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Monday, October 13 with distribution
on Thursday, October 16.

THURSDAY MAIL

October 2, 2025



MISSIONAL, PASTORAL, PROPHETIC

National Capital Presbytery
Upcoming Events 2025/26

SEP 2	Ministry of Presence Presence in the Mission	OCT 19	Youth Event Presbytery-Wide Praying with Our Feet
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SEP 22	Action Item Dialogue To be shared via letter	NOV 21-23	Keep Awake Registration open
SEP 23	Presbytery Meeting Zoom, Community Training, Business Office	JAN 31	Leadership Training Coming soon
SEP 29	Faithful Living Zoom	FEB 3-5	Missional Incubator Immersion
OCT 5	Pastors' Hangout Social Hour	MAR 2-4	Continuing Ed. Gathering & Retreat
OCT 18	It's Not Weird Start a Compelling Missional Business		

For more information and to register -
thepresbytery.org/events
Questions?
communications@thepresbytery.org

VIDEO MESSAGE FROM GENERAL PRESBYTER: OCTOBER 18 MISSIONAL INCUBATOR EVENT FOR ALL



Rev. John Molina-Moore

National Capital Presbytery
Message from the
GENERAL PRESBYTER
October 2, 2025
October 18th Missional Incubator Event for Everyone

More detailed information
about each event, flyers and
registration may be found on
the [Events page](#) of the website

National Capital Presbytery

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PASTORS' HANGOUT

Sunday, October 5,
2025 at 7:00 PM
Mount Vernon
Presbyterian Church

Join colleagues **THIS Sunday** for fun, firepit, yard games and a time to connect with each other. Bring a snack to share and a lawn chair. Register [HERE](#).

October 2, 2025



Greetings friends,

It's really *not* that weird.

What's not that weird?

Being a church with a **Missional Business**.

Yes, you read that right. This is the conversation running through my head and shaping my work constantly. My original question was: How can our churches be salt and light both within their membership and in the broader community, while also having the *resources* to make a real **impact**?

Now, my question has evolved: Why not just try it? What's holding us back? And where can we begin?

October 18th is your invitation to join a meaningful conversation and a time of collaborative learning as we explore how churches can begin taking *first steps* toward building a **missional business**. This is not about simply making money to "save the church" or becoming a business instead of being a church. This is about **serving out of abundance**—and being the church.

If your church has ever taken part in the **Church Assessment Tool (CAT)**, then you're familiar with these top priorities that emerge again and again:

- Making necessary changes to attract families with children and youth
- Developing and implementing a comprehensive strategy to reach new people and integrate them into church life
- Creating more opportunities for meaningful relationships

Siblings in Christ, these shared hopes are not out of reach. But they do require us to ask some courageous questions: What's holding us back? What are we willing to try? What do you need to try?

Our time together on October 18th will include: listening, learning, and dreaming collaboratively. Practical tools and best practices for shifting resources and energy toward missional business initiatives. Real data about what supports congregational vitality and what hinders it. Discernment exercises to help you take actionable next steps.

We hope you'll join us on **Thursday, October 18, from 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM** at **Ridgetop Coffee and Tea** (Riverside Presbyterian Church). Register [HERE](#).

Peace and Courage,

Rev. Tara Spuhler McCabe



Currie Burris, retired
 John Chiang, retired
 Caitlin Culp
 Abigail Evans
 Nancy Fox, retired
 Patricia Futato
 Ron Hankins, retired
 Walter Harman, retired
 Glenda Simpkins Hoffman
 Haekil Kim
 Robert Long III, retired
 Peter Manning
 Joseph Matthews, retired
 Amy Schacht, retired
 Stephen Smith-Cobbs
 Katie Strednak Singer
 Ed Taylor, retired
 Holly Ulmer
 Alice Winters, retired
 Heemoon Youn, retired



UKIRK MARYLAND

Do you have students from your congregation who attend the University of Maryland at College Park? Let them know about UKirk Maryland - [ukirkmaryland](#) on Instagram share the form [HERE](#).



