

Registration

All registrations and payments **MUST** be made online at www.susumc.org.

Fees:

Same rates as last year!

- Single \$515
- Double (per person) \$435
- Commuter (no breakfast nor amenities) \$335
- Children 11 & under Free

(If you have any questions, please contact event registrar Rev. Beth Stutler at estutler@susumc.org).

Absolutely NO reservations will be accepted after November 30, 2018.

In regard to refunds, all requests must be made through the event registrar. 100% of costs will be refunded if canceling for medical reasons; otherwise, 50% will be refunded if cancelled by January 20, 25% will be refunded if cancelled after January 20. If no contact is made with the event registrar, there will be no refund. If you wish to arrive Sunday or stay Wednesday, contact the Hershey Lodge directly at 844.330.1802. Tell them you are with the Bishop's Retreat. These expenses will be paid directly to Hershey Lodge by the participant.

Things to Keep in Mind

- Dress is casual. Rooms include refrigerator, coffee maker, hair dryer, iron and ironing board. Also available, indoor pool, water playground for kids (A lifeguard will be on duty Monday and Tuesday evenings as well as during the "Free Time" Tuesday afternoon.), fitness center, and whirlpool. Tourist and local dining information will be available at check-in.
- Come prepared to do as little or as much as you like. Check out <http://www.hersheyloodge.com> for more information and for directions.

Important Notices

- Roommates will NOT be assigned! In order to qualify for the double room rate, you must include your roommate's name with your registration.
- Partial scholarships will be made available to ministerial students, part- and full-time local pastors, as well as ordained clergy. Ordained clergy are asked to check first with their own SPRC and Continuing Education Funds for assistance. Scholarships are only for active clergy and cannot be extended to cover the cost of family members. Whenever possible, applicants are asked to pay for retreat costs up front and to receive reimbursement from the Board of Ordained Ministry at a later date.
- One CEU will be issued to all clergy attending.
- Sales or promotions of any kind (except for Discovery Place, Mission Central, and Cokesbury) are NOT allowed during this retreat.
- Please note that lunch on Wednesday afternoon will be on your own. You are welcome to use any of the fine facilities at the Hershey Lodge or sample the food in the Hershey area.

Important Child Care Notice

- Registration and Safe Sanctuaries child care is free, but you must register your children in order for them to attend!
- There will be two different age groups: 0-5 and 6-11.
- Additional child care information will be sent after your registration is received.

Bishop's Retreat 2019



for Clergy
and Laity

The Power of Through

with guest speaker
Rev. Alfred T. Day

General Secretary,
Commission on Archives and History

January 21-23, 2019

Hershey Lodge
325 University Drive
Hershey, PA 17033

Sponsored by the Bishop of the
Susquehanna
Conference
The United Methodist Church

Retreat Schedule

Monday, January 21

4:00pm.....Arrival & Check-In
5:30pm.....Welcome & Praise Music
6:00pm.....Dinner & Fellowship
(7:00-9:15pm Child Care)
7:30pm.....Worship with Rev. Day and remarks by
Bishop Park
9:00pm.....Free Time

Tuesday, January 22

7:00am.....Breakfast
(8:00-11:45am Child Care)
8:30am.....Worship with Holy Communion
9:00am.....Session 1 with Rev. Day
10:15am.....Break
10:30am.....Session 2 with Rev. Day
11:45am.....Lunch
Afternoon—Free Time
6:00pm.....Dinner
(7:00-10:00pm Child Care)
7:30pm.....Session 3 with Rev. Day
9:00pm.....Free Time with Bishop Park

Wednesday, January 23

7:00am.....Breakfast
(8:00-11:45am Child Care)
9:00am.....Worship
9:30am.....Check-out & Evaluations
10:00am.....Session 4 with Rev. Day
11:15am.....Closing Remarks & CEUs
11:30am.....Leave for Home

Speaker

The Power of Through

Rev. Alfred T. Day has served as the General Secretary of the United Methodist General Commission on Archives and History since 2014. He is a member of the Eastern Pennsylvania Annual Conference and editor of *Methodist History*.



A graduate of Houghton College and Gordon Conwell Theological Seminary, he has also studied at Drew University and Temple University. Prior to his present appointment, Rev. Day most recently served historic St. George's Church, a United Methodist Heritage Landmark in Philadelphia. He has also served as a District Superintendent and is an Asbury Scholar.

Musician

We are pleased to welcome back **Dan Stokes** as our music leader again this year. Dan accepted the call to serve Trinity United Methodist Church in New Cumberland in 2015. He has lead numerous festivals and workshops for the National Association of Pastoral Musicians, the Fellowship Of United Methodists in Music and Worship Arts, and others. Dan is grateful to Trinity, Hummelstown for early opportunities to play for worship and to Park St. UMC and 4th UCC, a shared ministry, for demonstrating what it means to let the light of Christ shine in the midst of darkness.



Watch QuikLINK and your email for more information about both the retreat and the special pre-conference session!