2018 FOUNDRY LGBT RETREAT

Join us for a weekend centered around faith, fellowship and fun.

You're invited to experience a renewal of heart, mind and spirit as you explore God's Word, glean practical insights to cope with the challenges of your Christian life, and strengthen your relationship with God.

Participants will have the opportunity to engage in a variety of activities, such as full group discussions, small group discussions and individual reflection.

Theme: "Climate Change" Staying rooted in a rapidly changing world.

Facilitators: Will Green, Associate Pastor and Director of Connecting Ministries at Foundry UMC

TC Morrow, member of Foundry UMC and on staff at an interfaith human rights organization

Where: Rehoboth Beach, Delaware

Atlantic Sands Hotel, 101 North Boardwalk and Baltimore Ave.

When: Friday May 4 through Sunday May 6, 2018

Friday: For those that arrive early there will be an optional group dinner at the Purple Parrot, 134 Rehoboth Ave. If interested, meet at the restaurant at 6: 30 PM. Welcome and orientation at 8:30 PM in the restaurant space at the Sands Hotel **Saturday:** All sessions will be held in the restaurant space at the Sands Hotel beginning at 8:00 AM and ending at 6:00 PM. A continental breakfast and lunch will be served in the Sanibel room.

Dinner is up to each individual participant.

Sunday: Continental breakfast in the Sanibel room. Worship and Sending Forth at 9:30 AM in the restaurant space at the Sands Hotel

Reservations: A limited number of rooms are available at the Atlantic Sands (800-422-0600) at the group rate of \$130 plus taxes, per night. Attendees may not be able to get that rate once the block of rooms have been sold or after the deadline. When booking use ID #8663, Foundry United Methodist Church.

The deadline for room reservations is April 4, 2018.

<u>Registration:</u> All participants must register for the retreat on the Foundry web page, **www.foundry.org/calendars** or in person in Fellowship Hall after the 11:15 AM service. **Registration fee is \$85.00 which includes three meals.**

<u>Transportation:</u> In addition to hotel reservations, transportation and any other accommodations are the responsibility of the participant. **We will attempt to arrange rides and/or room shares if we are notified in advance.**

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Bill Gluth, wgowl2@aol.com.