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Greetings People,

Continued changes are in effect. We are all feeling them and trying to be prepared for them. This is hard and can be faithful discipleship. I want to highlight a few that your NCP are in the midst of now.

Witnessing the changes and re-organizing of the PCUSA Louisville organization. If you are on any zoom meetings with colleagues and leaders from the “mother ship” you will see Interim Unified Agency as the identifier. This is showing up through job loses, re-orgs of offices, and over-hauls in how we are connected. We are looking to host a Town Hall on May 20th, before the in-person Stated Presbytery Meeting, to learn what is going on and possible changes local congregations and your Presbytery office are looking at.

The current DMV reality in the lives of our church members is very present through our prayers and ministries. Your Presbytery will continue to provide Listen and Prayer (today) every first Thursday of the month and Listen and Learn on the third Thursday of the month, noon to 1pm. Contact [my desk](#) or [Dina Bickel](#) for zoom info.

The committees that work with the Unified Mission Budget that source: CATs, Refugee and Immigration needs, MissionInsite data, Dismantling Racism programming, Intercultural Ministry Support, Youth and Young Adult Ministries, College Ministries, Mission and Congregation Grants, Leadership Scholarships, Emerging Needs, etc. are working towards streamline the common grants webpage. Please be sure if you are interested in any types of Equipping Grants for Congregations, Mission, and Leadership scholarships, as available, to contact [my desk](#) or Mark Gaskill. We are currently in the process of re-doing the application and would not want folks to have to do more work than one might need to. And we would want to make sure there are funds available before you were to fill out the applications as well.

Upcoming Presbytery Wide youth and young adult activities are being posted. April 8th, the NCP wide Confirmation Information night, 7:30pm on zoom. June 1st, NCP wide Youth Gathering, 1-4pm, location TBA. The theme is on identity of praying with your feet through intentional and fun ways. We look forward to gathering together.

Peace and Courage,
Rev. Tara Spuhler McCabe