

**Registration Deadline:**

April 1, 2015  
(no foolin'!)

**Schedule of Events****Monday, April 13**

*(Supper only on Monday)*

1:00 pm	Registration
3:00 pm	Gathering
4:00 pm	Worship (Eucharist)
5:15 pm	Supper
7:00 pm	Session 1
8:30 pm	Compline
8:45 pm	Fellowship

**Tuesday, April 14**

*(Breakfast, Lunch, and Supper on Wednesday)*

7:30 am	Morning Prayer
8:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 am	Session 2
10:15 am	Break
10:30 am	Session 3
11:30 am	Worship – Eucharist
12:15 pm	Lunch
	<i>Sabbath Time, Study Time, Play Time, Your Time</i>
5:15 pm	Supper
7:00 pm	Session 4 Closing w/ Reggie
8:30 pm	Compline
8:45 pm	Fellowship

**Thursday, February 28**

*(Brunch only on Thursday)*

7:30 am	Morning Prayer
9:00 am	Brunch
10:00 am	Time w/ Bishop Huie
11:00 am	Worship

**Registration for the Elders  
Retreat is online at Lakeview's  
web page:**

[www.lakeviewmcc.org](http://www.lakeviewmcc.org)  
or  
[www.iheartlakeview.com](http://www.iheartlakeview.com)

**Please know that every possible effort  
will be made to honor your room &  
roommate request.  
Thank you for your understanding.**

Please process your payment as per the  
online registration instructions. For this  
reason we cannot accept faxed or  
emailed registrations. Rooms will be  
assigned on a first-come, first-served  
basis when both your registration and  
payment are received by the registrar.

**Make checks payable to:**

Lakeview Methodist  
Conference Center

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**Janice Riggle Huie** serves as bishop of the Texas Annual Conference of the UMC, having been assigned there in September 2004.

With Bishop Huie's leadership, the 2012 Texas Annual Conference adopted a Four Year Focus: cultivate growing, fruitful, missional congregations, form transforming lay and clergy

leaders and invest in the young. In the fall of 2012, Bishop Huie carried this message to each of the nine districts in the conference, holding town hall style meetings to encourage United Methodists to commit to these three focus areas.

She also challenged each and every congregation to partner with their local public school being creative to "do what they can, where they can" in the Wesley tradition. The people of the Texas Annual Conference have responded with enthusiasm creating everything from after school study sessions to daily feeding programs.

Bishop Huie serves on the Board of Trustees of The Methodist Hospital, Southwestern University, Wiley College, and The Texas Methodist Foundation. Bishop Huie served as President of the Council of Bishops from May 2006 through May 2008 and president of the UMCOR Board of Directors in 2012. She currently serves as the President of the College of Bishops.

A noted speaker and experienced leader; she has preached at numerous annual conferences and seminaries and led retreats for both pastors and laity in the area of leadership and spiritual formation.

Janice Riggle Huie was born on December 15, 1946 in Beeville, Texas. She and her husband, Rev. Robert W. Huie, were married in 1970. Bob is a retired member of the Southwest Texas Annual Conference. Their son, Matthew and his wife Shambryn Wilson Huie live in Beeville, Texas with their three children: Abby, Riley, and Zachary. Matt continues to operate the Riggle family farm. Bob and Janice enjoy camping and snow skiing with their children and grandchildren.



**Reggie McNeal**  
*Missional Leadership Specialist*

Reggie McNeal enjoys helping people, leaders, and Christian organizations pursue more intentional lives. He currently serves as the Missional

Leadership Specialist for Leadership Network of Dallas, TX. Reggie's past experience involves over a decade as a denominational executive and leadership development coach. He also served in local congregational leadership for over twenty years, including being the founding pastor of a new church. Reggie has lectured or taught as adjunct faculty for multiple seminaries, including Fuller Theological (Pasadena, CA), Southwestern Baptist (Ft. Worth, TX), Golden Gate Baptist (San Francisco, CA), Trinity Divinity School (Deerfield, IL), and Columbia International (Columbia, SC). In addition, he has served as a consultant to local church, denomination, and para-church leadership teams, as well as seminar developer and presenter for thousands of church leaders across North America. He has also resourced the US Army Chief of Chaplains Office, Air Force chaplains, and the Air Force Education and Training Command. Reggie's work also extends to the business sector, including The Gallup Organization.

Reggie has contributed to numerous denominational publications and church leadership journals, including Leadership and Net Results. His books include Revolution in Leadership (Abingdon Press, 1998), A Work of Heart: Understanding How God Shapes Spiritual Leaders (Jossey-Bass, 2000), The Present Future (Jossey-Bass, 2003), Practicing Greatness (Jossey-Bass, 2006), and Get A Life! (Broadman & Holman, 2007). His latest book, Missional Renaissance: Changing the Scorecard for the Church (Jossey-Bass, 2009) details the three shifts that church leaders must make to engage the missional movement and offers suggestions for a different scorecard to reflect missional ministry.

Reggie's education includes a B.A. degree from the University of South Carolina and the M.Div. and Ph.D. degrees both from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. Reggie and his wife Cathy, have two daughters, Jessica and Susanna, and make their home in Columbia, South Carolina.

# Order of Elders Retreat



**Texas Annual Conference  
April 13-15, 2015  
@ Lakeview**

## *Hope & Health*

The sessions focus on the two inter-related topics of **clergy health and hope for the church**. Early sessions deal with topics related to personal health and growth. **"The person of the leader is not incidental to her leadership,"** observes Reggie McNeal, retreat speaker. The health of the leader is also impacted by missional focus. **"Church-centric ministry is killing the clergy,"** Reggie says. However, there is a better focus, **one that gives hope and life. This alternative is the other big idea we will cover at the retreat.**