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### Education

Ph.D., Vanderbilt University, 1999  
Major: Hebrew Bible  
Minor: History of Religion  
Dissertation: *"Thy Word Is A Lamp Unto My Feet": A Study of the Vocabulary, Grammar, and Semantics of Psalm 119*

M.A., *en passant*, Vanderbilt University, 1996  
Major: Hebrew Bible  
Minor: History of Religion

M.Div., Brite Divinity School, Texas Christian University, 1991

B.A., Magna Cum Laude, Lynchburg College, 1988  
Majors: Religion & Spanish

### Honors and Awards

M. Carey Brewer Alumni Award, Lynchburg College, 1997  
Tuition Scholarship, Vanderbilt University 1992-95  
Ann E. Dickerson Scholarship, Division of Higher Education, DOC 1992-94  
Disciples Divinity House Scholarship, Vanderbilt University, 1992-95  
Colby D. Hall Award, Brite Divinity School, 1991  
Theta Phi Honor Society, Brite Divinity School, 1991  
Highest Honors in Religion, Lynchburg College, 1988

Religious Studies Award, Lynchburg College, 1988  
Sommerville Scholar Award, Lynchburg College, 1987-88  
Gold Key Honor Society, Lynchburg College, 1987  
Cardinal Key Honor Sorority, Lynchburg College, 1987  
Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society, Lynchburg College, 1985

## **Professional Experience**

Johnnie Eargle Cadieux Professor of Hebrew Bible  
Phillips Theological Seminary, Tulsa, OK  
August, 2010 – Present

Director of Formation (DOC)  
Phillips Theological Seminary  
August 2015 – Present

Professor of Religious Studies  
Lynchburg College, Lynchburg, VA  
August, 2009 – July, 2010

Professor of First Testament  
Lexington Theological Seminary, Lexington, KY  
August, 2002 – July, 2009

Assistant Professor of Old Testament  
Lexington Theological Seminary, Lexington, KY  
August, 1996 – July 2002

Interim Senior Minister  
Woodland Christian Church, Lexington, VA  
November, 2008 – February, 2009

Adjunct Professor  
"Women in the 1<sup>st</sup> Testament"  
Phillips Theological Seminary, Tulsa, OK  
Fall Semester, 2004 and Summer Term, 2007

Adjunct Professor  
"Public Speaking" & "Intro to the New Testament"  
Midway College, Midway, KY  
2004-2005

Interim Preacher  
Kaleidoscope Christian Church, Lexington, KY

March, 2003 – January, 2004

College Chaplain  
Culver-Stockton College, Canton, MO  
July, 1995 – July, 1996

Lecturer on Eighth Century Prophets  
Lexington Theological Seminary, Lexington, KY  
Fall Semester, 1994

Teacher of Exegesis of the Hebrew Bible  
Vanderbilt Divinity School, Nashville, TN  
Fall Semester, 1993

Congregational Campus Ministry Developer  
Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Kentucky  
March, 1992 – July, 1995

## **Grants Received**

Wabash Grant, \$1, 000 [2014]  
AMERC Grant, \$12,000 [2008]  
Wabash Grant, \$5,000 [2007 – returned due to school's financial crisis]

## **Professional Development**

Participant, ATS Women in Leadership Conference (2018)  
Participant, ATS Women in Leadership Conference (2015)  
Participant, Wabash Mid-Career Faculty Colloquy (2014-15)  
Participant, ATS Mid-Career Faculty Seminar (3/14-16/14)  
Participant, Wabash Workshop on "Educating Clergy" (3/9-10/06)  
Participant in Wabash Colloquy on "Fostering Effective Teaching & Learning in Racially/Culturally Diverse Classrooms" (2006-2007)  
Participant, ATS Women in Leadership Seminar (10/26-27/07)  
Participant, Hispanic Summer Program Faculty Seminary (7/11-13/01)

## **Publications**

### Books/Chapters

"Introductory Essays on Exodus, Joshua, Judges, Ruth, Psalms, & Song of Solomon" for *The Preacher's Bible Handbook*, ed by Wes Allen (WJK, 2019).

"To What Ministry Are We Called?" for *Living Pulpit 2018: Sermons in the Stone-Campbell Movement 1968-2018* (tent) [forthcoming].

*More than a Wom(b)an: Childfree Women in the Hebrew Bible*. (Wipf & Stock, under contract) [forthcoming].

"Ruth & Naomi" & "Bat'Sheba" for "Women of the Bible: Seeking Justice" in *Just Women* (2014).

