

**Interest Groups**

We offer the opportunity for you to share with others around the region on a number of topics that build up the body of Christ, as well as help your own faith and ministry. To help our planning, please indicate which group you wish to attend.

**Worship and Wonder**

Rev. Martha Rucker  
Minister of Christian Witness  
Madison Avenue Christian Church

**All-Assembly Choir**

Bill Bradley & Judy Lambert  
Madison Avenue Christian Church

**Spirituality and Your Gifts**

Revs. Steven & Rosetta Smith  
Pastors, United Disciples of Christ Church, Charleston, WV

**Be a Global Mission Church**

Rev. Nancy Pickell  
Treasurer: Global Ministries

**Stewardship Today and Tomorrow**

Rev. David Chafin  
Assoc. Regional Minister: CCWV  
Christian Church in West Virginia

**Your Historical Society**

Dr. Glenn Thomas Carson, President  
Disciples of Christ Historical Society

**Discerning the Call**

Kenny Hardway, Former Youth Mentor at Madison Avenue Christian Church; Timothy of First Church, Moundsville; Student at Lexington Theological Seminary

**Child Safety & Risk Management**

Tim Graves, Chair of Education  
First Christian Church, Wheeling, WV

**Caring for Your Minister**

Rev. Thaddaeus B. Allen  
Regional Minister: CCWV

**Registration Fees**

Number	Cost per person	Total
___ Adult.....	(\$30)	\$ ___
___ Youth Lock-In.....	(\$25)	\$ ___
___ Non-Attending:		
Assembly Book Only.....	(\$10)	\$ ___
Friend of the Assembly Donation....		\$ ___

**Meals**

Number	Cost per person	Total
<b>Ministers &amp; Mates Luncheon, Fri.</b>		
___ Registered for Assembly.....	(\$12)	\$ ___
___ * Non-Registered.....	(\$20)	\$ ___
<b>All-Assembly Dinner, Fri.</b>		
___ Registered for Assembly.....	(\$15)	\$ ___
___ * Non-Registered.....	(\$25)	\$ ___
<b>Family Pancake Breakfast, Sat.</b>		
___ International Day of Pancakes...(\$6)		\$ ___
<b>Disciples Women’s Luncheon, Sat.</b>		
___ Registered for Assembly.....	(\$12)	\$ ___
___ Non-Registered.....	(\$22)	\$ ___
<b>Disciples Men’s Luncheon, Sat.</b>		
___ Registered for Assembly.....	(\$15)	\$ ___
___ Non-Registered.....	(\$25)	\$ ___
<b>Grand Total.....</b>		<b>\$ ___</b>

\* In order to contain expenses for the assembly, a \$10 surcharge is added to meals for those who choose not to register.

**Special Needs**

If there is a condition which requires special attention (mobility or otherwise), please note here:

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Please complete other side of this form and mail with payment as directed.

**Accommodations**

Rooms have been reserved in the name of the WV Region of the Christian Church in the following hotels. Be sure to mention the region when you call to reserve.

Please note reservation deadlines for price guarantees: Reserve your room soon!

- **Ramada Ltd.** (8 rooms)  
\$89.95+tax before Apr. 21  
3140 16th St. At I-64 Exit 11 (5 miles from church) Call 304-523-4242
- **Super 8** (20 rooms)  
\$69.98+tax before Mar. 1  
3090 16th St. At I-64 Exit 11 (5 miles from church) Call 304-525-1410
- **Ramada Ltd.** (10 rooms)  
\$83.32+tax before Mar. 1  
6000 Crider Dr., Catlettsburg, KY,  
I-64 Exit 191 (9 miles from church)  
Call 606-739-5700

We will mail a full list of hotels, along with directions and other helpful information, after registration.

**120th Regional Assembly**

**Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in West Virginia**

“Where is the Body of Christ?”



