



Lay Ministry

2021 TRAINING EVENT

**February 13, May 8 &
November 13
2:30 - 6:00 pm**

**This curriculum will be
conducted via Zoom for the
foreseeable future. Zoom
link to follow on email.**

**Locations for future sessions
with these topics are TBD.**

**Please register by emailing your information
to masedstl@gmail.com. Include your first
and last name, email address, home church,
and the workshop you are registering for.**

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER: Tuesday, February 9.
Any materials needed will be emailed to you.**

***Register to attend only ONE seminar from the following list for the FIRST date:**

The Keys to Biblical Interpretation: *Pastor Trevor Barnes Jr—Northside Church*

This workshop will give you the foundational principles for teaching and preaching Scripture. You will learn why the Bible is paramount for believers, the role and purpose of biblical translations, and how to understand the true meaning of Scripture as it is in Jesus. This seminar is *primarily* designed for Elders, Sabbath School Teachers, & Small Group Bible Study Leaders, but all are welcome to attend as it will enhance your personal time in the Bible.

Beyond Opinion: *Pastor Michael Coridan—Central and Mid-Rivers Churches*

The world has shifted and it is no longer enough for most people to hear the phrase “the Bible says so.” It is more important than ever to understand the worldviews that motivate people’s thoughts and actions. This class will attempt to teach both *how* to respond AND *walk through* the answers to some of life’s most important questions. Learn to effectively engage the questions, doubts, and skepticism of both nonbelievers and Christians alike regarding the validity of various Biblical teachings.

Securing the Net: *Pastor Charles Osborne III—Berean Church*

“Where did they go?” “What ever happened to _____?” You can fill in many names of those who came in the front door of your church, but after some time went out the “back door”. As we strive to be “fishers of people” according to Jesus’ call, we run into the problem of “securing the net” so they don’t fall back into the sea. Come and learn some tools and principles that can help you and your church better “secure the net”.