FROM THE OFFICE OF THE STATED CLERK

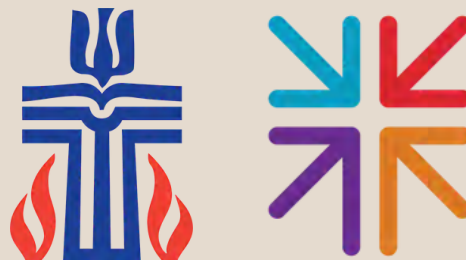
Attention **Clerks of Session!** In the coming weeks you will be receiving a few emails. One request will be for your church's **Necrology Report** - those elders who have died during the period from November 1, 2024 through October 31, 2025. All churches are asked to submit a report no later than November 3, 2025 to ensure its inclusion at the November 18th presbytery meeting. The second request will be to schedule a **Session Records Review**. Those emails will come from communications@thepresbytery.org through Constant Contact.

CHANGING SEASONS, CHANGING CLERKS?



Has your congregation elected a new Clerk of Session or updated its church office email? Have you changed your personal email address?

Let us know! Send contact information updates to communications@thepresbytery.org

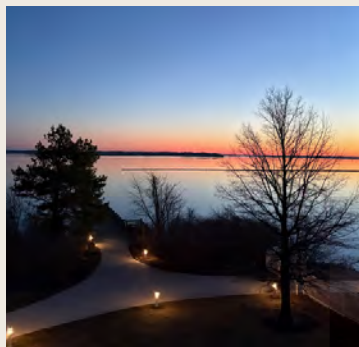


SPECIAL OFFERINGS

SPECIAL OFFERING CHANGES COMING IN 2026

As congregations plan for the year ahead, note the 226th General Assembly (2024) approved changes to the churchwide Special Offerings to take effect January 1, 2026. To learn more about the 2026 changes, click [HERE](#).

2026 CONTINUING EDUCATION GATHERING & RETREAT



We are pleased to announce that our **2026 Continuing Education Gathering & Retreat** will be back at the Hyatt Regency Chesapeake Bay in Cambridge Maryland on **March 2-4, 2026**. We will offer **early bird pricing** with the fee increasing on December 1! We are excited for our speakers **Brennan Breed**, Associate Professor of Old Testament at Princeton Theological Seminary and **Lakisha Lockhart**, Associate Professor of Christian Education and Acting Director of the Center for Womanist Leadership at Union Presbyterian Seminary. Register [HERE](#).



SONG WRITING RETREAT



THE
CENTER FOR
CONGREGATIONAL
SONG

The Center for Congregational Song is offering another one of its **song-writing retreats**. This year's retreat we're returning to Richmond, VA on October 22-25, 2025. It is an ecumenical gathering of song writers. Many are clergy or worship leaders in their local churches who would like to begin or would like to get better at writing hymns and songs of the church. Others are simply lay folks who feel called to write. The clinicians this year are renowned hymn writers Mary Louise Bringle (Brevard, NC) and Ben Brody (Spokane, WA).

You can learn all about the retreat here:
<https://congregationalsong.org/event/writing-the-church-song-2025/>

CAMP HANOVER OPPORTUNITY

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY @ **CAMP HANOVER**



Interested in serving God and others through camp ministry?

Apply now to become a Camp Hanover MVP! MVP stands for **mission, vocation, and practice**. MVPs are paid interns who live and work at Camp Hanover for nine to twelve months while developing skills to help in their futures. Applications are being accepted now for the 2025-2026 year which begins in August. Learn more at camphanover.org/about/mvp/.

MVP





National Capital Presbytery

Upcoming Events 2025/26

SEPT
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Ministry of Presence

Prayers at DC Metro Stations

SEP
8

Antiracism - Laity

Six sessions via Zoom

SEP
9

Antiracism - Clergy

Six sessions via Zoom

SEP
18

Missional Incubator

Who, What, Why

SEP
22

Action Item Dialogue

No items for action

SEP
23

Presbytery Meeting

New Commissioner Training & Business Mtg

SEP
29

Faithful Investing

Zoom

OCT
5

Pastors' Hangout

Social Hour

OCT
18

It's Not Weird

Start a Compelling Missional Business

OCT
19

Youth Event

Presbytery-Wide Praying with Our Feet

OCT
25

Allyship Training

in-person

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16

Missional Incubator

Implementation

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Presbytery Meeting

Zoom, Budget

NOV
21-23

Keep Awake

Registration open

JAN
31

Leadership Training

Coming soon

FEB
3-5

Missional Incubator

Immersion

MAR
2-4

Continuing Ed. Gathering & Retreat

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Are you a Teaching Elder in
National Capital Presbytery?

If so.....

**NCP's Teaching
Elder Care and
Nurture Team
is here for you!**

How can the TEC-N Team support you and your ministry?

Whether ministry is beautiful or hard and heartbreaking for you in this season, there are many ways that the TEC-N Team of National Capital Presbytery can support you!

