

## **Commissioned Lay Pastor Committee Presbytery of the Twin-Cities Area**

### **CLPC Taking Applications For Instructors For Lay Pastor Training Program**

The Commissioned Lay Pastor Committee is taking applications for its new training program approved at the September meeting of the Presbytery of The Twin-Cities Area. Specifically, the CLP Training Program offers a structured learning process that provides a customized training based on past training/experience with future needs related to the specific commissioning of the candidate.

The Training Program consists of up to fourteen – 12-hour modules of learning that include: Introduction to Biblical Interpretation – Hermeneutics; Old Testament Survey & Interpretation; Introduction to Reformed Theology; Presbyterian History and Polity; Sacraments: Theology and Practice; New Testament Survey & Interpretation; Introduction to the New Testament; Church Development and Leadership; Personal Evangelistic Witness; Spiritual Formation and Ministry; Church Based Evangelism and Ministry; Homiletics; Spiritual Gifts and Pastoral Ministry; Introduction to Multi-Cultural Ministry in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century; Stewardship; and Teaching.

Methods of instruction will vary depending upon the individual learning style/and or cultural challenges each CPL candidate may have. Many teaching situations will be one-on-one experiences.

Qualified instructors (teachers, clergy, missionaries and lay persons) are invited to apply at the Presbytery of the Twin-Cities Area website: [www.ptcaweb.org](http://www.ptcaweb.org).

For more information, go to the same website lick on links: [Commissioned Lay Pastor Manual](#). Search for Section A. / III. / D. that refers to instructors letter of agreement or email the Commissioned Lay Pastor Committee Chair at: [clpc@ptcaweb.org](mailto:clpc@ptcaweb.org).