

**Fall Gathering of the Pacific Northwest Conference
of the United Church of Christ
at N-Sid-Sen Camp and Conference Center**

Schedule

Friday, September 29, 2017

Noon Lunch available for those who arrive early
1:00-6:00pm Check in begins
1:00-6:00 Childcare Open
1:00-3:45 Board of Directors meet
3:30-4:00 Snack/Break
4:00-6:00 Committees and Task Forces meet
6:00-6:30 Heavy Hors d'oeuvres Served
6:30-7:00 Installation of Rev. Courtney Stange-Tregear
6:30-7:00 Childcare open
7:00-9:30 Dessert followed by campfire, music, etc.

Saturday, September 30

7:30-8:30 Breakfast / Registration / Orientation if needed
8:55-12:00 Childcare Open
9:00-10:15 Morning Prayer
Welcome
Introductions
Keynote by Rev. Courtney Stange-Tregear
10:15-10:45 Break
10:45-11:30 Staff-Facilitated Vitality Conversations
Mike Denton – Search and Call
Courtney Stange-Tregear – Overcoming Obstacles to Change
Mark Boyd – Hospitality as a Spiritual Practice
Wade Zick – Best Practices Service/Mission Trips
Tara Barber – Healthy Conversations for Vitality
11:45-1:00 Childcare Closed
11:45-1:15 Lunch/Camp Explorations
1:00-5:00 Childcare Open
1:30-2:15 Ministry/Local Church Role gatherings
Personnel - David Anderson, facilitator
Local Church Finance and Stewardship – Ann Lev and
Michelle Dougherty, facilitators
Community Outreach – Andy Castrolang, facilitator
Local Church Leadership – Wendy Blight, facilitator
Lay Pastoral Care – Carol Coleman, facilitator
Anti-Racist/White Privilege work – Diane Schmitz
Faith Formation for Children – Sharry Nyberg
Deepening Faith and Relationships – Kathie Forman
2:15-2:30 Break – time to get to next conversation

- 2:30-3:15 Affinity Groups
 Could include connections in deep listening
 Communion Practices – Becky Withington, facilitator
 Divestment Practices – Lin Hagedorn and
 Meighan Pritchard, facilitators
 Covenant Groups – Adult Spiritual Formation Task Force
 Synod Resolution on Sanctuary – Justice and Witness
- 3:30-5:00 Large Group sharing reporting back from connections and
 Closing worship
- 5:30 Dinner for those who have signed up to stay.
- Meeting of those creating morning worship.

Sunday, October 1

- 7:30am Breakfast
9:00 Worship
10:30 Depart