"Exegetical Perspectives for Matthew 5:17-32" in *Feasting on the Gospels. Matthew vol I*, edited by Cynthia A. Jarvis and E. Elizabeth Johnson (WJK, 2013), 86-103.

"Natural Thing to Do" in *Dear Church: Intimate Letters from Women in Ministry*, edited by Dorothy D. France (Chalice, 2010), 109-113.

"The Season After Pentecost: Proper 13 Through 21" & "Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 25, 2010" in *New Proclamation Year C, 2010*, edited by David B. Lott (Fortress Press, 2009), 161-224.

"Gambling with God", sermon in *Those Preaching Women: A Multicultural Collection*, edited by Ella Pearson Mitchell & Valerie Bridgeman Davis (Judson Press, 2008).

*Preaching The Women of the Bible* (Chalice Press, 2006).

"Introduction to the Prophets", "Introductions for: Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Baruch, Ezekiel, & Daniel" for *Catholic College Bible* (St. Mary's Press, 2007).

Various Entries for *The Encyclopedia of the Stone-Campbell Movement*, edited by Foster, Blowers, Dunnivant, & Williams. (Eerdmans, 2005).

"What Does Church 'Feel' Like? A Journey Through A Theological Wilderness" in *Kitchen Talk* edited by Jane McAvoy. (Chalice Press, 2003).

"Samuel & Kings" (co-author) in *Introduction to the Old Testament* edited by Marti Steussy. (Chalice Press, 2003).

"Job" in *New Interpreter's Study Bible* edited by Walter Harrelson. (Abingdon Press, 2003)

Articles

- "Beijing + 20 & Michelle Obama: What is Women's Work? (Ruth 1:1-18)" for *ON Scripture*, New York: Odyssey Networks, Oct 26, 2015.
- "Preaching Reflections on the Charleston, SC Shooting (Special Edition)" for *ON Scripture*, New York: Odyssey Networks, Jul 19, 2015.
- "Jean Vanier: A Prophet for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century (Isa 6:1-8)" for *ON Scripture*, New York: Odyssey Networks, May 25, 2015.
- "A Little Consistency Please" for *[D]mergent Blog* (10/21/15).
- "Proper 8, Ordinary 13, Pentecost 7: June 30, 2013 (HB Exegesis)", *Lectionary Homiletics*, 24, no 4, Jun-Jul (2013), pp 39-40.
- "Proper 6, Ordinary 11, Pentecost 5: June 16, 2013 (HB Exegesis)", *Lectionary Homiletics*, 24, no 4, Jun-Jul (2013), pp 19-20.
- "Trinity Sunday: May 30, 2010, HB Exegesis", *Lectionary Homiletics*, 21 no 3, April-May (2010), pp 74-80.
- "Fourth Sunday After Easter: April 25, 2010", *Lectionary Homiletics*, 21 no 3, April-May (2010), pp 33-40.
- "Proper 12, Ordinary 17, Pentecost 8: July 26, 2009", *Lectionary Homiletics*, 20 no 4 Jun-Jul (2009), pp 61-68.
- "Proper 11, Ordinary 16, Pentecost 7, July 19, 2009", *Lectionary Homiletics*, 20 no 4 Jun-Jul (2009), pp 53-60.
- "Proper 10, Ordinary 15, Pentecost 6, July 12, 2009"; *Lectionary Homiletics*, 20 no 4 Jun-Jul, (2009), pp 45-52.
- "Proper 19, Ordinary 14, Pentecost 5, July 5, 2009"; *Lectionary Homiletics*, 20 no 4 Jun-Jul, (2009), pp 37-44.
- "Reading Scripture with New Eyes and Ears: An Immersion Experience in Appalachia", *DisciplesWorld* (April, 2008).
- "Thou Shall Not Steal: Economic Justice in the First Testament", *DisciplesWorld* (July/Aug 2007).

"Hermeneutics: Ways of Reading the Biblical Text", *The Kentucky Christian* (Spring 2007).

"Israel's Warrior God and the Desire for Shalom", *DisciplesWorld* (September 2006).

Co-editor, *Lexington Theological Quarterly* (Fall/Winter 2006).

"Disciples and the Ecumenical Movement", co-author with Bill Paulsell, *Lexington Theological Quarterly* (Fall/Winter 2006).

"Disciples and Education", *Lexington Theological Quarterly* (Fall/Winter 2006).

"One Step Closer to a Truly Inclusive Church" in *Lexington Theological Quarterly* (Winter 2004).

"Job" for "Browsing the Bible" in *DisciplesWorld* (Jan/Feb 2005).

