

Clergy **Ethics** & Healthy **Boundaries**

Saturday, March 29th at the TABCOM Office

9:30 am. to 5:30 p.m.

189 Prescott St., Groton, MA 01450

A Workshop on Clergy Ethics & Healthy Boundaries For Clergy and Candidates for Ministry

**This workshop meets the guidelines for Professional Ethics required by
TABCOM for Ordination and Ministerial Standing.**

*Co-sponsored by the Conference of Baptist Ministers in Massachusetts
and the Center for Career Development and Ministry*

Workshop led by Executive Minister Rev. Mary Hamel, the American Baptist Churches of Massachusetts

ADVANCE REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

**To register, contact TABCOM
Administrator Diane Badger:
Diane.badger@comcast.net**

She will need your name,
address, phone, email and
specify any special dietary
needs you require.

Diane will give you payment
options. If you prefer to pay
by check at the workshop,
please make the \$25 check
out to TABCOM.

NOTE: The course workbook
& materials will be emailed
to you as a digital file –
please bring it with you on a
laptop or notebook.

Healthy boundaries are a gift. They are helpful guidelines that give shape to our relationships. Life-enriching relationships, whether with our spouse, family, friends, colleagues, or parishioners, require healthy boundaries.

This workshop explores the meaning and practice of healthy boundaries in the context of ministry. It will also identify the signs, dangers, and preventions of boundary violations.

Topics will include: Power and Vulnerability, Dating, Friendships, Dual Relationships, Gifts, The Pulpit, Transference, Hugging and Touch, Intimacy, Personal and Professional Health (Self-Care, Red Flags), and Social Media

The workshop fee of \$25 covers the cost of the program and lunch. To complete the class and receive CEUs or to meet the standards for Ordination and Standing, you will need to submit a 1-page reflection after attending the workshop.

A "Healthy Boundaries" workshop is suggested for ALL persons in ministry; a "refresher" every five years is also recommended.