Do you....

Need a Listening ear and prayer?

Need a sabbatical approved?

**Need a grant to support an event or activity for your
clergy group?**

**Need help navigating the process of getting your ministry
recognized as a validated ministry within NCP?**

**Need a grant to support individual coaching or spiritual
direction?**

**THE TEC-N TEAM IS HERE TO HELP WITH ALL
OF THIS AND MORE!**

Want more information?

Contact team co-chairs

Emma Horn

ehorn@ipcmclean.org

or

Larry Golemon

lgolemon@washingtontheocon.org

FALL

Retreat



**Join UKirk Maryland, The Humble Walk, and other
progressive campus ministries from the region on
our fall retreat at Camp Mount Luther!
Cost: \$25, scholarships available**

October 3-5, 2025



Questions? ukirkmaryland@gmail.com



Camp Mount Luther: Mifflinburg, PA

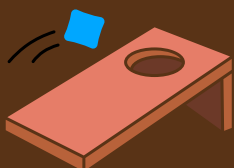
Pastors'

*Firepit, yard games &
a good time!*

Hangout

**Sunday,
October 5, 2025
7:00 PM**

Mount Vernon Presbyterian Church
2001 Sherwood Hall Lane, Alexandria VA 22300

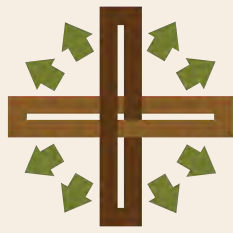


BRING A SNACK TO SHARE & A YARD CHAIR



Register [HERE](#)

Questions? - Contact John Molina-Moore - jmolinamoore@thepresbytery.org



Upcoming MISSIONAL INCUBATOR EVENTS 2025 - 2026

Explore ways to use your existing facility to create fresh expressions of church that build new communities.

All events have a suggested donation of \$10 to offset food costs unless otherwise noted.

18 **2025** **SEPT** | **WHO, WHAT, AND WHY?** Thursday, September 18, 6:00 -8:00 PM Ridgetop Coffee and Tea, Sterling, VA

The future of your church will be shaped by how you answer three simple questions:

- “Who are you here to engage and serve?”
- “What are you doing to engage your who?”
- “Why are you doing what you do?”

This evening event is designed to help you and possibly a few others from your church wrestle with the implementation of your mission as it relates to your “who”, “what”, and “why”. This will also be an opportunity to evaluate your mission plans considering your answers to the three key mission questions. For churches who are in the second round of the cohort and who bring a team, a coach will be provided to guide your table discussion at this event making this time a deeper dive into your concept as it relates to the mission. Dinner included. To reserve your spot, register [HERE](#).

18 **2025** **OCT** | **IT'S NOT WEIRD: START A COMPELLING MISSIONAL BUSINESS** Saturday, October 18, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM Ridgetop Coffee and Tea, Sterling, VA

A church starting a compelling missional business or a social enterprise, is that weird? Would Jesus turn over the tables or would Jesus be the one who greets the strangers at the door of your gym, grocery store, coffee café, bookshop, learning center, music store...? Many churches do not find the amount of giving in offering able to sustain the mission and few churches have visitors flocking into their doors. Maybe a compelling business is a path to a viable future. Lunch included. To reserve your spot, register [HERE](#).

16 **2025** **NOV** | **IMPLEMENTATION** Sunday, November 16, 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM Ridgetop Coffee and Tea, Sterling, VA

How do you go from “discernment” to “implementation”? How do you take an idea and make it a reality? Join us early at 1:30 PM for an ideation lab that will explore how to discern which idea to implement. Dinner included. To reserve your spot, register [HERE](#).

It's not **WEIRD** : Start a Compelling Missional Business



Saturday, October 18
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Ridgetop Coffee and Tea
21631 Ridgetop Cir, Sterling, VA 20166

Are you passionate about making a difference in your community?
Discover how to start a missional business that impacts lives at our upcoming workshop led by the NCP staff.

Dive into essential topics like
Community Exegesis, Non-profit Making Profit, and Case Studies.



We'll provide a solid framework and practical tools to help you succeed.
Learn what you can and can't do, along with actionable steps to move forward.

Don't miss this opportunity to turn your vision into reality.

Register HERE
and take the first step towards creating a compelling missional business!