"Song of Songs" for "Browsing the Bible" in *DisciplesWorld* (June 2005).

"On Being Fruitful: Sex in the First Testament" in *DisciplesWorld* (September 2005).

"Original Sin or Original Blessing?", *DisciplesWorld* (April 2004).

"Finding Jesus in the First Testament", *Lexington Theological Quarterly*, (Winter 2003).

"The 'Not-So-Pretty' Stories of Faith", *DisciplesWorld*, (December 2003).

"My soul is like the weaned child that is with me': The Psalms and the Feminine Voice", *Horizons in Biblical Theology*, Vol 23, No 2, December 2001.

"What Kind of God Do You Think I Am?", *Biblical Preaching Journal*, Vol 15, No 2, Spring 2002.

"Who is Like the LORD Our God?", *Lexington Theological Quarterly*, (Winter 1998).

### Book Reviews

Review of *After Exegesis: Feminist Biblical Theology, Essays in Honor of Carol A. Newsom* edited by Patricia Tull and Carol Lapsley, *Review of Biblical Literature* [forthcoming].

Review of *Feminist Theory & the Bible: Integrating the Sources* by Esther Fuchs, *Review of Biblical Literature* [forthcoming].

Review of *An Introduction to Womanist Biblical Interpretation* by Nyasha Junior, *Encounter* [forthcoming].

Review of *He Said, She Said: Biblical Stories from a Male & a Female Perspective* by Michelle Kallock Knight & Todd Outcalt, *Encounter* 74 no 2 Wint-Spr (2013-2014).

Review of *The Good & Evil Serpent: How a Universal Symbol Became Christianized* by James H. Charlesworth, *Biblical Interpretation*, 21 no 1 (2013).

Review of *Preaching Job* by John Holbert, *Lexington Theological Quarterly*, (Fall 2000).

Review of *Psalms of New International Biblical Commentary* by Craig C. Boyles, *Interpretation*, Vol 54, No 4, October 2000.

Review of *Ruth and Esther: A Feminist Companion to the Bible (Second Series)* edited by Athalya Brenner, *Review of Biblical Literature* (online).

Review of *Ezekiel* by Ronald Clements, *Lexington Theological Quarterly*, (Summer 1997).

Review of *The Tree of Life* by Roland E. Murphy, *Lexington Theological Quarterly*, (Summer 1997).

## **Presentations/Lectures** (covering 2002-present)

### Academic

Panelist, African-American Biblical Hermeneutics, Society of Biblical Literature  
Boston, MA (11/24/08)

Paper Presentation, "Barren or Childless: Is there a difference? Childless Women in the Hebrew Bible as Special Agents of God", Feminist Hermeneutics Section, Society of Biblical Literature, New Orleans, LA (November, 2009)

"More Than Meets The Eye: Psalm 119 as Both a Beginning Alphabetic Acrostic and an End Word Message Acrostic," Psalms Section, Society of Biblical

Literature, Boston, MA (October, 1999).

Church/Community Related

2019

Teacher, Commissioned Minister Program, Southwest Region (2/2/19)

Workshop Leader, LTS OK Region, Edmond, OK (2/23/19)

Teacher, Challengers Class, HACC, Tulsa, OK (3/24 & 31/19)

Speaker, FCC, Norman, OK (4/7/19)

Teacher, Maranatha Class, BAUMC, Tulsa, OK (5/5 & 12/19)

Presenter, Summer Series, FCC, Edmond, OK (6/9/19)

Speaker, Holy Conversations, BAUMC, Tulsa, OK (6/23/19)

Bible Study Leader, General Assembly CC (DOC) (7/20-24/19)

Youth Workshop Leader, General Assembly CC (DOC) (7/23/19)

Preacher, Ordination of Kara Farrow, Tulsa, OK (7/27/19)

Teacher, Heritage Class, BAUMC, Tulsa, OK (8/4 & 11/19)

Teacher, Ministry Training Program, PTS (8/19 – 10/7/19)

Speaker, ROSES Women's Retreat, Tulsa, OK (9/14/19)

2018

Speaker, "Bible and Sexuality," Disciples Christian Bartlesville, OK (3/4/18)

Keynote Speaker, Kansas Region Clergy Retreat, Augustus, KS (4/24-26/18)

Workshop Leader, LTS, CC (DOC) in OK, OKC, OK (4/28/18)

Teacher, Challengers Class, HACC, Tulsa, OK (5/13 & 27/18)

Speaker, "Spirituality & Sexuality," Osage Forest, Tulsa, OK (6/2/18)

