Presbytery of West Virginia's Nurture Committee's Leadership Development Coordinating Team Presents:

Preaching Beyond the Lectionary

with

Angela Dienhart Hancock

Saturday, January 18, 2020 9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

at the Presbytery office, South Charleston

Course Description: This course will explore the delights and challenges of non-lectionary preaching. We will consider the identity of the preacher as an interpreter of Word and situation, discuss the pros and cons of departing from the lectionary, and identify reliable criteria for text selection. The course will include a workshop on designing a sermon series, and participants will head home with some concrete ideas to put into practice.

Leader: The Rev. Dr. Angela Dienhart Hancock is associate professor of homiletics and worship at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary. She is the author of <u>Karl Barth's Emergency Homiletic, 1932-33</u>: A Summons to Prophetic <u>Witness at the Dawn of the Third Reich</u>. She is a Minister of Word and Sacrament in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and has served churches in Pennsylvania, Kentucky, and Tennessee. Hancock earned her bachelor's degree in music from Indiana University, Bloomington, and her M.Div. and Ph.D. from Princeton Theological Seminary.

Registration deadline: Wednesday, January 8, 2020. Cost: \$50, due with registration.

To register, please complete the information below and return to: Presbytery of WV, attn: Susan Sharp Campbell, 520 Second Ave., South Charleston, WV, 25303. Questions? Contact Susan at susan_sharp_campbell@hotmail.com or 304-645-4568.

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