Authorized Ministers and laypersons in our Conference. All Authorized (ordained, licensed, and commissioned) Ministers and Members in Discernment are expected to attend this event. If you are an Authorized Minister and have not satisfied the requirements for Boundary Awareness Orientation Training yet, we expect that you will do that first, as per the resolution, before taking this installation of Technology and Boundaries Training. We are encouraging laypersons to come so that, inasmuch as possible, we can create a culture in our churches that supports and sustains healthy boundaries in relationships between pastors, congregations, and communities.

The training will be led by the Rev. Dr. Deirdre King Hainsworth. Dr. Hainsworth taught on the subject of technology and ethics at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary. For the convenience of our pastors and churches, three separate events have been planned in different locations on different days. Please register for one of these events:

- Saturday, April 18, Zion’s Reformed United Church of Christ, 260 Main St., Greenville PA, 10 AM to 3:30 PM.
- Tuesday, May 5, Living Waters Camp & Conference Center, 300 Camp Living Water Rd., Schellsburg PA, 10 AM to 3:30 PM
- Thursday, June 11, California University of Pennsylvania, 250 University Ave., California PA, 10 AM to 3:30 PM

Light refreshments/breakfast items will be provided when you arrive. You will also receive lunch. The cost of the event is \$50.00 per person. This covers the fees and expenses for the presenter and venues (which are providing spaces and meals). If the registration fee is a hardship for you for whatever reason, please contact the Conference Minister. Please register and send your payment by Friday, April 3, to Penn West Conference, 312 South Maple Ave., Suite PWC, Greensburg PA 15601. Checks may be made to “Penn West Conference.”

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- Saturday, April 18, Zion’s Reformed United Church of Christ, Greenville PA
- Tuesday, May 5, Living Waters Camp & Conference Center, Schellsburg PA
- Thursday, June 11, California University of Pennsylvania, California PA
- Also, I am registering for then June 11 event, and I plan to stay the night of the 11<sup>th</sup> at California University of Pennsylvania so I can be there for the Penn West Conference Annual Gathering & Meeting. I will indicate this on the registration form for the Annual Gathering & Meeting and will pay for the room with that registration.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Association: \_\_\_\_\_

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