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Please mail all remittances
Per Capita, Shared Mission and special offerings to:
John Calvin Presbytery
P. O. Box 1394
Ozark, Missouri 65721-1394

Download Per Capita and Shared Mission Remittances for churches

**Download Expense Vouchers** 

#### **BOUNDARIES TRAINING**

Trinity Presbyterian Church, Shell Knob, Missouri on June 15, at 10:00 a.m. Includes lunch afterward at SS Dockside, provided by host church.

Register Here for Training at Shell Knob

First Presbyterian Church, Parsons, Kansas on July 13, at 12:00 p.m. Beginning with lunch provided by host church.

Register Here for Training at Parsons

First Presbyterian Church, Joplin, Missouri on August 17, at 12:00 p.m.

Beginning with lunch provided by host church.

Register Here for Training at Joplin

Springfield location information (date, time, place) coming soon!

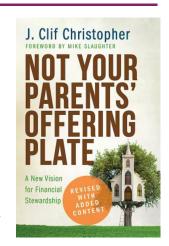
The Committee on Ministry voted that all ministers serving churches in JCP are required to attend training. This includes the pulpit supply list, and anyone preaching regularly in congregations.

## Not Your Parents' Offering Plate Book Study

Pastors, please join your pastoral colleagues for a study of Clif Christopher's book, *Not Your Parents' Offering Plate.* 

The presbytery will offer two, time choices:
Four (4) Tuesdays at 1 pm May 10-31, OR
Four (4) Wednesdays at 7 pm May 11-June 1
Each session will last 50 minutes.
It is best if you attend the same time slot all four times.

Please order the book from your preferred source. At this writing, it is \$9 or less, plus shipping. The 2015 edition is the one we'll use for our discussion.





### **Board of Pensions Information**

Care Navigation

Mental Health Resources

Sabbath Sabbatical Support Grants

Federal Student Loan Forgiveness Program

# Stewardship Kaleidoscope 2022

Early bird deadline is August 1

Excellent study leave experience! Scholarships are available

### **Creative Ministry Grants for 2022**

We are now accepting applications for the Creative Ministry Grants for 2022. The application deadline is June 15, 2022. The application and criteria is available on the website, <a href="mailto:here">here</a>. Please contact Gail (<a href="mailto:gwilson@jcpresbytery.com">gwilson@jcpresbytery.com</a>) if you have questions.

### FREE!!

Crane Presbyterian Church has
22 Mauve (not blue as in the picture) Choir Robes
with reversible stoles.

Anyone interested in them or know someone who would like them please contact
Linda Holt jlholt7889@gmail.com
Jane Huffstetler huffstetlerjane48@gmail.com





For these Presbytery Summer Activities...

Gather & Grow (@ Shoalkirk) <mark>June 26–28</mark> Learn & Serve (in Springfield) July 28–31

More details to follow!

### Updates from International Institute of Southwest Missouri

#### WRD 2022

The celebration of World Refugee Day is fast approaching! I have attached a flyer to this email that you can share with others in the community. We have decided to host both the soccer tournament and the park party in the afternoon from 1:00 PM to 6:00 PM as there

will be festivities for Juneteenth in the morning and evening.

If you would like to volunteer for this event, please sign up using the link below

WRD 2022 Volunteer Sign Up <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/mrM8Ns6GyN">https://forms.office.com/r/mrM8Ns6GyN</a>

#### **DONATIONS**

I will be passing off my hat to Romal Noori who will be in charge of coordinating any future donations and answering any questions related to donations. You can reach him by email (noorir@iistl.org) or by calling the office and asking for him by name. Additionally, I have attached the list of donations that IISMO accepts to this email for all to reference.

Please keep in mind that IISMO can only accept certain items in good condition, and the need for certain items changes over time.

We are currently filled to the brim with large items, so we cannot accept any furniture donations at this time. With that being said, there is a donations form that you can fill out if you have a large item (such as furniture) to donate.

IISMO Donations Form <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/umdVMkBdAH">https://forms.office.com/r/umdVMkBdAH</a>

#### REPORTING

I have made some changes to the form that will hopefully help all volunteers in the future. As such, I would like to state or remind all volunteers of the following:

- 1. The weekly form is not a good communication tool. If you have a question, it is best to email me.
- 2. It is best to submit the form within same month as volunteer services. You can do this after every time you volunteer, once a week or once a month. If you do not submit the form within the same month, please specify in the comments section at the end of the form.
- 3. Use one name and one spelling for all volunteer reports. This helps me count how many people have been actively involved in a certain month. For example, my name is Charlotte, but most people call me Charley. It is important that I choose one name and stick with it.
- 4. Do not combine reports. Please only submit one report for one person.
- 5. Every question besides the first two and the last question should be answered with a whole number. Please do not put numbers or letters in those responses.

If you volunteer with IISMO, we ask that you take 5–10 minutes once per week or several times per month to record your experience(s) using a form that we have created to track volunteer services. Volunteer Form <a href="https://forms.office.com/r/cu1QP9Lfns">https://forms.office.com/r/cu1QP9Lfns</a>

### **REMINDERS**

#### Foodback

If you would like to share your experience with IISMO, I invite you to fill out the following survey. This is an anonymous review, but you can leave your name in the comments section at the end if you wish to do so.

Volunteer Feedback https://forms.office.com/r/XggixP4saB

#### Charlotte (Charley) Blair

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# 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

The Presbyterian Church of Pittsburg - seeking temporary supply First Presbyterian Church, Sarcoxie, Missouri First Presbyterian Church, Scammon, Kansas

- JCPDA
- JC Living Waters Mission Team
- · All Pastors of John Calvin Presbytery
- · Cindy Oster, continued prayers. Thanks be to God for good news, and prayers for ongoing treatment. Cindy is the wife of Commissioned Ruling Elder, Tim Oster serving as pastor of Bethany Presbyterian Church of Joplin, Missouri
- · Ann Bergset, healing from surgery, comfort from pain, hope for the future. Ann is the daughter of Committee on Ministry moderator, Reina Daleske.

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

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