

The **7** Secrets:
Fall Leadership Convocation
September, 30—October 1, 2010
Registration Form



Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Church: _____

Church City: _____

**Registration/Housing: Payment due with registration
(includes housing and food)**

The first person from each church will pay full price, but each subsequent registrant gets \$10 off their registration price.

Double room: \$90/person

I would like to room with: _____

No roommate preference

Single room (limited number available): \$100/person

I am attending this convocation with others from my church.

Note: Rooms are equipped with linens, towels and each room has a shower and toilet.

• **Meals (indicate special dietary needs):**

Christ the King Retreat Center



<http://www.kingshouse.com/>

Programming made possible by a generous grant from the Helen and Richard Brown Endowment fund, providing opportunities for persons ordained, licensed and commissioned to participate in training and continuing education experiences that enhance skills and increase ability to do effective ministry.

Questions?

Contact Alison Bents at alisonb@uccmn.org or 612-871-0359

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Rev. Cameron Trimble

Rev. Cameron Trimble currently serves as an advisor to the Congregational Vitality and Discipleship Team of Local Church Ministries for the United Church of Christ, and as Associate Conference Minister of Church Development in the Southeast Conference of the UCC. Each setting has given her a unique perspective on the challenges of cultivating leaders equipped to meet the needs of the future of mainline Protestantism.

Leaders - clergy and lay - and congregations need to be competent in seven areas:

- Accessing their reality and the culture continuously and courageously
- Planning accordingly: vision casting, goal setting, evaluation, etc
- Effective marketing, PR, and communication of identity, message, and mission
- Externally focused
- Spiritual vitality
- Empowering structure, processes, and procedures
- Transforming worship



Bring a team from your church for prophetic visions of community involvement, the endless power of transformational worship, and the empowering embrace of the Spirit. Gather at the table to share ideas, stories and successes with teams from across the Minnesota Conference.

Where: Christ the King Retreat Center
621 1st Avenue So., Buffalo, MN 55313

When: September 30, 1:00pm — October 1, 3:00pm

Cost: \$100/single room \$90/double room

\$10 off registration fee for each additional church member.



Rev. Michael Piazza

Rev. Michael Piazza currently serves as Dean of the Cathedral of Hope UCC and President of Hope for Peace & Justice. He is convinced that the mainline Church's only hope is to boldly embrace prophetic values like marriage equality, healing the environment, redemptive justice and progressive, nonviolent theology. These changes will take place most effectively by giving the next generation of leaders the tools to start new progressive congregations and to renew existing congregations with progressive values.

Make Check Payable and remit to:

**Minnesota Conference UCC
122 W Franklin Ave. Suite 323
Minneapolis, MN 55404**

Deadline is September 18th, 2010