Thursday—Saturday  
April 24-26, 2008

Madison Avenue  
Christian Church  
(Disciples of Christ)  
Huntington, West Virginia

## Assembly Highlights

### Thursday—April 24

10:00 AM to 3:00 PM **Elder's Workshop**  
Led by Dr. Peter Morgan  
*Contact your church for Registration*

3:00 PM **Registration Begins**  
**Bookstore & Displays**

8:00 PM **Worship:**  
*Gloria Hernandez, Preacher*

### Friday—April 25

9:00 AM **Singing and Prayers**

9:30 AM **Bible Lecture:**  
*Larry Grimes, Leader*

10:00 AM **Keynote Address**  
*by Arnold Nelson*

12:30 PM **Ministers & Mates Luncheon**

2:00 PM **Interest Groups**  
(see list on reverse)

5:30 PM **All-Assembly Dinner**

8:00 PM **Worship:**  
Service of Consecration  
and Installation  
of Regional Minister  
*Thaddaeus B. Allen, Preacher*

10:00 PM **Youth Gathering**

### Saturday—April 26

7:00 AM **Pancake Breakfast**

9:00 AM **Singing and Prayers**

9:30 AM **Bible Lecture:**  
*Larry Grimes, Leader*

10:00 AM **Business of the Region**

12:30 PM **Disciples Women's Luncheon**  
*Gloria Hernandez, Speaker*

**Disciples Men's Luncheon**  
*Glenn Carson, Speaker*



## Assembly Leadership

**Rev. Dr. Sharon E. Watkins**  
General Minister & President  
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)

**Rev. Thaddaeus B. Allen**  
Regional Minister, Christian Church in WV

**Rev. Arnold C. Nelson, Jr.**  
Long-time Friend of the WV Region  
Has served Local, Regional and General  
expressions of the Church

**Rev. Gloria F. Hernandez**  
Program Associate and  
Quadrennial Assembly Coordinator,  
Office of Disciples Women

**Rev. Dr. Peter Morgan**  
Historian in Residence  
National City Christian Church  
President Emeritus  
Disciples of Christ Historical Society

**Rev. Gary Kidwell**  
President  
Christian Church Foundation

**Rev. Dr. Glenn Thomas Carson**  
President  
Disciples of Christ Historical Society

**Rev. Dr. Larry E. Grimes**  
Dean of Arts & Sciences, Bethany College  
Pastor, Community Christian Church  
Beech Bottom, WV

**Rev. Gary F. Lyons**  
Moderator, Christian Church in WV  
Pastor, First Christian Church, Princeton, WV

**Dorothy Brownlee**  
1st Vice-Moderator, Christian Church in WV

**William Chambers**  
2nd Vice-Moderator, Christian Church in WV

**Judy Lambert,** Organist  
Madison Avenue Christian Church

**William Bradley,** Choir Director  
Madison Avenue Christian Church

**Rev. Russell Smith,** Pastor  
Madison Avenue Christian Church



Beloved in Christ,

It is my joy to both invite and welcome you to this assembly! God has been faithful to us as a Regional Church, and we are blessed indeed to look forward to these exciting days together.

My deep hope is that you will make plans now to be with us for the weekend, and that you will be in much prayer as we prepare to renew our baptismal vows and our various callings to ministry in Christ's body and the world.

The planning and program for this sacred time of assembly are excellent. Through our time together we will grow, learn, share and be invigorated in the faith that keeps us close in the Church and in our Lord.

We will be gathering in a fine town and in a most excellent host church. I commend this assembly of God's people to both your calendar and your prayers. So come and be a vital part of the Body of Christ.

Grace and Peace!

+ *Thaddaeus B. Allen*  
Regional Minister



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## 2008 Assembly Registration

Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in WV

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Print as you want it to appear on your badge*

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Congregation: \_\_\_\_\_

### ***Please Note:***

*Registration and Meal Reservations  
must be made through the Regional Office.*

### **Deadline for Meal Reservations: April 10**

*This includes reservations made by  
the hosting congregation's members.*

**Please complete both sides of this form,  
detach and mail along with payment to:**

Christian Church in West Virginia  
1402 Washington Ave.  
Parkersburg, WV 26101