

*Open to All Faith Communities: A Two-Year/ Six Session Study and Reflection on How Faith Impacts and Informs Daily Living and Defines Ministry & Service*

**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION DUE DATE: AUGUST 15, 2018**

**Note:** You can find registration information at [www.wisconsinumc.org](http://www.wisconsinumc.org). Click on Ministries/Spiritual Formation & Leadership/Lifelong Learning /*Faith Alive!* Proceed to the *Faith Alive!* page to download an application or register on-line.

This application covers the entire series of six *Faith Alive!* weekend sessions held at the Mt. Morris Retreat Center near Wautoma, WI:

1. September 14-16, 2018
2. January 11-13, 2019
3. April 26-28, 2019
4. September 13-15, 2019
5. January 10-12, 2020
6. April 17-19, 2020

*(Applicants must commit to all six sessions.)*

For questions, please call:

Gail Burgess, *Faith Alive!* Dean  
 (262) 945-8578  
 hb53104@aol.com

**FEES:** Room, meals, tuition and book fee: \$225 per session.

The \$225 for the first session must be paid prior to that session. Partial scholarship funds are available for the other five sessions. (See Item 6 on page 2.)

**INCLUDE IN YOUR APPLICATION:**

1. This application for admission form, completely filled out.
2. Check payable to Wisconsin Annual Conference UMC.
3. Letter of recommendation from your faith leader.

**MAIL THE APPLICATION ITEMS TO:**

*Faith Alive!*  
 Gail Burgess  
 6510 203<sup>rd</sup> Avenue  
 Bristol, WI 53104

*Please print clearly and complete entire form below.*

Name (First, Middle, Last)		Age	Gender	Name preferred for nametag
Address				
City		State	ZIP	
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email		
Name and phone number of emergency contact person				
Name and address of the faith community with which you are currently affiliated:				
Name of Faith Leader _____		Faith Leader e-mail _____		
Name of Mentor _____		Mentor's e-mail _____		
(Your mentor might be your faith community leader, a friend from your faith community, a prayer partner, a small group study leader, etc.) We will be sending a general letter after each session to all Faith Leaders and mentors to let them know what we have been discussing. If you do not currently have a mentor, we will help you in identifying/selecting someone.				
Why you are interested in applying to <i>Faith Alive!</i> ?				

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## FAITHALIVE!

*A Two-Year Study and Reflection on Theology, Holy Scriptures, and Service in Today's World*

**BRIEF BIOGRAPHICAL BACKGROUND:** We are hoping to gather a group diverse in age, ethnicity, geography, gender, etc. We want to know how best to serve you. Please describe yourself to us.

<p>1. Describe your work and community experience. What has been your greatest learning about yourself in each of these settings/experiences?</p>
<p>2. Regarding your service within your faith community, briefly describe where you are today in service and/or lay leadership and how your two-year course of study with <i>Faith Alive!</i> could impact your future service.</p>
<p>3. Education (including high school, college, graduate school, pertinent training, and other workshops):</p>
<p>4. Special skills, talents, and experience:</p>
<p>5. <b>SPECIAL ACCOMODATIONS:</b> If you have special dietary or accessibility needs, please describe:</p>
<p>6. <b>SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION:</b> <i>Faith Alive!</i> has partial scholarships for those with financial need. You can also ask your regional office or faith community for financial support. Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> I request a <i>Faith Alive!</i> scholarship in the amount of \$_____ per session. Note: <b>No</b> scholarships are available for Session #1. Amount my local church will be able to provide as scholarship: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> I would like to donate \$_____ to the <i>Faith Alive!</i> Scholarship Program (include check with application).</p>
<p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> If available, I would prefer books delivered to my kindle. Print e-mail</p>

Send this application along with your check and letter of recommendation to Gail Burgess (see other side).

I understand this application is for the full two-year program and includes six weekend sessions and some additional homework studies before and between sessions.

I understand that photographs may be taken during *Faith Alive!* I consent to use of my image in print or

electronic forms for promotional purposes. \_\_\_\_\_ Initial here

Applicant's Signature:

Today's Date:

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