Participant, Ordination of Colton Lott, FCC, Ada, OK (6/30/18)



Preacher, Christian Church of the Covenant, Enid, OK. (7/1/18)  
Keynote Speaker, Canada Regional Assembly, Guelph, Ontario (8/1-4/18)  
Preacher, FCC, Nowata, OK (9/2/18)  
Teacher & Preacher, FCC, Stroud, OK. (9/9/18)  
Keynote Speaker, OK Disciples Women's Retreat, Guthrie, OK (9/29/18)  
Teacher, Maranatha Class, BAUMC, Tulsa, OK. (9/30/18)  
Teacher, Journey Class, BAUMC, Tulsa, OK (10/28 & 11/4/18)  
Teacher, Pilgrimage Class, BAUMC, Tulsa, OK. (12/2 & 9/18)

2017

Keynote Speaker, Kaleo Women's Retreat, Briarwood, TX (1/20-22/17)  
Teacher, Cornerstone Class, Boston Avenue UMC (2/12/17)  
Speaker/Preacher, Findlay St. CC, Seattle, WA (3/5/17)  
Keynote Speaker, Youth Winter Retreat, Texoma Camp (3/10-12/17)  
Keynote Speaker, Disciple Women Encounter, OKC (3/25/17)  
Workshop Leader, Western Oaks CC, OKC (4/29/17)  
Teacher, Horizon's Class, Boston Ave. UMC (4/30/17)  
Preacher, Ordination of John Wheeler, Enid, OK (5/28/17)  
Preacher, FCC, Nowata, OK (6/11/17)  
Keynote Speaker, Adult Conference, Ohio Region (6/18-23/17)  
Preacher/Speaker, Open Table CC, Arlington, TX (6/25/17)  
Speaker, "Gender, Sexuality, & Faith", FCC, Lawton, OK (7/16/17)  
Teacher, Wed Bible Study, FCC, Tulsa, OK (9/6-10/4/17)

Speaker, "Bible & Sexuality," Young Adults, FCC, Norman, OK (9/10/17)

Preacher, Installation of Laura Phillips, Overland Park CC, MO (1/17/17)

Speaker, "Holy Conversations," Boston Ave UMC (10/10/17)

Teacher, Challengers Class, Harvard Ave. CC (10/15, 22, 29/17)

Teacher, Maranatha Class, Boston Ave. UMC (11/5 & 12/17)

Presenter, Retired OK DOC Clergy, PTS, Tulsa, OK (12/7/17)

## 2016

Keynote Speaker, Adult Swim Retreat, Tulsa, OK (11/1/16)

Panelist, "Future of Progressive Christianity", Welcome Table Community Church,  
Turley, OK (10/15/16)

Preacher, First Christian Church, Stillwater, OK (9/11/16)

Preacher, First Christian Church (DOC), Norman, OK (7/10/16)

Participant, Ordination of Chuck Jackson, Langley, OK (5/21/16)

Speaker, Nowata Disciples Women Salad Supper, Nowata, OK (4/21/16)

Teacher, Maranatha Class, Boston Avenue UMC (4/17/16)

Speaker, "Horror Stories of the Bible", Little Blue House, TU (4/11/16)

Speaker, "Bible & Sexuality", First CC, Lawton, OK (4/10/16)

Keynote Speaker, IL/WI Regional DWF Spring Gathering, Springfield, IL (4/2/16)

Speaker, "Family in the Hebrew Bible", Lenten Series, Forest Park CC, Tulsa,  
OK (3/6/16)

Speaker, "Bible & Sexuality", Little Blue House, TU (2/22/16 & 3/28/16)

Speaker, "Bible & Sexuality", Youth Group, Disciples CC, Bartlesville, OK  
(2/24/16)

Teacher, Horizons Class, Boston Avenue UMC (2/14/16)

Workshop Leader, Leadership Training School, FCC, OKC (2/6/16)

2015

Teacher, Maranatha Class, Boston Avenue UMC (11/1/15)

Speaker, "Bible & Sexuality", Board/Fellowship Lunch, FCC, Edmond, OK  
(10/25/15)

Preacher, FCC, Edmond, OK (10/25/15)

Teacher, "Bible & Sexuality", Combined Adult Class, FCC, Edmond, OK  
(10/25/15)

Preacher, FCC, Nowata, OK (9/29 & 27/15)

Chaplain/Keynote Speaker, CYF Alpha Camp, KS Region (6/21-27/15)

Preacher, Interfaith Pride Worship Service, PTS (6/4/15)

