

Advanced Clergy Clinic

This three-part series is designed for graduates of our *Clergy Clinic* or *Leadership Development* programs and for those with an extensive background in Bowen family systems theory. We gather for three days each time in fall, winter, and early spring. The format is a featured guest lecturer on day one, and additional presenters from diverse backgrounds on days two and three alternating with small group work. This training allows great opportunities for personal growth. Registrants are expected to attend the entire 9-day series. People return year after year which is a testament to the value they find in these annual sessions and the sense of community that develops among participants.

This Workshop Will Help You...

- Learn about your own functioning in both your personal/family life and your work/congregational leadership
- Gain the skills to function as a self-differentiated leader
- Invest deeper into understanding your own family of origin story
- Develop greater emotional management
- Explore Bowen theory and how to apply it to your daily life

Who Will Benefit:

- Pastors and Interim Pastors.
- Judicatory Officials: Bishops, District Superintendents, Presbytery Executives, etc.
- Church Consultants.
- Leaders of Religious Communities and Other Church-Related Organizations.
- Congregational lay leaders are welcome as well.

Logistical Information:

- All sessions will be held as a hybrid option. If you would like to participate in person, we will be meeting at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Glen Ellyn, IL.
- Meeting times will run roughly from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- These sessions will be hosted by **Rev. Jay Wittmeyer** and **Tammy Martens, M.Div.**
 - To read their bios, please visit our website at LMPeaceCenter.org/staff/

Prerequisites:

- We recommend taking *Clergy Clinic* or *Leadership Development* with us first
- If you believe you have a sufficient understanding of Bowen Family Systems Theory, contact our office and we will supply you with an application form to forgo the prerequisite course

Dates

October 16-18, 2023

February 5-7, 2024

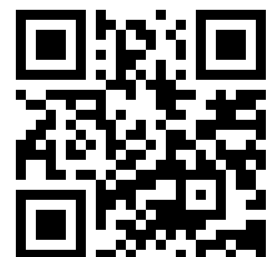
April 8-10, 2024

Fee

The registration fee for this workshop is \$1,100 if you register before September 11, 2023. Any registration after that date is increased to the amount of \$1,300.

There is an option for **\$200 off** if you would like to refrain from participating in Family of Origin groups. Simply use the code **FOO Free** when registering to receive the discount.

To find out more or register online, scan the QR code below



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Presentations By:

Dr. Jenny Brown - October, 2023

Jenny Brown PhD has been teaching and supervising Bowen family systems theory in Australia for over 20 years. In 2004, she set up the Family Systems Institute in Sydney, Australia. Jenny has also authored the book "Growing Yourself Up: How to Bring Your Best to All of Life's Relationships" and co-edited the book "Bowen Family Systems Theory in Christian Ministry" and several articles, chapters, and blogs. Jenny's current focus is her development of The Parent Hope Project - helping parents to redirect their energies from worrying about their children to adjusting themselves. Jenny's efforts are to assist families and individuals in becoming the best version of themselves in any way she can.

Dr. Israel Galindo - February, 2024

Dr. Israel Galindo is Associate Dean of Lifelong Learning at Columbia Theological Seminary. He is an educator and author of several books, including *The Hidden Lives of Congregations* (Rowman & Littlefield), named as one of the "Ten Best Books of 2005" by the Academy of Parish Clergy. He directs the Pastoral Excellence Programs of the Center for Lifelong Learning at Columbia Theological Seminary including the post-graduate Leadership in Ministry workshops and the Ministering to Ministers program.

Dr. Margaret Marcuson - April, 2024

Margaret has been a pastor for 15 years, and now she works on pastoring pastors. Offering leadership advice to help prevent burnout and create positive results. Author, ordained American Baptist minister, and student of Edwin Friedman, Margaret has a wealth of knowledge and experience that will benefit any attendee.

REGISTRATION FORM

Yes! Register me for the *Advanced Clergy Clinic*. Enclosed is my full payment of _____.

(Checks payable in U.S. funds to LMPC.)

Clip and mail to: LMPC, 101 W. 22nd Street, Suite 206, Lombard, IL 60148.

Name _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Congregation/Organization _____ Work Phone _____

Preferred Email _____ Other Email _____

Please print clearly - Confirmation of registration and training materials are sent soon after date of pre-registration deadline.

Please register me for: _____ *Advanced Clergy Clinic 2023-2024* _____ FOO opt-out

_____ Please send me _____ more copies of this flyer for distributing to others in my church or to clergy colleagues.

_____ Please send me information about other workshops that can be held in my church.

_____ Please send me the brochure for *Mediation Skills Training Institute*.

Please check if registering: I have read and agree to the cancellation policy explained under "Tuition" in this flyer.

For further information, please email us at Admin@LMPeaceCenter.org or call our office at 630-627-0507.