



# The European Institute of Christian Studies

## The Academy for Parish Leadership

### September 2009—The European Institute of Christian Studies Announces Launch of its Academy for Parish Leadership

Many people across the Convocation are invited to fulfill Episcopal Church leadership roles for which they have little practical experience, or for which they would like to be better prepared. As it brings to a close the successful *Transformed by Stories* series, EICS would like to announce its next cycle of Christian formation programs. EICS is preparing to launch the Academy for Parish Leadership, a program of leadership training weekends in the areas of:

- 1) Governance and Finance-Leadership development and the nuts and bolts of financial management—2010
- 2) Stewardship—Management of God's assets: People, Property, and Treasure — 2011
- 3) Lifelong Christian Education and Formation — 2012
- 4) Mission: Beyond our Church Doors—2013

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### **SAVE THE DATE: March 5-7, 2010**

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<b>First Event:</b>	Governance and Finance, to be led by Bishop Pierre
<b>Where:</b>	Abtei Lichtental Guesthouse, Baden-Baden, Germany
<b>Who should attend:</b>	Wardens, Treasurers and Stewardship Chairpersons serving Parishes and missions in the Convocation
<b>Expense:</b>	EICS will fund room, board, and some travel expenses.

Details and registration forms to follow promptly via email. For further information and inquiries, contact the European Institute of Christian Studies at [eics.convocation@gmail.com](mailto:eics.convocation@gmail.com)