



## Notices

January 17, 2020

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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, Aurora, Missouri  
First Presbyterian Church, Chanute, Kansas  
Crane Presbyterian Church, Crane, Missouri  
First Presbyterian Church, Sarcoxie, Missouri  
First Presbyterian Church, Scammon, Kansas
- JCPDA
- JC Living Waters Mission Team
- All Pastors of John Calvin Presbytery
- Britney Shurtz, cancer treatments, daughter-in-law of Charley Shurtz.  
Charley is pastor at St. Andrew @ Hideaway

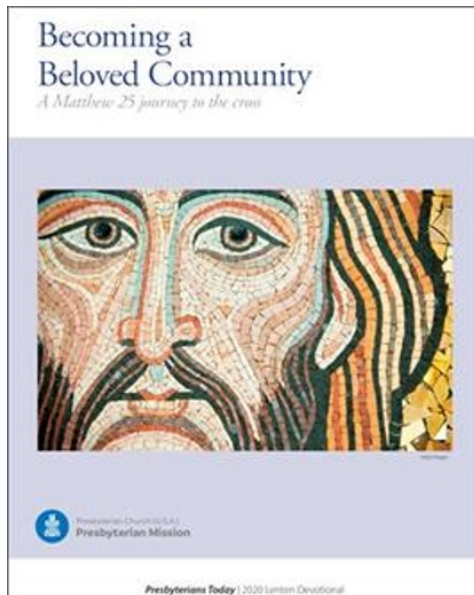
## BOUNDARIES TRAINING

All ministers serving congregations are required to complete boundaries training annually. A few opportunities are scheduled on different days, times, and locations, to make it possible for everyone to attend.

**If you would like to host a training for your area, please contact Malinda.**

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## Presbyterians Today 2020 Lenten Devotional

### Becoming a Beloved Community: A Matthew 25 journey to the cross

This year's Lenten devotional invites us on a thought-provoking journey to see firsthand how Jesus' words to "feed the hungry" and "clothe the naked" still change lives today.

The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. spoke of "beloved community" to describe a society where everyone has their needs met. In "Becoming a Beloved Community," we discover how needs are met when selfless love breaks down racial barriers, gives voice to the voiceless and feeds

hungry hearts, souls and bodies.

Readers are treated to beautiful ancient Christian mosaics throughout the devotional. Just the way mosaics are constructed, we are invited to reflect on how our little tile piece could be added to contribute another dimension to the beloved community where we live.

This devotional itself is also a reflection of a beloved community. It features prayers and reflections by 19 ordained ministers, chaplains, lay pastors and ruling elders from the Presbytery of the Pacific. While the stories they share differ, they all have this in common: a passion for following Jesus. The excitement and commitment found on the pages of "Becoming a Beloved Community" are contagious.

"Becoming a Beloved Community" is perfect for congregations, families and individuals.

# Apollos Scholarships

2020 applications now being accepted



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1. An individual who possesses qualities of excellence for ministry
2. A member of a Presbyterian Church (USA) congregation
3. Currently under the care of a Presbytery as an Inquirer or a Candidate
4. Accepted or enrolled as a full-time student in the Master of Divinity, Master of Arts or Dual degree program in one of the nine Presbyterian seminaries

**DEADLINE April 15, 2020**

## Save the Date!

### Stewardship Kaleidoscope 2020 Currents of Faith: Stewardshift



Stewardship  
**Kaleidoscope**  
Real Tools for Real Ministry



**STAY TUNED! (and get ready)**

While we can't unveil all the details just yet, we can say ...

**SAVE THIS DATE**  
**September 21-23, 2020**

**Registration will open on March 1, 2020!**

**We hope to see you in Cincinnati!**

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