

## Worship and Music Education Opportunity in Virginia

Make the commitment now to keeping worship in your congregation dynamic and invigorating as we worship the Risen Christ. The Leadership Program for Musicians can help.

The Leadership Program for Musicians (LPM) is a combined program of The Episcopal Church USA, The Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, The Presbyterian Association of Musicians and The United Church of Christ Musicians Association. It is designed to provide fundamental learning and skills in church music to church musicians, worship leaders, clergy, church leaders and any member of a congregation. Students are encouraged to engage in the entire course of study; however, students may take a single class if desired.

Classes provided in this two-year curriculum include Philosophy of Church Music, Leadership of Congregational Song, Hymnody of the Christian Church, Liturgy and Music: Foundations for Christian Worship, Principles of Choral Leadership, Resources for an Effective Music Ministry, and Teaching New Music to the Congregation.

There is a new session of LPM accepting reservations now. Classes will be held in the Richmond area beginning in September 2008. The classes encompass a combined Friday evening and Saturday over five weekends throughout the year. For more information, visit our website at <http://www.lpm-va.org>. You may also contact our LPM Coordinator, Isabelle LeSane at 804-447-1589 or [issie\\_t@comcast.net](mailto:issie_t@comcast.net).