

AMERICAN BAPTIST WOMEN & GIRLS NEW YORK STATE GATHERING 2011

Holiday Inn, Auburn, NY

April 29—May 1, 2011

“In the Potter’s Hands”

Jeremiah 18:1-6, Psalms 138:8

Keynote Speaker — Rev. Karen Selig

Karen grew up in an Air Force family, spending two formative teenage years at Clark Air Force Base in the Philippines. Her studies began in the University of Kansas, where she majored in Elementary Education to the University of Wisconsin and a Master’s degree in Education. She continued her studies in Iowa at the University of Dubuque Theological Seminary and a received her Master of Divinity degree.



Karen has worked with battered and abused women, facilitated an AIDS family and friends support group, served as a Hospice chaplain, and worked with victims of pastoral sexual misconduct in the Central Region. She is currently the pastor of Royersford Baptist Church, Royersford, Pennsylvania.

Rev. Karen Selig is married to Rev. Dr. Alan Selig, and were co-pastors of the First Baptist church of Manhattan, Kansas for over 15 years. They have two adult children, Jenny and Cali.

Her hobbies include reading, photography, and making baskets. She enjoys hiking and watching movies with Alan.

Bible Study Leader

Rev. Dr. Trinette V. McCray

Rev. Dr. McCray is from Milwaukee, Wisconsin at the Calvary Baptist Church. She is president of the A.B. Historical Society and also a General Board Member ABC/USA.

Trinette has a Masters in Religious Education, and a Doctorate of Ministry from Northern Baptist Theological Seminary. She also has two honorary Doctorates from Alderson-Broadus College and Central Baptist Theological Seminary.

Dr. McCray is an assistant Professor with Central Baptist



Missionary Speaker — Rev. Dr. Christine Roush has over 24 years working in denominational life. She has served on staff in Mission Support and Camping ministries with ABC of NY and of Oregon. Most recently, Chris has joined the staff of Rainbow Acres, an American Baptist home for developmentally disabled adults in Arizona.

Ordained in 1991, Chris holds a Bachelors in Social Science Education, Masters in History, and a Doctor of Ministry from George Fox Seminary.

Married to David, she has two teenage daughters, Kirsten and Megan.