

JOHN CALVIN Presbytery

Notices

June 10, 2021

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Prayers Requested

- The congregations of John Calvin Presbytery...
- For all who suffer in body, mind, or spirit, that they may know the peace that passes all human understanding in Jesus Christ our Lord....
- All churches seeking a new pastor, to understand God's call moving forward.
First Presbyterian Church, Carthage, Missouri
First Presbyterian Church, Chanute, Kansas
Crane Presbyterian Church, Crane, Missouri
Community Presbyterian Church, Forsyth, Missouri
St. Andrew Presbyterian, Kimberling City, Missouri
First Presbyterian Church, Nevada, 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
- Sarah Roberts, health concerns, wife of Matthew Roberts. The Reverend Matthew Roberts is pastor of Woodland Heights Presbyterian Springfield
- Britney Shurtz, thought to be headed for remission but now is undergoing a very strong chemo therapy.. Britney is the daughter-in-law of the Reverends Charley and JayE Shurtz. Charley is serving as pastor of St. Andrew @Hideaway.

Creative Ministry Grant deadline June 15

John Calvin Presbytery sets aside funds to help congregations do mission in new and creative ways. These funds come directly from 10% of the Shared Mission donations and one half of the offerings given at the presbytery meetings.

EMERGENCY NEEDS GRANT

The 'Emergency Needs Grant', in response to COVID-19, is still available from JCP. Click on the box above to learn more.

In Case You Missed It..... "News from Presbytery Meeting"

Video of the Seven Marksof Vital
Congregations

Greeting Video from GA Co-Moderator

Sermon "What Does It Mean To Be
Vital?"

By clicking on the box below, you can find the report from the Pastoral Presbyter about Vital Congregations, on the website. Feel free to use it in your church's newsletter.

Pastoral Presbyter's Report - Vital
Congregations

Resources from Craig Howard of the Presbyterian Foundation:

Online Giving

www.presbyterianfoundation.org/onlinegiving

Stewardship Navigator

www.stewardshipnavigator.org

Church Financial Leadership Academy sponsored by the Presbyterian Foundation.

The registration code is "PCUSA"

<https://www.presbyterianfoundation.org/cfla/>

JCP will have a new mailing address!

Beginning June 1, 2021 all remittances for Per Capita, Shared Mission and Special Offerings should be mailed to:

John Calvin Presbytery
P. O. Box 1394
Ozark, MO 65721-1394

[Work Engagement Survey Invitation:](#)

Help LeaderWise understand your experiences throughout the pandemic.



Dear Faith Leader,

You have played a critical role in your ministry setting and community during the COVID-19 pandemic. Like health care personnel, many of you have been on the front lines as you minister to the sick, grieve with those who have lost a loved one, and find new ways to help people in your ministry grow spiritually. You've had to adapt and learn technology in ways you couldn't possibly have imagined. And yet maybe you've also experienced unexpected blessings in the midst of unprecedented times.

In light of the unique circumstances of this past year, LeaderWise is working to gain a clearer understanding of the experiences of people in ministry, including how they currently view their work. In an effort to continue our mission of providing counseling and consulting for lives of service, we are asking you to give 10 minutes to complete an anonymous survey that will allow us to understand your experiences, and, in turn, provide more relevant services.

You will not give your name or other information that would allow you to be individually identified, so please provide honest answers about your vocation-related attitudes. Participation is voluntary, and the answers provided will assist our work at LeaderWise. To participate, please visit the survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/787LR9C>.

We're grateful for your participation.

Blessings,
Mark Sundby
Executive Director
LeaderWise
www.leaderwise.org

APPLICATION TO SERVE AS AN ELDER OR MINISTER COMMISSIONER TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PCUSA FROM JOHN CALVIN PRESBYTERY

JCP will need a female ruling elder, a male teaching elder, and a YAAD (young adult advisory delegate) who must be at least 17 years of age and not more than 24 years of age, on June 18, 2022.

The application **must reach** the Nominating Committee by **August 6, 2021**. Please send the completed application to gwilson@jcpresbytery.com

Application to Serve as GA Commissioner 2022

225th General Assembly (2022)
Website

225th General Assembly (2022)
Docket

COVID-19 Mitigation Strategies for Choir

BOUNDARIES TRAINING....

The Committee on Ministry voted that all ministers serving churches in JCP are required to attend training. This includes the pulpit supply list, and anyone preaching regularly in congregations.

If you would like to host a training, please contact Malinda. We would like to provide at least one more training besides the two that are shown below.

Malinda Spencer
Pastoral presbyter
John Calvin Presbytery
417-437-6748 (c) mspencer@jcpresbytery.com

Boundaries Training at First Presbyterian Church of Iola, Kansas, August 17, 10 – Noon

We will have lunch, provided by the host church, at the conclusion of the training.
We will follow the CDC current safety guidelines.

Please register for the training by clicking the button below

[Register Here - Boundaries - Iola Kansas](#)

Boundaries Training at First Presbyterian Church of Joplin, Missouri, September 22, at 10 a.m.

We will have lunch, provided by the host church, at the conclusion of the training.
We will follow the CDC current safety guidelines.

Please register for the training by clicking the button below

[Register Here - Boundaries - Joplin, Missouri](#)



Church Financial LEADERSHIP Grant Program

Contact Us..... How can we help?

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PULPIT SUPPLY for a minister leading worship and preaching for a congregation as a visiting minister should ordinarily receive \$125.00, plus the IRS approved mileage amount per vouchered mile (2021 IRS rate \$0.56 per mile) for one worship service. If two (2) services are required the honorarium is \$160.00 plus mileage. If overnight lodging is required, motel and meals should be provided at the church's expense. The honorarium for moderating a session or congregational meeting is \$60 plus the IRS approved mileage rate per vouchered mile.

[Click here for full pulpit supply list](#)