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Everence and the Lake Institute on Faith & Giving invite you and your ministry team to participate in a seminar experience that could change the way you and your congregation approach giving and generosity.

Friday and Saturday, April 12-13, 2013 8:30-3:30 p.m.

The Gathering Place, 841 Mount Clinton Pike Harrisonburg, Va. 22802

Creating Congregational Cultures of Generosity is a two-day interactive seminar, demonstrating how pastors and ministry leaders can unearth and energize congregational generosity by exploring the significant and necessary steps to creating lasting cultural change within a congregation.

This course is intended for those who:

* Believe in their congregation’s capacity for greater generosity;
* Have a desire to become more comfortable with money;
* Are willing to redefine giving in their congregation; and
* Understand giving to include service, social networks and the sharing of ideas and professional expertise.

**Presenters**

**Beryl Jantzi,** Everence director of stewardship of education, has more than 20 years of pastoral experience in leading four different churches in Pennsylvania and Virginia. Jantzi has also served as moderator for the Virginia Mennonite Conference. He is a graduate of the University of Waterloo in Ontario with a degree in religious studies, and earned a M.Div. degree from Eastern Mennonite Seminary and a doctorate of ministry from Lancaster (Pa.) Theological Seminary.

**Randy Nyce**, Everence church relations and charitable giving representative for eastern Pennsylvania, has previously served at the Historic Mennonite Meetinghouse, Philadelphia Mennonite High School, and Hopi Mission School. He is a graduate of Eastern Mennonite University and holds a certificate in urban ministry from the School for Urban Missions.

**Seminar coordinator: Joseph Lapp,** is managing director for Everence in the Harrisonburg area. He also serves as church relations, trust and foundation advisor.  Lapp is a graduate of Eastern Mennonite University and earned his Juris Doctor degree from IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law. He practiced law for 15 years and served as president of EMU for 16 years. Lapp is a member of the board of MennoMedia, co-chair of the Harrisonburg District of Virginia Mennonite Conference, and member of the board of Eastern Mennonite School.

**Registration fee is $100 per ministry team** of three to four people, including the pastor (required)**. Each attendee must purchase the participant workbook ($25). Space is limited. The deadline to register is March 15, 2013.**

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How do you inspire generosity?

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