

LREDA FALL CONFERENCE THEMES, SPEAKERS, ODYSSEY AND LOCATIONS

Dear LREDA members,

Below is a chart of past fall conferences and an invitation to all of you to share ideas and names of speakers for future gatherings. What's on the horizon? Your ideas for future themes can be emailed to the Board person with the Continental Events portfolio and they will be considered by the Board and the Fall Con Planning Team. Thank you!

Year	Theme	Speaker	Odyssey Presenter	Site	District
2011	Don't Just Do It, Think About It: Sustaining Our Mind, Body, and Spirit	Kim Stafford and Linda Christensen	Gaia Brown	Portland, OR	PNW
2010	Transforming the Jericho Road	Various, plus service opportunities in the community	Rev. Ruth Ellen Gibson	New Orleans, LA	SW
2009	A Time to Exhale	Rev. Dr. Peter Steinke and Rev. Dr. Thandeka	Rev. Dr. Liz Strong	Providence, RI	CB
2008	Building a Multigenerational Faith	Rev. Dr. Rebecca Parker	Pat Hoertdoerfer	Albuquerque, NM	MD
2007	Weaving the Fabric of Our Faith	Judith Frediani and LFD team	Makannah Morriss	San Antonio, TX	SW
2006	To Honor the Many Gifts We Bring	Bill Jones and LREDA Integrity Team	Jacqui James	Orlando, FL	FL
2005	Mapping Uncharted Territory: New Directions for Growing Congregations	Larry Peers	Carol Ann Taylor	Philadelphia, PA	JP
2004	New Models for Religious Education in the 21 st Century (Workshop Rotation Model, , Way Cool Sunday School, Small Group Ministry, Spirit Play)	Vivian Gussin Paley, Keynote—Workshop leaders: Kathy Keith & September Gerety, Todd Strickland & Katherine Farmer, Gail Forsyth Vail & Helen Zidowecki, and Nita Penfold	Midge Skwire	Chicago, IL	CMW
2003	Creating Rituals...Children & Community	Sobonfu Some	Helen Bishop	Sacramento, CA	PNW
2002	A Theology of Religious Education	Rev. Dr. Rebecca Parker	Betty Jo Middleton	Asheville, NC	TJ
2001	Professional Matters	Helen Bishop	Jan Evans-Tiller	Toronto, Canada	STL
2000	Nurturing Ourselves and Others	Sharon Thornton	Carol Edwards	Santa Barbara, CA	PSW
1999	LREDA 50 th Anniversary	Jeanne Nieuwejaar, Frank Robertson, Holly Hollerorth, Elizabeth Anastos	LREDA	Plymouth, MA	MB
1998	Our Whole Lives	Pam Wilson, Roberta & Christopher Nelson, Judith Frediani, Jennifer Harrison, Sarah Gibb	Roberta Nelson	Salt Lake City, UT	MD
1997	Congregations as Learning Organizations	Larry Peers, Anthony di Bella, Jeannellen Ryan	Norma Veridan	San Antonio, TX	SW

1996	Anti-Racism	William Sinkford, Tracey Robinson-Harris, Jacqui James	Polly Leland-Mayer	Washington, D.C.	JP
1995	Telling Our (UU) Stories	Barry Lentz	Joan Goodwin	Casanovia, NY	STL
1994	Power and Praxis	Helen Bishop	Margaret Gooding	Madison, WI	CMW
1993	Religious Education and the Arts	Rebecca Parker, Linda Hoah	Til Evans	Malibu, CA	PSW
1992	Including Us All: Welcoming LREDA	Dorothy Emerson, Dee Graham, Eugene Navias	Elizabeth Anastos	Casanovia, NY	STL
1991	Multi-Culturalism	Etta Green Johnson, Jacqui James, Jose Ballister, Judith Frediani	Eleanor Hunting	Winter Park, FL	FL
1990	Families and Sexuality	Joe Heath Leonard	Ann Fields	Casanovia, NY	STL
1989	The Politics of Religion	Katherine Winthrop	Junella Hanson	Santa Barbara, CA	PSW
1988	How History...Imagine...Future	Ronald Cram	Eugene Navias	The Mountain, NC	TJ
1987	Spirituality: On the Path	Wayne Arnason, Makaanah Morriss, Paul Nicely	none	Punderson, OH	OM
1986	Adult Education	Kenneth Stokes	Ruth Ballou (at GA)	Craigville, MA	BC
1985	Empowerment through Myth...	Clare Benedicks Fischer, Jeremy Taylor	Elizabeth Baker (at GA)	Santa Barbara, CA	PSW
1984	Brain, Education, and Spirituality	Jane Vella	Barbara Marshman (at GA)	Bon Secours near D.C.	JP