

THURSDAY MAILING



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– NOW OPEN to Clergy and Lay

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SAVE THE DATE

NCP Leadership Training

January 21, 2023 - Westminster Presbyterian, DC

Taken from the National Capital Presbytery Mission Statement “We will challenge, **equip**, and support our congregations and their leaders in their discernment of God’s invitation to discipleship and stewardship as we: “**Bear public witness to the love, truth, and justice of God in Jesus Christ specifically in the areas of racism and reconciliation**” One of the ways we do this is through providing training to all our minister members, lay leaders and members and friends of NCP congregations. Ally Training provided by *Service Never Sleeps* has available seats in the **November 3—December 1** training. Use this link to register, <https://thepresbytery.org/ncp-events/>. Clergy are now eligible to sign up for this training.

Announcements:

Attention Specialized and At-Large Minister Members - It’s that time of year to submit your Annual Report and Housing Allowance Request (if applicable). **The deadline WAS Tuesday, November 1, 2022. This is the final opportunity to submit.** You should have received an email with the forms from Dina Bickel, NCP’s Administrative Coordinator. If you have not, contact Dina dbickel@thepresbytery.org

The NCP Directory is now at your fingertips! It can be accessed through ACS’ ChurchLife App – a free mobile app where you can look up fellow members contact information and see where they serve in NCP! If the app isn’t for you, view via a website. Contact Dina dbickel@thepresbytery.org to get set up.

A parish associate is a specialized teaching elder, at-large, or honorably retired teaching elder member of National Capital Presbytery who wishes to associate with a particular congregation. Does your congregation have one? If so, the parish associate relationship requires approval and/or renewal every year. The form may be found [here](#) - Questions? Ask Dina Bickel – dbickel@thepresbytery.org

We reaffirmed that all Clergy and Certified Christian Educators must attend a “**Healthy Boundaries**” training within one year of being received by the Presbytery and renewed every three years. **An Online Healthy Boundary Training** through the Convergence Learning Platform FaithLead will be available in an on-demand format by which clergy and educators can access the course 24/7 and complete it at their own pace. To register: Complete the form [here](#). You will receive an automated response immediately with a link to register for the course. Once the course is completed, send your certificate to Dina Bickel. Questions? dbickel@thepresbytery.org



Confirmation Retreat at Massanetta Springs: This retreat focuses on broader questions of why we join the Church, what we want our churches to be like, and how we can actively engage in that work. Participants will join mixed small groups to hear ideas from people from different congregations, and also have time with their home group to continue with their own lessons and curricula. Questions? Contact Colleen Earp, Program Director, at colleen@massanettasprings.org or visit <https://massanettasprings.org/programs/confirmation>.



November Birthday Greetings

Paul Bauer, HR

Bob Bell, HR

Jacob Bolton

Cameron Byrd, HR

Saul Morales-Cardona

Hun Jung Cho

Carla Gorrell, HR

Chien Di Hung

Dave Jeltema

Madeline Jervis, HR

Mary Beth Lawrence

Stella Lee

Patrick McElwaine

Nancy Neal

Stan Ott, HR

Lisa Rzepka

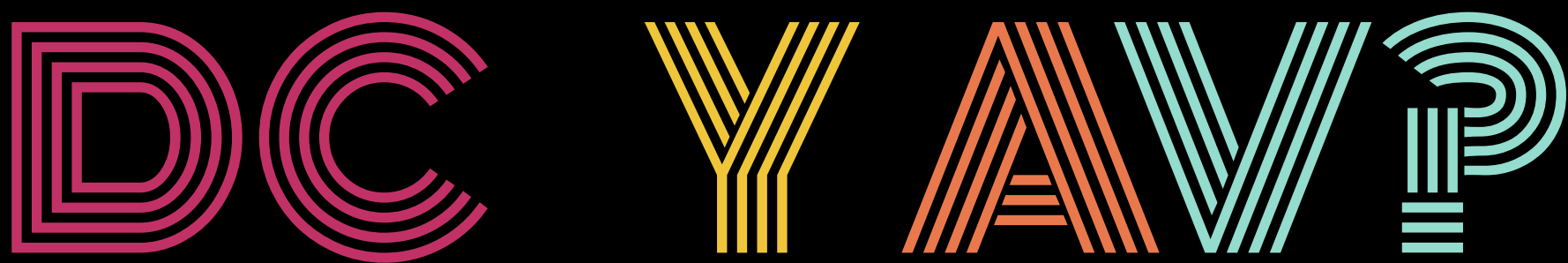
Jim Sirbaugh, HR

Tad Wicker

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WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT



PC(USA) YOUNG ADULT VOLUNTEERS

A YEAR OF SERVICE FOR A LIFETIME OF CHANGE

TO GET TO KNOW DREW AND
LUCY:

1. Invite them to your congregation!
2. Support this vital volunteer program that encourages young adults in our church to live into their calling.

