

Help children stay safe from sexual predators

"Increase your awareness to Prevent Child Sexual Abuse"

Free workshop for parents, staff, and volunteers advocating for children

Hosted by Pea Ridge United Methodist Women

February 18, 2016 1:00 – 3:30 pm Pea Ridge United Methodist Church 5747 East Pea Ridge Road, Huntington, WV 25705

The *Stewards of Children* program will increase knowledge, improve attitudes and change child-protective behaviors. This program is for any responsible adult who cares about the welfare of children. It is also appropriate for youth-serving organizations and personnel.

This training is being offered to participants free of charge by CAMC Women & Children's Hospital, Children's Advocacy Center.

Topics Covered:

- Facts about the problem of child sexual abuse
- The types of situations in which child sexual abuse might occur
- Simple, effective strategies for protecting children from sexual abuse
- The importance of talking about the prevention of sexual abuse with children and other adults
- The signs of sexual abuse so that you might intervene and be able to react responsibly
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 - Increased awareness of the prevalence, consequences and circumstances of child sexual abuse
 - New skills to prevent, recognize and react responsibly to child sexual abuse
 - Individual commitment to action via a personal prevention plan

To Register please contact Jeanette Rowsey, Pea Ridge United Methodist Women, at <u>jeanetterowsey@gmail.com</u> or 304-736-4366 by February 12, 2016 (Please include your name, organization, phone number and email address in your email or voice message.)

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> **Continuing education credits are available for Nurses, Physicians and Social Work through Charleston Area Medical Center.