Teacher, Challengers Class, Harvard Avenue CC (5/31/15)

Teacher, Pilgrimage Class, Boston Avenue UMC (5/3/15)

Speaker, Bethany CC Disciples Women, Bethany CC (4/11/15)

Preacher, Ordination of Dan Adolphson, FCC Minneapolis, MN (2/28/15)

Speaker, Lenten "Soup for the Soul" Series, Eastside CC (2/22-3/22/15)

Teacher, Challengers Class, Harvard Avenue CC (2/8/15)

Workshop Leader, Leadership Training School, Crown Heights CC, OKC, OK  
(1/31/15)

2014

Speaker, DWF Luncheon, Harvard Avenue CC, Tulsa, OK (12/18/14)

Teacher, Challengers Class, Harvard Avenue CC, Tulsa, OK (12/7/14)

Keynote Speaker/Preacher, Conference for Faith & Learning, FCC, Des Moines, IA

(10/17-19/14)

Guest Speaker, Bible Study – Apocalyptic Texts, FCC, Tulsa, OK (10/8/14)  
Teacher, "Intro to the Hebrew Bible", Central CC, Enid, OK (9/28 & 10/26/14)  
Guest Speaker, Micah & Amos Bible Study, Central CC, Enid, OK (9/23/14)  
Teacher, TLC Class, Christ UMC (9/14/14)  
Teacher, Adult SS, Woodward CC, Woodward, OK (8/24/14)  
Guest Speaker, Esther Bible Study, Central CC, Enid, OK (8/12/14)  
Chaplain/Keynote Speaker, CYF Alpha Camp, KS Region (6/23-29/14)  
Preacher, Ordination of Kelley Becker, FCC, Bloomington, IL (6/8/14)  
Participant, Ordination of Anna Hubbard, Eastside CC, Tulsa, OK (5/18/14)  
Preacher, FCC, Norman, OK (5/4/14)  
Teacher, Adult Joint SS Class, FCC Norman, OK (5/4/14)  
Preacher & Workshop Leader, OK Regional Assembly, Norman, OK (5/2-3/14)  
Workshop Leader, NW Area Assembly, Fairview, OK (3/30/14)  
Speaker, Lenten Series, Harvard Avenue CC, Tulsa, OK (3/12/14)  
Speaker, Lenten Series, Eastside CC, Tulsa, OK (3/9/14)  
Keynote Speaker, TBA Mid-Winter Youth Retreat, Athens, TX (2/21-23/14)  
Teacher, TLC Class, Christ UMC (2/9/14)

### 2013

Speaker, "Sexuality & the Hebrew Bible", First CC, Claremore, OK (10/27/13)  
Keynote Speaker, NE Area Women's Retreat, Camp Christian, OK (10/5/13)  
Speaker, "Sexuality & the Hebrew Bible", Equality Center, Tulsa, OK (8/26/13)

Keynote Speaker, Encounter Women's Retreat, PTS (6/21-22/13)

Preacher, Yale Avenue CC, Tulsa, OK (5/5/13)

Teacher, Challengers Class, Harvard Avenue CC (4/28/13)

Speaker, Lenten "Soup for the Soul", Eastside CC, Tulsa, OK (2/17/13)

Workshop Leader, Leadership Training School, FCC, OKC (2/2/13)

Presenter, Bible & Homosexuality Panel, Presbyterian Church, Stillwater, OK  
(1/27/13)

Teacher, Challengers SS, Harvard Avenue CC (1/13 & 20/13)

## 2012

Keynote Speaker, NE Area Women's Retreat, Camp Christian, OK (11/3/12)

Teacher, Challengers SS, Harvard Avenue CC (9/30/12)

Preacher, FCC, El Reno, OK (8/12/12)

Participant, Ordination of Lori Walke, Mayflower Congregational Church, OKC  
(5/27/12)

Workshop Leader, OK Regional Assembly, Duncan, OK (4/27-28/12)

Bible Leader, DYMNS Event, Mustang Island, TX (3/26-28/12)

Workshop Leader, Leadership Training School, FCC, OKC (2/4/12)

## 2011

Preacher, Disciples CC, Bartlesville, OK (12/18/11)

Speaker/Preacher, SE Area Assembly, McAlester, OK (10/2/11)

Speaker/Preacher, SW Area Assembly, Lawton, OK (9/18/11)

Preacher, Fellowship Congregational Church, Tulsa, OK (8/21/11)

Preacher, Mayflower Congregational Church, Oklahoma City, OK (8/7/11)

Preacher, Trinity CC, Edmond, OK (7/31/11)