Give at:

<https://bit.ly/3aIKwi6>

3. Reach out for more ways to get in touch and connect!
dcyavprogram@gmail.com





Year End - and All Year - Giving

Focuses on Tools for Success



WITH...
LAURA BROUSE-LONG

**NEW YORK AVENUE
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**

**STEWARDSHIP CHAIR
AND DIRECTOR
AT
JAMES SMITHSON
SOCIETY AND
SMITHSONIAN GIVING
CIRCLES**

**Thursday
November 17, 2022
12:00 PM via Zoom**

- **DOES YEAR-END GIVING
MATTER IN CHURCHES?**
- **HOW DO WE PROMOTE IT?**
- **WHAT ARE COMMON
AND EASY TOOLS?**

Register here



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**A NCP Stewardship
Committee Event**

THE DISMANTLING RACISM TEAM
OF NCP INVITE YOU TO

ALLY TRAINING 2022

led by Service Never Sleeps



**FINAL
TRAINING FOR
2022**

FINAL TRAINING OPPORTUNITY FOR 2022

(Training consists of TWO sessions.

Your registration confirms you will attend both)

**Wednesday, Nov 30 & Thursday, Dec 1
(6:00 pm to 9:00 pm)**

Where: **Zoom**

Who: **ALL Clergy AND Members of NCP
congregations & communities & friends of
our congregations. Want to register a
group, let us know!**

Led by Whitney Parnell, CEO and Founder of Service Never Sleeps, these sessions will provide helpful definitions, invitations to self-mirroring, and active ally education involving the CLAIM acronym: Care, Learn, Act, Influence, and Maintain. The workshops teach individuals about the causes of social injustice, how to be effective allies for marginalized communities, and how to actively influence and educate others. Our time together on Zoom will involve breakouts for practice together in pairs and small groups intermittently throughout our time of learning, so come ready to "try on" the Ally Training strategies of Service Never Sleeps.

[Register HERE](#)

Hanover Christmas



**CAMP
HANOVER**
EST. 1957

A candlelit trail winds through the woods, transporting you back in time. Along your journey, meet other travelers, shepherds, kings and angels. Immerse yourself in the greatest story ever told...

6:00 - 9:00 PM
Friday, December 9
Saturday, December 10



Open to the public, this event is suitable for all ages and physical abilities.

More than "just another live nativity," you'll experience interactive and dramatic re-enactments while leisurely strolling a candlelit wooded path.

After your journey, relax in front of the fireplace while you fellowship with others. Enjoy tasty homemade holiday treats and performances by local musicians and choral groups.

Stay as long as you like. Overnight accommodations are available. Reserve now for best selection.

For more information, visit CampHanover.org.

Winter Camp

Enjoy Camp Hanover during a different season!

For camp veterans and newcomers alike

- Wednesday, Dec 28 – Friday, Dec 30, 2022
- Open to campers in grades 5 through 12

Winter Camp, like our popular summer camp, is filled with fun, faith, and fellowship. There are just a few differences in the packing list! Even with coats and hats, campers will enjoy camp favorites such as archery, campfires, cookouts, hikes, and games.



Register online:

CampHanover.org/winter-camp

Questions?

Call (804) 779-2811

SAVE THE DATE

NATIONAL CAPITAL PRESBYTERY LEADERSHIP TRAINING

SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2023

TIME: 9AM- 4PM

- WORSHIP
- LUNCH PROVIDED
- WORKSHOPS
- FELLOWSHIP
- COACHING

Westminster Presbyterian Church

400 I Street SW
Washington, DC 20024

Sponsored by: **Black Presbyterians United &
Ministry Relations Team of NCP**

All Church Leaders Welcomed...
(and those discerning leadership)

Registration opens by November 15th

