



Lay Servant Ministries, of Central Bay District, invites you to participate in a down-to-earth, practical introduction to the ins and outs of preaching for lay preachers, bi-vocational pastors, and those who are new to the pulpit. The call to preach can take many forms, and this class will give you practical tips on choosing topics, relevant scriptural references, delivery, and ideas about what makes a sermon particularly moving or memorable.

When: April 6 & 13, 2024

Where: Mt. Pleasant First United Methodist Church

400 South Main

Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Time: 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Facilitator: Rev. Donald Ferris-McCann

Cost: \$5.00

Text for class: From Pew to Pulpit by Clifton F. Guthrie

A lunch will be provided on site, and beverages will be available throughout the day.

Registration:

1. To reserve a spot in the class, email Janice Buckley with your name and contact information at: buckley7878@charter.net
2. Download the registration form from the Central Bay District website and have it signed by the appropriate people.
3. Email your signed form to Janice Buckley, or bring it with you April 6, when you come for the first class session.

Deadline to register is March 20, 2024

Please be on time and bring a Bible, **the required text book**, pen or pencil, notebook or paper to take notes, and an open mind.