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Presbytery-wide Advent Study via Zoom
December 2, 9, 16, 23 at 7:00 pm

Christmas in the Four Gospel Homes

By Cynthia M. Campbell

How might a house look for Christmas based on what each Gospel says about it? In *Christmas in the Four Gospel Homes*, beautiful illustrations from architect Kevin Burns reimagine each of the four Gospels as a “house,” which the church visits at Christmas. In each section, Cynthia M. Campbell reflects on the distinctive perspective of the birth of Jesus or the incarnation offered by each Gospel. Suitable for individual or group study, *Christmas in the Four Gospel Homes* creatively reimagines the season and inspires new and exciting reflection for Advent.

Register now for this upcoming study. Order books early to insure delivery before the end of November. For information on how to order books and receive the quantity discounts available and pricing, email Celeste Dahlgren at patchespasturellc@yahoo.com.

Register for the Advent Bible Study

CLERKS' MEETINGS Review of Minutes and Rolls & Registers

REGISTER NOW - CHURCH BOOK REVIEW!!

[View and Download the 'To Do List'](#)

CLERKS, PLEASE **REGISTER NOW** for the meeting of your choice:

In-Person Meeting:

Joplin—Saturday, October 30 @ 10 a.m.
First Presbyterian Church (509 S. Pearl)

The Role of the Personnel Committee and the Task of Leadership

Tuesday, November 9 - 6:30 - 7:45 p.m.

A training workshop for your church's personnel committee

Please register by November 1

Register - Role of the Personnel Committee and the Task of Leadership

204th Stated Meeting of Presbytery

Saturday, November 6th

9 a.m.

“History: It's Not Just the Past!”

First Presbyterian Church Neosho, Missouri and pastor, Reverend Will Lee, hosts our meeting by Zoom.

The author of “Canoeing the Mountains... The Reverend Dr. Tod Bolsinger-brings a

message for our times. We'll examine a pastor, dissolve a church and learn about our records from David Staniunas of the Presbyterian Historical Society.

Remember to have your Communion elements ready, Holy Communion will be observed during worship.

[Register Here for 204th Stated Meeting of Presbytery](#)

New Deadline for Filled Disaster Buckets

For filled buckets, you may take them to one of these locations within the Presbytery; Hillcrest Presbyterian Church, 818 E. Norton Rd., Springfield, Missouri or First Presbyterian Church, 509 S. Pearl, Joplin, Missouri.

Please deliver your buckets to one of these sites BEFORE, NOVEMBER 10th, 2021, so they can be **counted**, (if more than 60 buckets are donated then we will have to borrow Todd Morriss' trailer) collected and delivered to Ferncliff Camp.

[Download the Disaster Bucket Information](#)



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Women's Word

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We have four (4) planning calendars available to anyone needing a calendar.

If you are interested, please contact
Gail Wilson
gwilson@jcpresbytery.com or
call or text at 417-838-4402



Thank You!

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I would like to add a very special thank you for all presbytery does for our church and community. The work you do in providing these grants is such a blessing for so many people. I have seen how this work has impacted the lives of people within our community. The Covid Pandemic and its effects have resulted in many good changes. People in our community are becoming closer and are changing the ways they feel about things. People that you would never expect to help anyone are now volunteering to help work our food lines and are thoughtful and caring for others.

Sincerely,

Debbie Fraski
Member of Crocker Presbyterian Church

On behalf of First Presbyterian Church of Aurora, the Deacons would like to thank you for approving our Emerging Grant for \$2,500.00 which will be used to help pay sewer bills for those in our community in need! This will help many families in the Aurora area! Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

Praying that God brings you many blessings for your kindness!
The Deacon Board and congregation First Presbyterian Church, Aurora, Missouri

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Prayers Requested

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

- **The congregations of John Calvin Presbytery...**
- **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
First Presbyterian Church, Fort Scott, Kansas
St. Andrew @Hideaway Presbyterian, Galena, Missouri
St. Andrew Presbyterian, 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**
- **Sarah Roberts, health concerns, wife of Matthew Roberts.** The Reverend Matthew Roberts is pastor of Woodland Heights Presbyterian Springfield
- **Marcia Davis, complete healing. Marcia will be undergoing surgeries to stabilize and then permanently fix her broken leg.** Macia is the wife of the Reverend Daniel Davis. Daniel is the pastor of First Presbyterian Iola, Kansas

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