

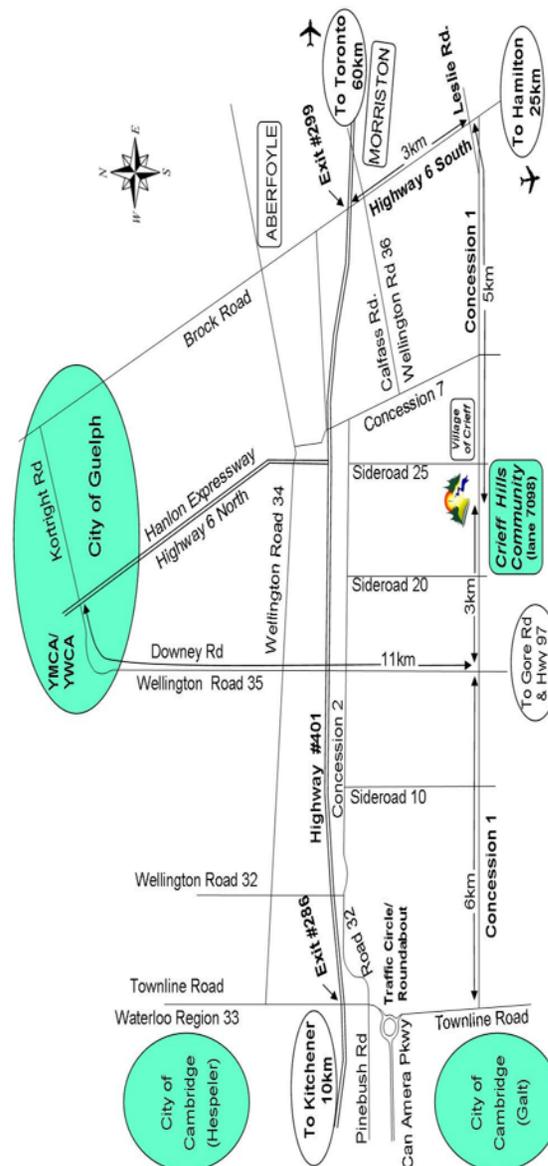
Registration Form

Church Administrators Conference
May 13th - 15th 2019

Last Name	
First Name	
Phone	
Email	
Home Address	
Church of Employment	
Church Address	
Meals: Please list any special dietary requirements or food allergies:	
Special Request for Single Accommodation: (If available, additional fee will apply) YES / NO	
Double room? YES / NO	
Roommate Request:	
Commuter? YES / NO	
Do you require accommodation on the main floor?	

To Register - Please phone or mail form to:
Crieff Hills Retreat and Conference Centre
7098 Concession 1 Puslinch ON N0B 2J0
Phone (519) 824-7898
Toll free 1 800 884-1525

Directions to Crieff Hills Community



This map is also available on our web site
www.crieffhills.com
519-824-7898 1-800-884-1525

Interdenominational Conference for Church Administrators

May 13th - 15th 2019

(10 am Monday to 1 pm Wednesday)

**“I Walk in
Faithfulness
to You”**



**Crieff Hills Retreat and
Conference Centre**

Located near Guelph, Ontario

**A Conference FOR Church Administrators
designed BY Church Administrators**

This Conference is designed to support Church Administrators. Whether full or part time, this conference is a chance to come together with others from various denominations who share and understand this special position. It is a time to listen and to share, as well as to gain insight into new situations and learn new skills. Between sessions there is time for fellowship, reflection or a hike through the beautiful grounds.

Design Team for 2019 Conference:

Kathy Baker - Knox Presbyterian Church, Stratford
Nelda Looyenga - Waterloo Christian Reformed Church
Kit Sonoda - Stanley Park Community Church, Kitchener

**Awake at Work
Monday May 13th 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
with Ronna Bloom**

Using writing as a platform, explore how simply showing up and attending to your own experience is the starting point for attending to others. Through guided exercises, you will have the opportunity to notice your personal, professional, and physical responses - whether you're in the office, the church or in the community - and to write about them in a reflective, open, non-evaluative way. See how being awake to yourself might help you be awake at work.

