

# FAQs

W@lk-in's welcome!!

Bring a Team!

**Fri, Sep 19  
1:00-4:00 PM**  
United Methodist  
Center  
San Antonio  
**RESERVATIONS**

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**IS THIS FOR CHURCHES OF ALL SIZES?** Yes! Small, medium, and large churches will benefit. A variety of facets of the Sunday School will be covered. Many elements are common to all sizes.

## WHO ARE THE PRESENTERS?

**Linda Keen**  
SWTX Conference  
Leadership Development Director  
Children/Christian Education Ministries

**Rev. Bill Duke**  
SWTX Children's Council  
Team Leader, Conference Children's Camps  
Sr. Pastor, First UMC Beeville

**Misti Mueller**  
Chairperson, SWTX Children's Council  
Director of Faith Formation for Adults & Youth, Trinity UMC San Antonio



Keen



Duke



Mueller

Each have years of volunteer service and paid professional service in the small, medium, and large church setting. They all bring excitement, enthusiasm, and experience to this training. We think that you and your team will "leave pumped."

Small group ministry at its best!

## The PARTY of RECRUITING in the Church School

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Pastors, staff & volunteers!

**WHY THE DATE CHANGE?** Sadly, two funerals, a birth, & two surgeries involved parishioners/immediate family of scheduled presenters

**IS THERE A DEADLINE?** Wed, 9-17  
All are welcome, no one will be turned away. All will receive handout notes.

**Is it for churches with NO PAID STAFFING FOR CHILDREN'S MINISTRY?** Training will focus on recruiting and keeping volunteer leaders & teachers in the church school. That means church leaders, volunteer SS leaders and prayer support teams. Pastors-in-charge are encouraged to attend with a couple of leaders if they can.

**WHAT RESOURCES WILL BE AVAILABLE?** Handouts to help you look at the structure of your SS, job descriptions for leaders, recruitment call considerations, and other tips. The training presentation itself will last only about an hour, so in theory, you could arrive by 1 pm and leave shortly after 2 pm, if you had to. The time between 2-4 pm is for brainstorming names of persons to recruit, making some calls to apply what you've heard in the presentation, and gaining some experience of how the "calling party" works. You and your team would be welcome to stay as long as you can and leave when you need to and beat the traffic. Rev. Duke and the SWTX Camp Team will be staying to make recruitment calls specific to 2009 Summer Camp volunteer staff. If you are not attending this training but want to nominate a person to summer camp staff, please click [here](#) and contact [Bill Duke](#) THANKS!

Reserve NOW

Git 'er done!

Get a Handle on it!