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The IRS set the mileage reimbursement rate for 2022 as 58.5

cents/mile for business use and 14 cents per mile for volunteers.

The Terms of Call form and the Minister Report has been updated on the website (under Clerk of Session tab and "more...").

UPDATE: Donations to help Afghan Refugees

Donations

After consulting with Grand Oak Mission, [there is a new plan for donations](#) Grand Oak Mission has agreed to help us by accepting donations on behalf of IISMO during their operational hours (see below). This includes all items **EXCEPT** furniture. If you have furniture to donate, please contact Charlotte (Charley) Blair, 636-686-0232, blairc@iistl.org to set up a time to put it in a separate storage unit that is near our office. IISMO does not accept clothing donations; however, you can donate them to Grand Oak Mission where our clients have access to them.

Grand Oak Mission Center

2854 W Grand St
(417) 869-4818

Days & Hours of Operation

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Charlotte (Charley) Blair

Community Outreach & Housing Specialist

She / her / hers | (636)686-0232 | blairc@iistl.org

International Institute of Southwest Missouri | (417)720-1552 | 1114 E Commercial St

Deadline to give your church's guestimate for possible youth for Triennium January 14!

The Mission & Nurture committee is responsible for planning John Calvin Presbytery's participation in Presbyterian Youth Triennium. The 2022 event will be held in Indianapolis, in July.

The presbytery believes that Triennium is a great opportunity for youth in our churches. You can see much more about Triennium [here](#). Triennium suggests the guideline that the youth's family pays 1/3 of the cost, the church pays 1/3, and the presbytery pays 1/3 of the costs of the event. The presbytery is already working on transportation and adult chaperones. That's where we need your help!

So that we are good stewards of our mission dollars, we need to know how many seats we need to provide. Please [click here](#) to enter the number of youth you think might go. It doesn't have to be exact. It isn't binding. It will, however, help us plan.

If you don't have any youth going, we'd appreciate if you click into the survey and enter that number.

We would appreciate having your response by Friday, January 14. On behalf of the Mission & Nurture committee of John Calvin Presbytery, we thank you for the many ways you support the presbytery.

JANUARY 25 at 7 p.m.
PNC Training via Zoom
Contact Malinda
mspencer@jcpresbytery.com

Church locations needed to host boundaries training in 2022!

The host church usually provides minimal gathering hospitality and lunch.

Trainings will occur in various locations through the end of September.

Please contact Malinda Spencer if your church is willing to host.

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The Epistle lesson for **Sunday, January 23**, is 1 Corinthians 12 : 12 – 31
*“For just as the body is one and has many members,
and all are members of the body...”*

This Scripture exemplifies the concept of Per Capita as a way that all parts of the church are parts of one body. In addition, a reminder of the work of Per Capita at the beginning of the year offers good opportunities for conversation and planning regarding meeting requests for Per Capita contributions to General Assembly, synod and presbytery.

For a variety of tools and resources to observe this new Special Emphasis Sunday,

Resources for Special Emphasis Sunday

The Presbyterian Mission Agency is offering two webinars in January for any PC(USA) leader with educational debt. Webinars will be focused on the changes in Public Service Loan Assistance

(<https://studentaid.gov/manage-loans/forgiveness-cancellation/public-service>)

and how these changes could affect PC(USA) leaders. Because of a change to religious worker exclusion rules made in July 2021

(<https://studentaid.gov/manage-loans/forgiveness-cancellation/public-service>)

and the recently announced “Limited Opportunity Waiver,”

(<https://studentaid.gov/announcements-events/pslf-limited-waiver>)

PC(USA) leaders who may not have previously qualified for qualified for Public Service Loan Forgiveness could have their loans forgiven much sooner than expected.

Any PC(USA) is welcome to join either webinar. Student Loan experts from PeopleJoy will present the material and will be available to answer general questions.

To find out more visit: [MANAGING EDUCATIONAL DEBT](#)

Live simultaneous interpretation will be provided in Spanish and Korean.

Save the Date!
Spirit of Stewardship
Conference



Keynote Speakers:

Joe Park, CFRE
CEO & Principal
Horizons Stewardship

Scott McKenzie Ph.D., CFRE
Partner and Sr. Vice President
Horizons Stewardship

Worship Leader:

Rev. Laura Frazey
Pastor/Head of Staff
Covenant Presbyterian Church,
Wichita, KS

When:

Friday and Saturday
March 4-5, 2021

Where:

Location in Kansas City, MO
to be announced

Pre-Conference Seminar:

Broken Expectations

**Plenary: *Disciplines of Financially Thriving Churches:
Year-Round Stewardship***

Make plans to attend this regional stewardship event seeking to nurture, educate, and inspire faithful financial discipleship and promote meaningful holistic approaches to stewardship.

Sponsors:

Presbyteries of Heartland, Missouri Union, Northern Kansas, and Southern Kansas

Prayers Requested

- The congregations of John Calvin Presbytery...
- **All churches seeking** a new pastor, to understand God's call moving forward.
 - First Presbyterian Church, Aurora, Missouri
 - First Presbyterian Church, Carthage, Missouri
 - First Presbyterian Church, Chanute, Kansas
 - Crane Presbyterian Church, Crane, Missouri
 - First Presbyterian Church, Fort Scott, Kansas
 - St. Andrew Presbyterian Church @Hideaway, Galena, Missouri
 - St. Andrew Presbyterian Church, Kimberling City, Missouri
 - First Presbyterian Church, Rolla, Missouri
 - First Presbyterian Church, Sarcoxie, Missouri
 - First Presbyterian Church, Scammon, Kansas
 - The Presbyterian Church of Pittsburg - seeking temporary supply
 - Willard-Mt. Zion Presbyterian Church, Willard, Missouri

- JCPDA
- JC Living Waters Mission Team
- All Pastors of John Calvin Presbytery

Prayer submissions will remain on the prayer list for two weeks,
unless an update is received.

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