



A Listening Presence

BEFRIENDER MINISTRY TRAINING

~ Open to Churches of All Denominations ~

Training will take place over four days

Friday & Saturday, June 20-21, 2008

Friday & Saturday, June 27-28, 2008

Fridays

5:00 pm: Registration and Light Supper

5:30 – 9:00 pm: Training

Saturdays

8:30 am: Check-in and Continental Breakfast ~ 8:30 – 9:00 am

9:00 am – 4:00 pm: Training (Lunch provided)

Training Facilitators:

Vikki O'Hara, M.Div., Pastoral Care Director, Faith-Westwood UMC
Lauren Bopp, BeFriender Ministry Coordinator, St. Cecelia Cathedral

Location

Faith-Westwood UMC Serenity House ~ 4892 Oaks Lane
(just south of the church on Oaks Lane)

Registration:

Cost: \$30.00 per person (includes training & materials)

Training class is limited, so please register early.

***For more information on BeFriender Ministry (a lay pastoral care program)
or to register for the training, please contact***

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Topics covered in training include

Christian's Call to Ministry ~ The Attitude of BeFriending

Active Listening Skills ~ How to Conduct a BeFriending Visit

Acting in a Ministry Role for the Congregation

Roles & Responsibilities Within the Group ~ Ministry Reflection

BeFriender Ministry national website: www.befrienderministry.org