



# 1<sup>st</sup> Annual

# Congregational Gathering

Our new way of doing ministry together in the Upper Midwest Region

Saturday, October 15, 2011

10:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

West Des Moines Christian Church

1. Share ministry ideas
2. Encourage common ministries to arise in the group
3. Commission ministries for the next year
4. Chose a representative Operations Council

Rev. Dr. Sharon Watkins, General Minister and President will share with us in this new form of ministry and preside in the installation of Bill Spangler-Dunning as Regional Minister and President

*Each congregation is invited to send 2 lay representatives*

- Send your most creative!
- Send multigenerational representatives!
- Send those with bold new ideas!
- Send your most passionate!

Clergy are also invited to attend  
Potluck Lunch - Bring a side dish  
The Region will provide the meat



*So who are you sending to represent Your Congregation?*

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

How to Register: Call the Regional Office at 515.255.3168 or email [cddumw@gmail.com](mailto:cddumw@gmail.com) with your name, contact information and the church you are representing. This event is free.