



Pastoral Leadership Workshop

Hosted by NUMF in partnership with St. Luke UMC & First United Methodist Church

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Location: Omaha First UMC, 7020 Cass St., Omaha, NE 68132

DATE	SESSION TOPIC
Jan. 15 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Identifying and Qualifying Donor Personas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>Understand the donors in your database from an engagement and giving perspective</i> ➤ <i>What motivates them to give?</i> ➤ <i>Craft the right fundraising policies and plans for the church</i> ➤ <i>Identify and evaluate potential donors</i> ➤ <i>Develop cultivation and solicitation strategies that garner gifts</i> ➤ <i>Foster stewardship plans to retain and nurture donor engagement</i>
Jan. 29 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Cultivating and Controlling a Donor Relationship <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>Moves management - How do you move a prospect toward an “ask”?</i> ➤ <i>How many meetings? Who else is involved? What does it sound like?</i> ➤ <i>What is their philanthropic passion? What moves them emotionally about the church?</i> ➤ <i>Develop an understanding of how to control the process and get prospects to a formal solicitation</i> ➤ <i>Discuss processes and methods, efficiencies, controlling the process, and when to “bless and release prospects”</i>
Feb. 12 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Asking... and Closing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>Major giving/gift solicitation training</i> ➤ <i>Understand the importance of setting up & executing a great solicitation</i> ➤ <i>Who should be involved, timing, and methods</i> ➤ <i>The psychology behind the ask</i> ➤ <i>A study of the best philanthropic techniques about getting donors to say “yes”</i>
Feb. 26 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Stewardship – Big & Small <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <i>What to do after a gift is made/received beyond the obligatory thank you and tax letter</i> ➤ <i>Understanding the cycle of stewardship and the difference in a second or third gift</i> ➤ <i>A systematic approach as well as an individual’s efforts to steward investment in the mission and recurring gifts</i> ➤ <i>Applying learnings to current stewardship protocol</i>