Lunch included
(suggested \$10 donation to offset food costs)



NCP Youth Ministry Gathering for all NCP Congregations and NCP Communities

praying with our **FEET** *with Zy Bryant*



**Sunday,
October 19**

1:00 -3:30 PM

Hope Presbyterian Church

1100 Enterprise Road, Mitchellville, MD 20721

with NCP leadership

labyrinth walking

food drinks games



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Please RSVP for a headcount for activities and food

THE DISMANTLING RACISM TEAM OF
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ALLYSHIP TRAINING 2025

led by Service Never Sleeps



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Dismantling Racism

an **IN-PERSON TRAINING OPPORTUNITY**

Saturday, October 25

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

at National Presbyterian Church

Honors the Minister Member mandate and an opportunity for all employees and members of NCP churches, congregations, and partners.

Lunch

(\$10 suggested donation to offset food costs)

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: **C**are, **L**earn, **A**ct, **I**nfluence, and **M**aintain. 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 **IN-PERSON** time together 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](#)



PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

NATIONAL CAPITAL PRESBYTERY

2025 FALL GATHERING - Hybrid

Saturday, October 18, 2025, 10am to 12pm – Lunch to follow

Gaithersburg Presbyterian Church

610 S. Frederick Ave. Gaithersburg, MD 20877

Theme: PW IN THE WORLD

Speaker: Nina Khouri

**“Her experience as a PW Delegate to the
UN Commission on the Status of Women”**

Registration link:

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REFORMED
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WASHINGTON

**Reflecting on Christian Patriotism:
a Reformed Perspective**
Saturday, October 4, 2025
9:00-11:00 am (coffee 8:45)



**Join Dr. Mark Valeri at the
National Presbyterian Church**
4101 Nebraska Ave NW,
Washington, DC 20016



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RSVP

We live in a time when waving the flag and raising the cross go hand in hand for many Americans. But which one takes priority? Should Christians offer patriotic support or prophetic critique of the state in a time such as this? The Reformed tradition has engaged nations and the state in different ways over time, always asking, "What does God call this nation to be?"

Join the Reformed Institute to hear from **Dr. Mark Valeri: "Reflecting on Christian Patriotism: A Reformed Perspective."** The event takes place on Saturday, October 4, 2025 at the [National Presbyterian Church](#) in Washington, D.C. Registration and coffee begin at 8:45, program begins at 9 a.m. and ends at 11 a.m. Please RSVP below.

[Dr. Mark Valeri](#) is the Reverend Priscilla Wood Neaves Distinguished Professor of Religion and Politics at the John C. Danforth Center on Religion and Politics at Washington University in St. Louis. His areas of specialization include religion, social thought and economics in America; Reformation theology and the political history of Calvinism; Puritanism; and enlightenment moral philosophy. Dr. Valeri's latest book describes how Protestant views of other religions changed from 1650 to 1765: *The Opening of the Protestant Mind: How Anglo-American Protestants Embraced Religious Liberty* (Oxford, 2023). His book, *Heavenly Merchandize: How Religion Shaped Commerce in Puritan America* (Princeton, 2010), received the 2011 Philip Schaff Prize from the American Society of Church History. He is currently working on religious persuasion, evangelicalism, and secularism in the eighteenth century. He holds a Ph.D. from Princeton University, an M.Div. from Yale Divinity School, and a B.A. from Whitworth College.

RSVP at QR code above or visit: <https://reformedinstitute.org/christian-patriotism/> 703-232-5303