Bible Leader, DYMNS Event, Tucson, AZ (7/14-17/11)

Bible Lecturer, Montreat Music & Worship Conference, Montreat, NC (6/19-7/3/11)

Preacher, Bethany CC, Tulsa, OK (5/22/11)

Preacher, Ordination Service for Shannon Fleck, FCC, Guthrie, OK (5/15/11)

Speaker, Prayer Breakfast, In the Spirit Women's Conference, In the Spirit CC, Tulsa, OK (3/5/11)

## 2010

Preacher, Open Door Community Fellowship, Louisville, KY (10/24/10)

Speaker, Sexuality & the Bible Workshop, Open Door Community Fellowship, Louisville, KY (10/22-24/10)

Teacher, VA Commissioned Ministers Retreat, Eagle Eyrie, VA (8/13-14/10)

## [2002-2009 in reverse order – most recent first]

Teacher, "Job" Lay School of Theology, LST (10/5, 12, & 19/02)

Keynoter, "Spirituality & the Psalms", DOC Retreat, Transylvania University (2/21-23/03)

Teacher, Lenten Series, "Images of God," Crestwood Christian Church, Lexington, KY (3/9, 23, & 30/03)

Lecturer, Solomon Scholars, "Genesis", First Christian Church, Mt. Sterling, KY (4/9, 23, 30/03)

Speaker, "Bible & Sexuality", Newman Center, Berea College (4/29/03)

Lecturer, "Women Who Did God's Dirty Work", Weekend Series, Central Woodward Christian Church, Troy, MI (5/9-11/03)

Bible Lecturer, "Where Faith Meets Fracture", Ohio Adult Conference, Columbus, OH (6/23-27/03)

Guest Lecturer, Senior Symposium, Lynchburg College (9/22/03)

Humbert Lecturer, "Finding Jesus in the 1<sup>st</sup> Testament", Eureka College,  
(11/4/03)

Teacher, Adult Education Course, "Prophets of Israel", Central Christian Church,  
(Spring, 2004)

Lecturer, "Exploring/Embracing God's Intention", Ohio Adult Conference,  
Columbus, OH (6/21-25/04)

Teacher, "Job", Lay School of Theology, Kentucky Region (9/9, 13, & 20/03)

Guest Speaker, Adult Class, Temple Adath Israel, Lexington, KY (Feb 8, 2004)

Teacher, Adult Ed Class on Prophets, Central Christian Church, Lexington, KY  
(3/2-5/11/2004)

Speaker, College Group, Maxwell Street Presbyterian Church, Lexington, KY  
(4/15/04)

Speaker, "Intro to the Torah", Hunter Presbyterian Church, Lexington, KY  
(6/2/04)

Keynote Speaker, "The Bible & Sexuality", Edenside Christian Church,  
Louisville, KY (8/27-28/04)

Speaker, "The 'So-Called' Marriage Amendment", Unitarian Universalist Church of  
Lexington, KY (9/19/04)

Speaker, "The 'So-Called' Marriage Amendment", Woodland Christian Church,  
Lexington, KY (9/19/04)

Speaker, "Job" as part of "LTS to Your Congregation", First Christian Church,  
Pikeville, KY (10/1- 3/04)

Speaker, "Forum on Kentucky's Marriage Amendment" at Lindsey Wilson College,  
Columbia, KY (10/5/04)

Workshop Leader, "Bible Stories Your Church Never Told You", Triennium  
Youth Event, KY Region (11/13)

Presenter, "Understanding of Covenant", TLC (The Leadership Council of  
Christian Church, (Disciples of Christ), Nashville, TN (12/10-11/04)

