

Central Bay District Lay Servant Ministry Team Expectations

The Mission of the Central Bay District is to resource and enable the local church to Make Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World.

Therefore, the focus of the work of the Lay Servant Ministries Team shall be to plan and supervise the Lay Servant Ministry (LSM) program within the district so as to resource and enable the local church to live into and out of its mission for the making of disciples of Jesus.

The responsibilities are to provide basic training for local church lay servants and advanced courses for certified lay servants, lay speakers, and lay ministers. As the means by which such trainings can be offered in a great variety of ways, the LSM Team shall consult the conference Associate Director for Lay Leadership Development to explore and offer as many means as possible to resource the trainings and the lay servants, speakers, and ministers. As such, the LMS Team is to work innovatively to affect the ongoing mission of the district and resourcing the local church so they will be better able to complete the mission of making disciples of Jesus.

Accurate record keeping of all persons in the program, their status, and the course completed shall be maintained. Also, the CBD District and Executive Assistant shall regularly receive a listing of certified lay speakers to be shared with the local churches.