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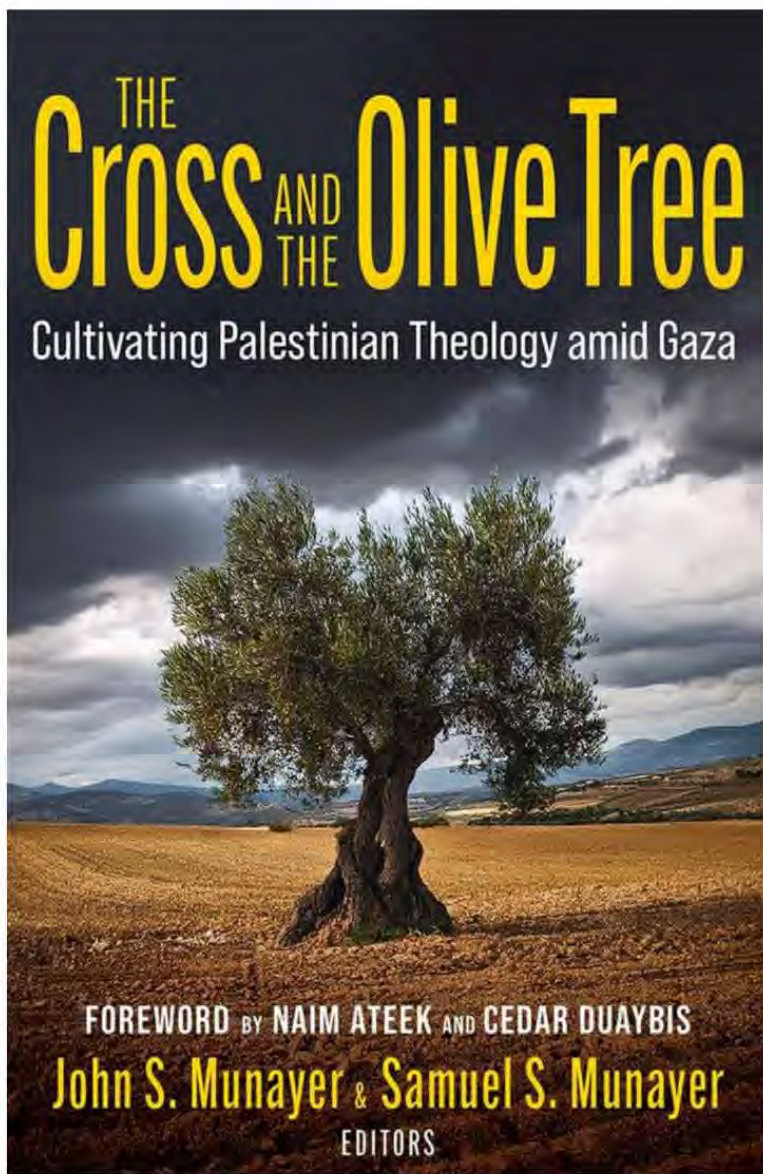
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5TH AT 10AM

**COME JOIN US AT
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**REV. BRIAN K. MCCOLLUM
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“How does one keep faith and hope alive in times of genocide? How can we bear witness to suffering, imagine a different world, and move toward reconciliation in the face of destruction? These are not abstract theological exercises — they are urgent, lived questions that the next generation of Palestinian theologians wrestle with in this groundbreaking book.”

— Rev. Mitri Rehab, founder and president,
Dar al-Kalima University,
Bethlehem, Palestine

The Cross and the Olive Tree Book Tour **with John and Samuel Munayer**

Join Palestinian theologians, John and Samuel Munayer, editors of this collection of lived theology of grandmothers and scholars, from ancient liturgies to contemporary resistance. Eight Palestinian Christian theologians offer a crucial and vibrant perspective on liberation, reconciliation, and divine imagination. Written within the heart of suffering, the cross and the olive tree interpret each other in an unwavering hope, symbols of faith and homeland.

Saturday, Oct. 11, 1:00 p.m.

**Western Presbyterian Church, 2401 Virginia Ave. NW
Washington, DC**



Special Forum with Rev. Paul Raushenbush

Immanuel Presbyterian Church
Saturday, October 25
2:00-4:30pm

“The root of the word ‘courage’ is ‘cor,’ or heart. Jesus commands us to love and transform that love into courage required to show up for one another, with one another in this time.”

President and CEO of Interfaith Alliance, **Rev. Paul Brandeis Raushenbush**, will join us at Immanuel to speak on how the church must respond to this pivotal moment in history, addressing the challenges of our time with faith and action, offering 'an invitation to courage.'



A Call to Courage.

Join us in the Immanuel Meeting House on Saturday, **October 25 at 2:00pm** for an inspiring conversation on how we can rise to the occasion and make a difference.

Questions? Please contact Pastor Blair Moorhead at bmoorhead@ipcmclean.org.

Immanuel
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office@ipcmclean.org 703-356-3042





Emmanuel Indonesian Presbyterian Church (EIPC)

United in Worship

Saturday, 25 October 2025

06:00 - 08:00 PM

2666 Military Road, Arlington, VA 22207

“Worship the Lord with gladness:
come before him with joyful songs.” (Psalm 100:2)



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Interfaith Comedy Show

Sunday, October 19 | 5:30 PM

Individual Tickets: \$20

Laugh. Connect. Build. All Are Welcome!

Join us at the Bender JCC for a night of hilarious, heartwarming comedy (from InterfaithComedy.com) that brings together voices from across our interfaith community. This special evening kicks off our “Build Bridges” initiative with laughter and connection.