- Guest Speaker, Gay-Straight Alliance of Lexington, KY (1/11/05)
- Teacher, Bible Study, Unitarian Universalist Church of Lexington (2/2-4/20/05)
- Speaker, "Passover in the 1<sup>st</sup> Testament", Midway Christian Church, Midway, KY (3/26/05)
- Guest Speaker, "Women in the Minsitry", Disciples on Campus, Transylvania University (3/23/05)
- Workshop Leader, "Women in the 1<sup>st</sup> Testament", CWF Spring Conference, Louisville, KY (4/9/05)
- Bible Lecturer, Pastoral Excellence Conference, DOC & UCC Clergy, North Platte, NE (5/1-3/05)
- Speaker, "Job", Hunter Presbyterian Church, Lexington, KY (5/4/05)
- Speaker, "1 & 2 Samuel", Hunter Presbyterian Church, Lexington, KY (6/1/05)
- Professor, "Women in the 1<sup>st</sup> Testament", Lay Minister's School, LTS (6/13-17/05)
- Speaker, "The Bible and Sexuality", Douglass Boulevard Christian Church, Louisville, KY (6/29/05)
- Leader, Resource Group, "Covenant Values" Bible Study, General Assembly of the Christian Church (DOC), Portland, OR (7/25/05)
- Preacher, All Assembly Worship, General Assembly of the Christian Church (DOC), Portland, OR (7/25/05)
- Leader, Workshop, "The Future of the Liberal Church", General Assembly of the Christian Church (DOC), Portland, OR (7/26/05)
- Blog Writer for *DisciplesWorld* at General Assembly of the CC (DOC) (7/23-27/05)
- Teacher, "Women in the 1<sup>st</sup> Testament", Lay School of Theology, LTS (9/10, 17, 24/05)
- Keynote Speaker, IL/WI Clergywomen Event (10/10-12/05)
- Lecturer, Telecourse for Pastoral Excellence Conference, DOC & UCC Clergy



(10/13/05)

Teacher, "Prophets & Justice", Unitarian Universalist Church of Lexington  
(10/26-12/7/05)

Keynoter, Marriage Equality Conferences, Seattle, WA (11/9-12/05)

Keynoter, "Real People/Real Faith" Lecture Series, Sandy Springs Christian  
Church, Atlanta, GA (1/21-22/06)

Teacher, "Women in the New Testament", Lay School of Theology, LTS (2/11,  
18, & 25, 2006)

Panel Member, "Stem Cell Research – The Science & The Controversy", Central  
KY ACLU (2/27/06)

Keynoter, DOC Retreat, Transylvania University (3/31-4/2/06)

Lecturer, Indiana Ecumenical Women's Retreat (8/18-9/06)

Workshop Leader, "The Breath of God Hovered Over the Waters" KY Regional  
Assembly (9/15/06)

Lecturer, "The Torah", TEAM Class at Central Christian Church, Lexington, KY  
(9/12-11/14, 2006)

Lecturer, Religious Coalition for Marriage Equality Conferences, Seattle, WA  
(10/25-31/06)

Lecturer, "Preaching the Prophets in Advent with Integrity", WA Regional Clergy  
(10/28-29/06)

Lecturer, "Sabbath", Forum at Indiana Regional Assembly (Nov 10, 2006)

Lecturer, "The Bible and Hot Button Issues", First Christian Church,  
Lawrenceburg, KY (11/25- 3/21, 2007)

Teacher, "The Bible and Hot Button Issues", Lay School of Theology, LTS (Mar  
10, 17, & 24, 2007)

Workshop Leader, CWF Spring Conference, KY Region (3/24/07)

Panel Member, "Peace Panel" for St. Franciscan Peace Conference, Lexington, KY  
(3/25/07)

Lecturer, "The Bible and Sexuality", Jeffersontown Christian Church,  
Jeffersontown, KY (4/11-5/2/07)

Keynoter, VA Regional CWF Fall Conference (10/19-21/07)

Lecturer, "Where Can Wisdom be Found?" for Elders Retreat, Lawrenceburg CC,  
KY (11/1/07)

Speaker, GA Clergy Gathering, Macon, GA (1/28-30/08)

Lecturer, "Where Can Wisdom be Found?" for Elders/Deacons Retreat,  
Christmount Conference Center, Black Mountain, NC (3/7 & 8/ 08)

Lecturer, "Women in the Bible", Crestwood Christian Church, Lexington, KY  
(2/24/08 – 3/16/08)

Lecturer, "Bible and Creation", TEAM Class at Central Christian Church,  
Lexington, KY (2/5/08 - 4/8/08)

Workshop Presenter, CWF Spring Conference, Lexington, KY (4/12/08)

Teacher, "Bible Study on Job", South Elkhorn Christian Church, Lexington, KY  
(4/18-19/08)

Presenter, "Bible and Ecology", 2<sup>nd</sup> Presbyterian Church, Lexington, KY  
(4/23/08)

Speaker, "Made in the Image of God", 1<sup>st</sup> Presbyterian Church, Lexington, KY  
(9/17 & 24/08)

Speaker, "Shalom: A Concept of Wholeness", KY Lawyers as Peacemakers, LTS  
(2/28/09)

Speaker, "Difficult Issues and the Bible", Lenten Series, Midway CC (3/14, 21,  
28, & 4/4/09)

Keynoter, "Just Women of a Just God", KY CWF Spring Retreat (4/18/09)

