

You are invited to attend our next

Elder Exchange

A monthly Academic Forum Discussing Issues of Christian Faith & Life

"Make the Rest of Your Days the Best of Your Days"

Emory & Idella Otto, Counselors
Thursday, April 11, 2019 6:30~8:00 p.m.
Detwiler Auditorium, VMRC

<u>The Format:</u> A thoughtful presentation will be shared, followed by two invited responders and then open group dialogue, to discern its resonance with vibrant Christian faith.

<u>Presentation Synopsis:</u> Become the person God is calling you to be while meeting the spiritual, emotional, physical and economic challenges of the harvest season of your life. This season puts you at a crossroads of decisions that will impact the rest of your life. You will be given examples of how to meet and how not to meet each of these unavoidable transitions.

Speaker Biography: The Ottos are mental healthcare practitioners and also serve as a pastoral couple for Mennonite & Brethren Marriage Encounter.

Emory graduated with a BA in psychology & bible from EMU and continued his education with an ED. M. in special education from Temple U and a M.Ed in psychology from Georgia State. Idella received her BSN in nursing from EMU and an MA in Christian counseling

Georgia State. Idella received her BSN in nursing from EMU and an MA in Christian counseling from American Christian College & Seminary. After holding a variety of nursing administrative positions for many years, she joined Emory in private practice at Family Life Counseling Services. Although now semi-retired and living at Landis Homes in Pennsylvania, they will always be grateful for EMU professor Millard Showalter's math class that prompted them to pool their efforts in solving all of their life problems!

Responders: Raymond Ramquist, Former Professor/Administrator & Resident of Park Gables, VMRC

Rowland Shank, Former Hospital Administrator & Resident of Park Place, VMRC

Moderators: Roman Miller (romanjaymiller@gmail.com)

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All are welcome - residents, friends, family, community neighbors.