



Devotional Reading

A meditative, comfortable study of text.

Historical Reading

Understanding how ancient texts apply to us today.

Literary Reading

Hearing and reading the Bible to learn how the text was written, what it means and how it was heard long ago and is heard today.

Lutheran Theological Reading

Learning about God and hearing God speak to us through Law and Gospel

This workshop is for . . .

Everyone who wants to grow in their faith by learning to read, study and hear God's word using four different models.

Leaders who want to begin or enhance Bible Study in their church.

Disciples who want to understand the Word, to be a better witnesses, and to gather ideas to make their congregation a "Book of Faith Community" for all ages!!

**This workshop is open to ALL,
not just assembly attendees.**

*Make sure
you bring
your Bible!*



This 2nd annual
book of faith
workshop is sponsored by

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Digging into the Word

2nd Annual Workshop
on the
Book of Faith



A Pre-Assembly Workshop
Thursday, May 20, 5 - 9 pm
Holiday Inn, Stevens Point

All Are Welcome!

You've heard about the Book of Faith Initiative . . .

You have started the conversations . . .

Here is an opportunity to actually dig into the text!



Come to the pre-assembly event!

This workshop is open to all people who want the opportunity to hear God's Word and want to discover how to **READ, STUDY, LEAD and EXPERIENCE the Word of God—our first language of faith—the Bible!**

EXPERIENCE Bible Study with Diane Jacobson, Director of the Book of Faith Initiative and Professor of Old Testament at Luther Seminary.

DISCOVER ideas from congregations who have successfully engaged their members actively into the Word.

HEAR & EXPERIENCE the Word coming alive with Jonathan Rundman, one of the ELCA's most sought after musicians!

JOIN with Bishop Justman & Bishop Pederson, as together, we partner in faith to be the Body of Christ!

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Thursday, May 20, 2010
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5:00 – 5:30 pm Registration & Dinner
** Dinner served until 6:00 pm **

5:30 – 5:35 pm "Sing the Word"

5:35 – 6:05 pm Welcome & Devotion

The Book of Ruth

6:05 – 6:30 pm Grassroots Sharing

6:30 – 6:35 pm "Sing the Word"

6:35 – 7:15 pm Literary Study of Ruth

7:15 – 7:20 pm "Sing the Word"

7:20 – 7:30 pm Grassroots Sharing

7:30 – 8:00 pm Historical Study of Ruth

8:00 – 8:05 pm "Sing the Word"

8:05 – 8:15 pm Grassroots Sharing

8:15 – 8:45 pm Lutheran Perspective Study

8:45 – 9:00 pm Music & Sending

COME—be engaged in the Word through text and song!

STUDY the Book of Ruth using the devotional, literary, historical and Lutheran perspective models of study.

DISCOVER successful "grassroots" ideas to enhance Bible study in your congregation!

Registration Deadline: May 12

**Registration Form
1 Per Person . . Copy as Needed**

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone Number _____

Email _____

Congregation _____

City _____

Synod: NWSW ECSW

Cost: \$25/person which includes dinner

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