



Rev. Jill Daniel will bring an inspiring and challenging message on loving all God's children through discipleship, literacy, and health.

Rev. Jill Daniel has served as clergy in the United Methodist Church since 2000. An ordained elder, she was appointed in July to serve the churches of the Texas Annual

Conference as the Director of *We Love All God's Children*. An initiative of Bishop Scott Jones, We Love All God's Children seeks to equip United Methodist churches in the areas of children's discipleship, literacy, and health.

Jill's background includes service to the National Head Start Association where she was a keynote and workshop speaker throughout the United States on issues surrounding early childhood education. She was also charged with opening numerous Head Start Centers in Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana and published developmentally appropriate curriculum for the program. In addition, she and her husband Ken, owned and operated Atlanta Child Development Center in their hometown of Atlanta, Texas. Prior to her appointment as the Director of We Love All God's Children, she served congregations in the North District and most recently, at Trinity UMC in Beaumont, where she oversaw the Christian Education and Weekday Ministries.

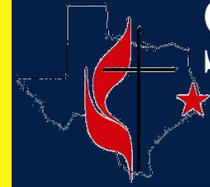
A graduate of St. Paul School of Theology in Kansas City, Jill also served in the Missouri Annual Conference as both a senior pastor as well as a Conference consultant to local church early childhood education ministries.

Keynote Speaker • Rev. Jill Daniel

Schedule	2:00	Welcome & Devotional
	2:30	Keynote Speaker
	3:00	Break
	3:10	Session I
	4:30	Break
	4:40	Session II
	6:00	Dismissal



Leadership Event 2019



Southeast District
of the Texas Annual Conference
Of the United Methodist Church

Sunday, January 27
2:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

Wesley UMC, Beaumont
3810 N Major Drive • Beaumont, TX 77713

All Laity and Clergy are Encouraged to Attend!



With Keynote Speaker **Rev. Jill Daniel**
We Love All God's Children Director
Texas Annual Conference
Special Guest **Bradley Doherty**
of Lakeview Methodist Conference Center
will share camp updates
Followed by **two workshop** sessions

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Session 1 Workshops • 3:10-4:30 p.m.

◆ Vacation Bible School & We Love All God's Children (WLAGC)

Rev. Jill Daniel, WLAGC Director will discuss new ideas for Vacation Bible School and how you can encourage literacy, health, and discipleship in this annual event.

◆ Models of Discipleship

How do we help people mature in their faith? How do we help them become and grow as disciples of Christ? Come learn from Dr. Douglas Caldwell, Wesley, Nederland, and Rev. Phil Chamberlain, UM Temple, Port Arthur, about Discipleship Pathways.

The following workshops are designed to help chairpersons and committee members understand their roles and duties:

◆ **Staff Parish Relations**—Rev. Alicia Besser, Southeast District Superintendent will lead a discussion on the role and function of the Staff Parish Relations Committee. Get some ideas on how you can support your pastor and how you relate to the District Superintendent.

◆ **Trustees**—Rev. Jon Stouffer is the Senior Pastor of FUMC Beaumont. Like so many of his colleagues he served a variety of churches and helped them use their buildings as a tool for ministry. Currently FUMC is partnering with other non-profits to utilize their building to the fullest extent. Come and learn the role of Trustees and creative ways to pay for the building.

◆ **Administrative Council**—Dr. Jonathan Bynam is the pastor of FUMC, Nederland, with 26 years of experience. He has served a variety of churches from small to urban to large congregations. Come learn the role of the Administrative Board/Council Chair and committee members. Learn how you can work together with the pastor to plan a great future for your church.

◆ **Finance**—Rev. Curtis Matthys is the senior minister of FUMC, Port Neches. He has served churches small and large. In each place he's learned the need for an effective Finance Committee. Come learn the role of the Finance Committee and how you can use good stewardship to build ministry.

Session 2 Workshops • 4:40-6:00 p.m.

◆ Vacation Bible School & We Love All God's Children (WLAGC)

See presentation description in Session I.

◆ Starbucks, Sushi, & Toilet Bowl Brushes—Evangelism in 2019

This new study of "Cultural Exegesis" will look into new ways to build relationships with people outside the church. Rev. Kenn Munn is the pastor of FUMC Anahuac and Middleton Memorial UMC. With a wide array of experiences from church planting to solo pastorates, Kenn has mastered the ability to reach people who do not go to church.

◆ Hospitality

The moment a person walks in your building becomes an opportunity to connect a person with the community of Christ. Rev. Phil Chamberlain is the new senior pastor at UM Temple, Port Arthur. He came from Grace UMC in Palestine where millionaires and homeless people worship side by side. Come learn how he created this kind of welcoming community.

◆ Strengthening the Black Church

Every church is unique. Every church culture is different. With an increasing population of African Americans in the Golden Triangle, it is important that we support and build up our local churches with predominately African American members. Come hear Dr. Vincent Harris, South District Superintendent, talk about the unique challenges of the Black Church and how God is using congregations to reach a new generation.

◆ Strengthening the Small Membership Church

Rev. Cindy Doran of Kelthys UMC, Lufkin, took a closed church and grew it into a strong small church. Not every church has to be huge to be successful. Come listen to Cindy share her ideas for the small membership church.

◆ Technology and Social Media

Come learn from a panel of pastors from our district who will help you learn to tell your Church's Story through social media. It's not just a communication tool for your church members, but a means to reach people looking for a connection to God.