Sponsorship Package available for community organizations.

For more informations, contact Lauren Dworkin at 301-348-3837 or ldworkin@benderjccgw.org.

Scan QR code to purchase tickets >>



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Ferncliff Camp & Conference Center in Little Rock, AR and online

Keynote Speaker: Rev. Andrew Black, EarthKeepers 360

Worship Leaders: Rev. Rebecca Barnes & Rev. Jocelyn Wildwright

The Future of Water

Dr. Linda K. Smith

Dam Removal/Stream Restoration

Joel Gill

**Spiritual Practices & Personal Renewal
in a Threatened Creation**

Dr. Rebecca Langer

**Water: Essential Resource for Health
Yet Vulnerable to Contamination**

Dr. Marilyn Howarth

**When the Earth Cries Out:
Disasters & Creation Care**

Rev. Edwin Gonzalez-Castillo

Soil to Soul Awakening

Joyce & James Skeet

**Applying the Precautionary Principle to
Restoring God's Water**

Dr. Thomas Pakurar

International Panel Discussion:
Rev. Jed Koball, Dr. Anne Hallum, Bishop Tom Ochuka
moderated by Rev. Dr. Patricia Tull



REGISTRATION:
presbyearthcare.org/2025-earth-care-conference





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GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

NOVEMBER 11-14, 2025



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**November
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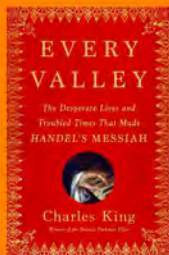
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Literary Festival

2025-2026 SEASON

CHARLES KING

NOV. 15



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SHELTON HARRIS**

FEB. 28



**JEFFREY
DALE LOFTON**

APR. 25



SATURDAYS | 2PM | READING & RECEPTION

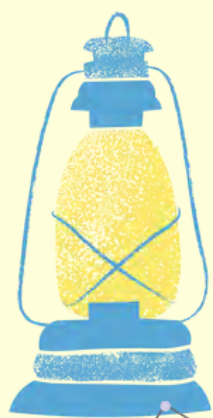
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KEEP
AWAKE!



November 21 - 23, 2025

Massanetta Springs

This is a pay-what-you're-able retreat for high school students and their leaders, centered on worship, leadership development, and small group discussion in line with PC(USA)'s Matthew 25 vision.

IMPORTANT DATES

Monday 10/6/25: group holds expire

Monday 11/10/25: final day to register

Register your church group [HERE](#)

Questions? Contact Colleen Earp

540-434-3829 - colleen@massanettasprings.org

Contact NCP's Tara Spuhler McCabe -

tspuhlermccabe@thepresbytery.org

AFTER your church has registered.



Font & Faith is coming to Richmond!

INTERGENERATIONAL FAMILY DAY

November 8, 2025

Union Presbyterian Seminary

10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Is *worshiping* with your child a *joy*?
Do you want *your child's prayer life* to be more
than meals and bedtime?



Spend a day with us and your family
● children, parents, grandparents, caregivers
-- however your family is configured ●

exploring new ways to
*nurture your child's faith
through worship and prayer
*experience intergenerational
learning

Let us partner with you on the
journey of baptismal living.

What to do next...

We have 50 spaces for families.
including children up to 12 years old.
Use the QR Code to apply to participate.
All supplies, lunch, and snacks are provided.
More information is available on our website.
Spaces will fill. Apply now!



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LIGHT OF NATIONS

2025

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

THEME: "She will give birth
to a son, and you are to give
him the name Jesus, because
he will save his people from
their sins." Matthew 1:21

GUEST PREACHER:
**RULING ELDER AND FORMER
MODERATOR, SHANI MCILWAIN**

VENUE: CHURCH OF THE COVENANT
2666 MILITARY ROAD, ARLINGTON,
VIRGINIA 22207

**DEC. 6TH, 2025
5PM**

FOR ANY ENQUIRY PLEASE CONTACT

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**MASSANETTA SPRINGS
2026 PROGRAM DATES**

Confirmation Retreat

1/30-2/1

Ringling at the Springs

2/13-15

Netta Day Camp: Spring at the Springs

3/30-4/3

Easter Respite

4/6-10

Netta Day Camps

9 weeks starting 6/8

Middle School Conferences

6/18-21, 6/23-26, 7/9-12, 7/14-17

Bible & Church Music Conference

7/19-25

Called Together

7/27-30

Keep Awake

11/20-22



Massanetta Springs

