

Marilyn Sharpe knows it's all about faith! She helps parents and congregations work together to pass on faith and values to the children we all cherish. She understands family ministry as connecting all God's family, equipping every Christian adult to be a faith parent to God's children and youth. She loves coaching, consulting, mentoring, and training congregational staff and volunteers

to do this ministry. She



also loves teaching parents, teachers, and families how to do this in every venue. She presents with energy, passion and contagious enthusiasm. She loves cross+generational ministry, linking all the

generations to celebrate God's presence in all of our faith milestones.



Register your volunteers, staff, and pastors today!

Early Bird Registration

NOV. 15 - DEC. 15, 2018
\$15.00

REGISTRATION MIDWAY

DEC. 15 - JAN. 15, 2019
\$30.00

LATE REGISTRATION

JAN. 15 - 20, 2019
\$40.00

REGISTER ONLINE

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DO YOU MINISTER
TO CHILDREN?



If you are a volunteer, paid church staff or clergy who has been called to minister to children this two day conference is for you!



TAKE A DAY OR HOPEFULLY TWO...

We hope you take some time for yourself and join us at this year's 2019 UMC Conference Children's Ministry's Beyond Conference. It is important to refill your spirit for ministry, get inspired to try new methods and ideas, and most importantly **connect** with others who have the same passion; children's faith formation!



Scripture focus:

Matthew 18: 20

How do we authentically connect with families and children? How do we teach parents to connect with their peers? How do we teach parents to have meaningful Spirit-filled conversations with their children? How do we train our volunteers who work with our children to connect authentically with the children they teach? Does the next best curriculum or event keep people attending worship and volunteering? Or could it be strong relationships and feeling known that keeps them coming back Sunday after Sunday?

Marilyn Sharpe will be teaching us how to have spirit-filled authentic connections with those we serve. Join us for a week-end of learning and connecting!

FRIDAY: 8:30AM CHECK-IN

9:00 WORSHIP

9:30-10:30 MARILYN SHARPE *ADULTS*

11:00-12:00 SADIE STRATTON

12:00 LUNCH / VENDOR MINGLE

1:00-2:00 MARILYN SHARPE *VOLUNTEERS*

2:30-3:30 SKILL PRACTICE

4:00-5:00 PRAYING IN COLOR



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Author/Speaker



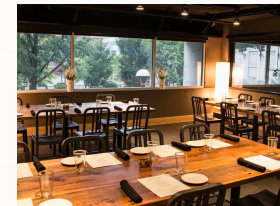
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FRIDAY EVENING:

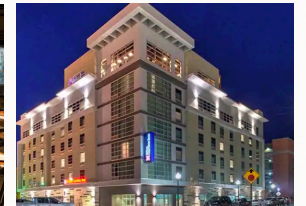
5:30PM MEET AT SAMANTHA'S GRILL

If you are staying in town, we would love to have you join us for dinner. Please RSVP melinda.shunk@arumc.org

before Jan. 20, 2019



*Samantha's Tap
Room and Grill*



*Hotels within a mile
radius book for about
\$115-140.*

SATURDAY:

9:00-10:00 MARILYN SHARPE *FAMILY*

10:00-11:00 KAREN REEVES

11:00-12:00 MARILYN SHARPE *KIDS*

12:00 LUNCH

1:00-1:30 SADIE STRATTON *KIDS IN
WORSHIP*

1:30-2:00 MELINDA *BAPTISM CLASS*

2:00-2:30 CLOSING WORSHIP



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Karen Reeves
Centering Prayer