Ronna Bloom is a writer, psychotherapist, teacher, and author of six books of poetry. Her poems have been recorded for the Canadian National Institute for the Blind and translated into Spanish and Bengali. She has collaborated with musicians, filmmakers, doctors, students, academics, spiritual leaders, and architects. Ronna is Poet in Community at the University of Toronto, a position she created in which she offers students a way to integrate their intellectual, social, spiritual selves through poetry. As Poet in Residence in the Sinai Health System, Ronna works with clinicians and students from all disciplines helping to build a culture of poetry and reflection. Her most recent collection of poems is *The More* (Pedlar Press, 2017).

To watch a video about her work and get more information:
www.ronnabloom.com

"I use poetry to help people connect to what's meaningful in their work, and find out what gets in their way."

**Maximizing Church Communication and
Boosting Online Activities
Tuesday May 14th 9:15 am - 12:15 am
with Barb Summers**

In this workshop, participants will have the opportunity to learn skills to enhance and improve communication through best practices, guidelines and looking at examples of other church activities. It will delve into online communication and social media, explaining how churches can use them effectively. Come to this workshop to give your communication efforts a boost, learn some new tricks and tips, and share a laugh!

Barb Summers is the Associate Secretary of Communications for The Presbyterian Church in Canada, having worked at national office for over 10 years. Barb has visited PCC mission partners in Canada and around the world, and has spoken at congregations across the country to help share the good news of the work of the national denomination and equip congregations for their local ministry. Barb lives in Toronto and is married with a three-year-old son.

**Spiritual Growth and Discipleship:
Walking in Faithfulness
Tuesday May 14th 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
with Dr. Sharon Simmonds**

Living and serving with purpose, wholeheartedness, and joy flows from an accurate vision of who God is, anchored in personal relationship with Jesus, in step with the Holy Spirit, surrounded by supportive community. In this workshop you will identify what it means for you to walk in faithfulness by developing life-giving rhythms and creating a culture for you and others to thrive.

Dr. Sharon Simmonds, D.Min. Leadership Sharon has a heart for healthy organizations and passion for Jesus and his Church. Committed to activities that encourage, strengthen and develop Christian leaders, she is the director of programs for Arrow Leadership, a Christian leadership development organization, and a member and elder of St. Paul's Leaskdale (Presbyterian Church).



**Overcoming Energy Drainers
Wednesday May 15th 9:30 am - 11:45 am
with Laurie Hunt**

Energy is renewable. Our energy levels are the basis for our ability to function in our work, family and all aspects of life. Energy drainers are situations where we feel stuck or in circumstances we cannot change or when we feel overwhelmed. Our motivation drops along with our energy. In this experiential session you will: Discover circumstances that drain your energy; Recognize your reactions and patterns; Learn specific skills and tools to manage your energy and associated mood; Identify options and concrete actions you can use to become unstuck and keep your energy flowing.

Laurie Hunt is the founder of the More-In-Me Movement, an initiative she established because she wants to get people moving – literally – towards what they say they want in life, work and family. Laurie believes that every person has untapped internal resources and potential. The focus of her coaching and mentoring work is to energize and engage people in discovering new possibilities and to access their unique 'more-in-me'. <https://lauriehunt.com/>

**Please register before April 5th 2019
Phone 1-800-884-1525 to register**

Cost Includes: Accommodation, Meals & Program

\$260.00 / person (double accommodation)

\$340.00 / person (*single accommodation)

Please note there is **limited single accommodation**

*Priority will be given to early registrations

\$210.00 / person Commuter Rate

* *Commuter rate includes all meals & programs*

Evening activities will be offered on Monday and Tuesday. Commuters are welcome to join these workshops and to stay for all meals.

Accommodation is in our hotel style rooms, each with two beds and a private 3 piece bath.

Be sure to bring: Appropriate clothing & footwear for walking the Crieff property; Umbrellas ; Alarm clock & flashlight; Bible; Personal items & medications; Bug spray. Board games for evening free time. **Bedding and towels are supplied.**
Dress is Casual.