

REGIONAL ASSEMBLY

of the
CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(DISCIPLES OF CHRIST)
IN THE SOUTHWEST



October 29-30, 2016

Northway Christian Church
7202 W Northwest Hwy, Dallas TX 75225



Register Early!

Everyone who attends must register.
You are encouraged to take advantage of the nursery and children's programming.

Name _____

Address (line 1) _____

Address (line 2) _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP Code _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Congregation, City _____ Area _____

Do you plan to be at Northway CC by 1:00 pm Saturday to participate in the Mission First Event? Yes No

Workshop Choices: (choose one for each time: see code on back)

Saturday at 4:00 pm: A _____

Sunday at 1:30 pm: B _____

If serving as a Voting Delegate, select one:

Congregational Delegate

Ordained Minister

Member Unit/Institution Delegate

Regional Council Member

Commissioned Minister

Basic Registration:

\$40 Adult

\$50 Adult after Sep 15

\$20 Seminary Student/Volunteer

\$20 Youth (6th - 12th grade)

\$20 per Child (K-5th grade: Programming)

Name(s) & Grade(s) _____

\$20 per Infant-Toddler (Nursery-Pre-K)

Name(s) & Age(s) _____

Additional Events:

\$15 Adult/Youth - Saturday Supper

\$10 Child (K-5th grade) - Sat. Supper # _____

\$15 Adult/Youth - Sunday Lunch

\$10 Child (K-5th grade) - Sun. Lunch # _____

\$26 DWM Saturday Lunch (Cost includes meal, gratuity & valet parking)

\$25 (or more!) Not attending? Make a donation to CCSW.

Total Due _____

Special dietary needs: _____

Make checks payable to CCSW. You may email a PDF of your registration if you wish to pay through your bank's online payment process. An email confirmation will be attempted for legible entries. Contact the Southwest Region office at ccsw@ccsw.org or 817-926-4687 if you wish to confirm receipt of your registration or payment.

OFFICE USE: Amount _____, Payor _____, Check # _____, Check Date _____, Postmarked _____

Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the Southwest

817-926-4687 / PO Box 1689, Fort Worth TX 76101-1689 / www.ccsw.org/ra2016 / ccsw@ccsw.org

Assembly Workshops (Descriptions at ccsw.org/ra2016)

Saturday (4:00 - 5:15 pm)

- A1 - Hands on Mission - Kathy Bouchard, Presenter
- A2 - Church Transformation - Eddie Hill, Presenter
- A3 - New Ways to Do Church - Chuck Fisher, Presenter
- A4 - "Epiphany!" - Presented by Hope Partnership
- A5 - Small People, Big Faith - Cara Gilger, Presenter (spirituality of children)
- A6 - Community Recovery from Disasters - Ann Dotson, Presenter
- A7 - XPLORE and Other New Ministries - Presented by National Benevolent Association

Sunday (1:30 - 2:45 pm)

- B1 - Spiritual Development of Youth - Allison Drake, Presenter
- B2 - "New Beginnings" - Presented by Hope Partnership
- B3 - Current Thought on Small Groups - Barry Preston, Presenter
- B4 - Growing Your Church's Endowment - Bobby Hawley, Presenter
- B5 - Affinity Evangelism - Mike Spitters, Presenter
- B6 - Helping Families Dealing with Memory Care and Elder Issues - Presented by Juliette Fowler Communities
- B7 - The Seminarian Debt Crisis - Roger Wedell, Presenter

Assembly Schedule (Tentative – adjustments will be posted at ccsw.org/ra2016)

Pre-Assembly: Friday, October 28-Saturday morning, October 29

- Fri, 9 am to 4 pm, "Now What? A Symposium on Repurposing" at Northway Christian Church (www.disciplescef.org/nw to register)
- Fri, 7 pm, Reception at Midway Hills Christian Church, Dallas, on behalf of Texas Impact
- Fri, 9 pm, Young Clergy meet at The Flying Saucer Draught Emporium, 14999 Montfort Drive, Addison
- Sat, 11:00 am, Disciples Women's Ministries Luncheon at Maggiano's, #205 Northpark Center, Dallas

Assembly: Saturday, October 29

- 12-1 pm, Registration at Northway Christian Church, Dallas
- 1-4 pm, Mission First Event
- 4-5:15 pm, Workshops
- Supper (entertainment in sanctuary while waiting for meal)
- 7:30-9:00 pm, Worship in Sanctuary with Rev. Dr. Wil Gafney, Professor of Old Testament, Brite Divinity School
- 9:00 pm, TCU Reception

Assembly: Sunday, October 30

- 10:50 am, All Assembly Worship at Northway Christian Church (or worship on your own)
- Lunch (entertainment in sanctuary while waiting for meal)
- 1:45-3:00 pm, Workshops
- 3:00-4:30 pm, Business Meeting and Final Words

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Delegate Information from the Design for the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in the Southwest

17.a. Each member congregation shall be entitled to two (2) voting delegates. Each congregation of more than one hundred (100) participating members shall be entitled to one (1) additional voting delegate for each additional one hundred (100) participating members, or fraction thereof. These voting delegates shall be in addition to persons holding the office of ordained or commissioned minister. Ordained and commissioned ministers residing in the Region who have ministerial standing in the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) shall be voting delegates.

b. Each member unit or institution listed in paragraph 11 shall be entitled to three voting delegates. [Brite Divinity School, Texas Christian University, Jarvis Christian College, Juliette Fowler Communities, Inman Christian Center, and Southwest Good Samaritan Ministries].

c. Each member of the Regional Council of the CCSW shall be a voting delegate to the Assembly with full privileges.

d. No person shall have more than one (1) vote in the Regional Assembly, and no person shall vote in absentia or by proxy.

e. Congregations, units and institutions may name alternates to replace voting delegates provided for in paragraphs above who are unable to attend. Name of the person that is replacing voting delegate should be submitted in writing, signed by the Board chair and pastor, to the Credentials Chair (member institutions or other member units will have a legally authorized person sign) no later than ten (10) days prior to the Regional Assembly.

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Registration may be transferred to another individual. Notify the Southwest Region office of change, including workshop selections, as soon as possible.

Regional Refund Policy for Southwest Region Events - Cancellation details: 100% refund for emergencies up to the first day of the event; 100% if requested in writing up to seven days prior to the first day of the event; 50%, in cases of emergency only, if notification is made after the beginning of the event. Refund issued only if the written request is received in the CCSW Regional office - either at PO Box 1689, Fort Worth TX 76101-1689, or at ccsw@ccsw.org - within seven days of the last day of the event; no refunds for non-emergency cancellations after the beginning of the event.