

“Conversations Fostering Common Ground”

A two-day workshop sponsored by “Mission & Peacemaking”

Newport Presbyterian Church

4010 120th Ave SE

Bellevue WA 98006

Friday, September 13—7:00-9:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 14—9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.



Facilitator: Kathleen MacFerran

Kathleen is a Certified Trainer with the Center for Nonviolent Communication. She shares nonviolent communication training with schools, community groups, churches, hospitals, families, correctional officers and prison inmates and is a nationally recognized workshop leader.

Background

The majority of people know how they should approach discussion of sensitive issues with those with whom they disagree on those issues. Yet most avoid such dialogue. Respectful and effective dialogue is the foundation to creating change for the better.

Objective

To enable attendees to discuss respectfully and effectively sensitive core value issues with family, friends and others when they know there are deeply rooted differences. To find ways to turn blame into trust, differences into understanding, and conflicts into cooperation. Effectiveness is not measured by persuasiveness in converting the other; it is measured by the degree to which common ground, trust and the ability to work together are developed.

Questions? Call Tony Copes at (425) 644-8512

Registration Form

(Registration deadline September 1, 2013)

Name _____

Address _____

Phone(s) _____

E-mail _____

Please send this form with your check for **\$30** (*includes lunch on Saturday*) to Newport Presbyterian Church (address above). Make checks payable to Newport Presbyterian Church with “*Conversations Workshop*” in the memo line.

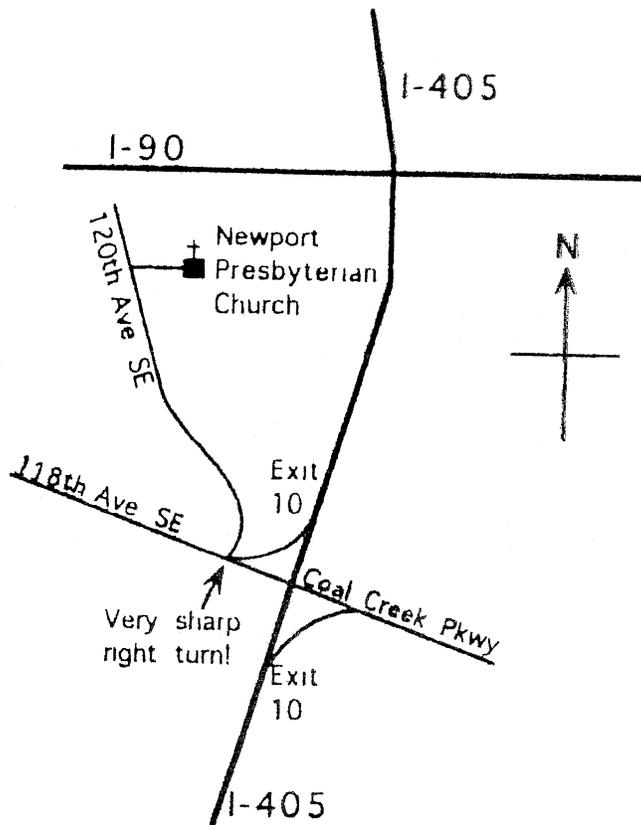
Meal Selection

Chicken sandwich

Beef sandwich

Vegan/gluten-free salad

See map and directions to church on other side



Going North on I-405

Take Coal Creek Parkway Exit #10. At the end of the off-ramp, turn left onto Coal Creek Parkway and go under the freeway. Get into the right lane; go through one stoplight. Make the first right turn (not the freeway exit) onto 120th Ave SE. Go up the hill into residential area for approximately one-half mile. Turn right at the Newport Presbyterian Church sign.

Going South on I-405

Take Coal Creek Parkway Exit #10. At the end of the off-ramp, take an immediate right onto 120th Ave SE. Go up the hill into residential area for approximately one-half mile. Turn right at the Newport Presbyterian Church sign.