Preacher, "Family Systems in Genesis", UU Church of Lexington, KY (4/29/09)

Keynoter, "Bible and Immigration", School for Christian Learning, Flemingsburg  
CC (5/3/09)

Professor, "Introduction to the 1<sup>st</sup> Testament", KY Lay Ministry School (6/22-26/09)

## **Courses Taught at PTS**

Interpretation Matters  
The Environment & the Bible  
Biblical Theology: Violence & Suffering in the Bible  
Introduction to the Hebrew Bible  
Contemporary Issues & the Bible  
Exegesis of the Hebrew Bible: Psalms  
Exegesis of the Hebrew Bible: 8<sup>th</sup> Century Prophets & Justice  
Women in the Hebrew Bible  
Introduction to Biblical Hebrew I  
Introduction to Biblical Hebrew II (Exegesis)  
Hebrew Reading  
Biblical Message & the Praxis of God (PLCSW)  
Biblical Message & the Praxis of God: Bible & Contemporary Issues

## **Course Taught at Other Schools**

Prophets, Justice, and Ethical Issues for the Church  
Difficult Issues & Biblical Interpretation  
Theological Perspectives of Disciples of Christ Missions  
Christian Biblical Interpretation/Implications for the Holocaust  
Senior Theological Symposium  
First Testament Narrative  
First Testament Poetry, Prophecy, Wisdom, & Apocalyptic  
Seminar on Job  
Seminar on Psalms  
Prophetic Preaching  
Feminist Theology  
Introduction to the New Testament  
Public Speaking  
Women of the First Testament  
First Testament Theology  
Eighth Century Prophets  
Exegesis of the Hebrew Bible  
Hebrew I & II  
Intermediate Hebrew  
Feminist Theology  
Exegesis and Preaching of Difficult Texts of the First Testament  
Travel Seminar to Israel

Basic Preaching  
Pastoral Ministry

## **Institutional Service**

### Committees

Member, Presidential Transition Team, (2017-2018)  
Member, Admissions Committee (2016-2017)  
Member, Teaching with Technology Committee (2016-present)  
Chair, Curricular Refinement Task Force (2016-2017)  
Chair, Masters Committee (2011-present)  
Member, Rank & Tenure Committee (2010-present)  
Chair, Dennis Smith Retirement Celebration (2015)  
Chair, Search Committee for History (2014-2015)  
Member, Library Committee (2013-2015)  
Member, IRB Committee (2013-2014)  
Chair, Don Pittman Retirement Celebration (2013)  
Member, Dean Search Committee (2012-2013)  
Faculty Representative to the Trustees (2011-2013)  
Member, Strategic Planning Group (2011)  
Member, Faculty Search Committee (2010-2011)

### Speaking/Writing

Professor, "Introduction to the Hebrew Bible", Ministry Training Program, PTS  
(Fall, 2019)  
Preacher, Chapel, PTS (11/29/16)  
Preacher, DMin Chapel, PTS (6/22/16)  
Professor, "Introduction to the Hebrew Bible", Ministry Training Program, PTS  
(Spring, 2016)  
Book Review, *Reading Mary Alongside Indian Surrogate Mothers: Violent Love,  
Oppressive Liberation, & Infancy Narratives* by Sharon Jacob, PTS Book  
Celebration (4/19/16)  
Contributor, Advent 2016 Devotional, PTS (12/19/16)  
Contributor, Advent 2015 Devotions, PTS (12/8/15)  
Presenter, Fall Faculty Colloquium, PTS (11/11/15)  
Workshop Leader, "Women & Worship Conference", PTS (1/13-14/15)  
Book Review, *St. Mark's & the Social Gospel: Methodist Women & Civil Rights in  
New Orleans 1895-1965* by Ellen Blue. PTS Book Celebration  
Speaker, "Faith Life Connections", Community CC, Kansas City, MO (11/9/13)  
Speaker, "Faith Life Connections", Broadway, CC, Columbia, MO (9/14-15/12)  
Preacher, DMin Chapel, PTS (1/9/12)  
Presenter, Ministers Week, PTS (1/18/11)

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Preacher, DMin Chapel, PTS (1/11-13/11)

## **Regional Church Service**

Member, OK Regional Commission on Clergy (2015-present)

Member, Commissioned Ministry Training Program Committee (2011-2013)

Bible Leader, "Online Lectionary Chat", Upper Midwest Region, (2011-2013)

## **General Church Service**

Member, General Assembly Planning Committee (2018-2019)

Member, General Assembly Worship Committee (2018-2019)