# **Family Disability Conference Registration Form**

Registrant Contact Information								
First Name: _								
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City:		State: _	Zip: _					

Mail or bring this form with the registration fee to Lafayette Federated Church, 180 Rte. 15, Lafayette, NJ 07848. Pre-registration is available until Sept 23 and costs \$10 for an individual or \$15 for a family (up to 4 attendees). After Sept 23, the cost is \$15/individual or \$20/family. Checks can be made payable to LFC.

There is no childcare, nor children's activities, at the venue, but we do offer information for local childcare resources on the conference website under the "Childcare" heading. Visit <a href="http://www.lfc.org/familydisabilityconf/">http://www.lfc.org/familydisabilityconf/</a> for details or call 973-271-0492.

Total number of attendees	(up to 4):	
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Enter attendee names below and circle one option from each column (workshop details on back)

Attendee Name	Lunch Selection	Session 1 Choices	Session 2 Choices	Session 3 Choices	Session 4 Choices
Registrant	Salad	Workshop 1	Workshop 4	Workshop 1	Workshop 4
	Sandwich	Workshop 2	Workshop 5	Workshop 2	Workshop 5
		Workshop 3	Workshop 6	Workshop 3	Workshop 6
	Salad	Workshop 1	Workshop 4	Workshop 1	Workshop 4
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### Workshop 1: Not Just a Label

Diagnosis can be the first step on the journey toward accessing the supports and services you may need to help your child with special needs to maximize their potential.

#### Workshop 2: Siblings with a Different "Normal"

Much of this conference focuses on the child living with disabilities. Here we will take time to explore the blessings and challenges of having a brother or sister with special needs.

### **Workshop 3: Living with Unending Stress**

Hear from a mom who knows what it is like to live with unending stress as well as tips on how to help you cope with this in your life.

## Workshop 4: Disability 101

A basic look at our disability ministry. What disabilities you are likely to encounter and how we can effectively respond to those individuals and families we encounter who are living with these disabilities.

#### Workshop 5: Dads, Disabilities, Dreams and Decisions

This is an opportunity to hear, from a dad's perspective, what parenting a child with special needs is really like.

## **Workshop 6: Battling Chronic Grief and Loss**

Living with a disability has been described as, "receiving an orange when you were expecting chocolate". Sometimes we will need to mourn the loss of the "chocolate" before we can learn to appreciate the blessings of our "orange".