

The Shared Leadership Table
is proud to present

WHAT DID PAUL REALLY SAY? A Consideration of Paul's Message for Today

A Workshop for Clergy and Laity

With The Rev. Dr. John Goodell

Where and when will it be?

Tuesday, November 10 at Nimmonsburg UMC and repeated at Chinchilla UMC on Saturday, November 14. The workshop begins at 9 AM and ends at 4 PM. It is important that you be there for the entire day.

What will it cost?

\$20/person. Includes refreshments and lunch!

What will we be exploring?

Through presentation and discussion we will look at....

- Paul's background, context, letters and conversion
- His understanding of Jesus as Messiah/Christ Crucified and Risen
- Dying to sin and death and being raised with Christ
- Justification by faith
- The Church as The Body of Christ
- Paul on Judaism
- Paul on Empire and the Kingdom of God
- Paul on Jesus: Did he move away from the faith of Jesus?

What should I bring?

Your New Testament or a Bible. You will want to take notes!

Are there recommendations on books for advance or post-workshop study?

Yes! Please read in advance these letters: Romans, Galatians and I Corinthians. Highly recommended: *What Saint Paul Really Said*, by N. T. Wright.

Will I earn CEU's?

Yes, 0.5, but you must write "CEU" on the memo line of your check to get the certificate.

Who is Our Presenter?

John Goodell is a retired pastor and elder of the Wyoming Conference who has served at Bainbridge, Vestal and Fairview in Binghamton, and at Windsor, NY. He is especially interested in spirituality, theology and biblical studies. He earned his PhD in American Religious History and Thought from Pennsylvania State University and his MDiv from Drew.

How do I register?

Simple! Send a check for \$20, made payable to "Wyoming Annual Conference," to:

The Shared Leadership Table - Paul
Wyoming Annual Conference
P. O. Box 58
Endicott, NY, 13761-0058

Write the LOCATION you will attend on the memo line. Then, mark it on your calendar so you do not forget...we will not be confirming your reservation. The deadline for reservations is October 26, 2009. Cancellations prior to November 1 will be refunded at 100%, and at 50% if cancelled thereafter.

What if I need directions to the church?

Nimmonsburg: Get off I-81 just north of Binghamton at Exit 5 (Front St.) and follow US 11 north about a mile. The church is on the right. Chinchilla: Get off I-81 at Exit 194 (Clarks Summit). Follow the ramp for "Scranton". Turn left at the third light (Layton Rd.) The church is about three blocks on your left.