

# SPRING FLING 2017

## Registration Form

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### Workshop Preference:

*Please indicate your top 3 workshop choices by putting "1" next to your first choice, "2" by your second choice, and "3" by your third choice:*

- Telling THE Story with YOUR Story
- Wisdom Spaces
- Nehemiah: Where Faith and Life Meet
- Self Defense/Awareness
- Let's Quilt!
- Financial Management in Retirement
- Craft Workshop - Wooden Cross
- Baking- Cookies 101



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**SPEAKER:**  
Rev. Charles Maynard

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## TO REGISTER:

Please complete the **Registration Form** on the back of this brochure (one for each person attending) and mail Registration Form and \$25 payment to:

2017 Spring Fling  
Camp Lake Stephens  
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**Cost: \$25 (includes lunch and programming)**

## MAIN PROGRAM

### An Appalachian Quilt of Stories

**Rev. Charles Maynard** is a United Methodist minister, storyteller, and author. A graduate of Emory & Henry College in Virginia and the Candler School of Theology at Emory University, he has served in the United Methodist Church for over 30 years. He is currently the Maryville District Superintendent in the Holston Conference. He has authored or co-authored 30 books, including 21 children's books. Charles is known for telling traditional Appalachian Mountain tales, stories of American history and national parks, and personal narratives of growing up in the mountains.

For his writing in *The Blue Ridge—Ancient and Majestic*, Charles received the Reed Environmental Writing Award from the Southern Environmental Law Center. Charles worked as the first executive director of Friends of Great Smoky Mountains National Park and as director of advancement at the International Storytelling Center in Jonesborough, TN. Charles was honored as one of the One Hundred Most Influential People in the History of Great Smoky Mountains National Park in 2016. Charles married his high school sweetheart, Janice, who is a well-known novelist. They have two daughters, Caroline M. Lamar and Anna M. Lee. Charles and Janice both enjoy writing, traveling, and being with their family—especially their five grandchildren. Charles' roots are deep in northeast MS.

# WORKSHOPS

### Telling THE Story with YOUR Story

**Rev. Charles Maynard**

Explore sharing your own faith story through the art of storytelling by looking at the parables of Jesus.

### Wisdom Spaces

**Rev. Beth Miller, Pontotoc FUMC**

Scripture offers rich narrative regarding the nature and importance of wisdom and wisdom sharing. In this session we will explore the accumulation of wisdom across the life-span of older adults, and the value and purpose of serving as a wisdom-mentor to other persons in life's journey and in church leadership. This will be an interactive session as well as information presentation.

### Nehemiah: Where Faith and Life Meet

**Rev. David Cox, Hernando UMC**

This survey will give you the key principles and timeless truths of God's work in and through Nehemiah. In this short Old Testament book we are reminded of the providence of God in the ups and downs of life.

### Self Defense/Awareness

**Cherry Watkins, 8th Degree Black Belt**

We will discuss and demonstrate effective, practical ways to be aware of your surroundings and ideas to help protect your person, home, and identity.

### Let's Quilt!

**Kathy Neff, Oxford Quilter**

An introduction to quilting. Sharing quilts to inspire and an introductory lesson in quilting.

### Financial Management in Retirement

**Rev. David Carroll, Director of Development at CLS**

Have you ever wondered how to make your resources last? This workshop will provide tips and suggestions for getting the most out of your social security, pension, and other retirement income. It will also address ways to shape your spending around your personal needs and values, as well as your desired legacy.

### Craft Workshop—Wooden Cross

**Brandon Gooch, Property Director at CLS**

Join Gooch and build a wooden cross out of recycled wood from trees right here at CLS! You'll have the opportunity to create a unique cross out of different types of wood that was milled onsite. Take the cross home, add it to your decor, and show all of your friends and family what you made!

### Baking—Cookies 101

**Linda Fleming, Pastry Chef at CLS**

Tricks to making great cookies. Learn the basic techniques and share secrets of baking the perfect cookie.

## SCHEDULE

8:30–9:30	Registration & Refreshments
9:30–9:50	Morning Gathering/ Announcements
10:00–10:50	First Workshop
11:00–11:50	Second Workshop
12:00	Lunch
1:00–2:00	Main Program: Rev. Charles Maynard
2:00	Dismiss