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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](#)

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DISASTER CLEAN UP BUCKET TIME.....

Please take your filled buckets,
by October 16th to:

First Presbyterian Church
509 South Pearl, Joplin, Missouri
office number 417-624-2433
email: fpc@fpcjoplin.com

Or

Hillcrest Presbyterian Church
818 Norton Road, Springfield, Missouri
Office number: 417-833-1746
email: hillcrestchurch@gmail.com

Cleanup Bucket List of Items:

- 1 — 5-gallon bucket with resealable lid*
- 5 — scouring pads
- 7 — sponges, assorted sizes
- 1 — scrub brush
- 1 — pkg. cleaning towels (18 reusable, like Easy Wipes®)
- 1 — box dry laundry detergent, 50-78 oz.
- 1 — liquid concentrated household cleaner (like Lysol®), 12 oz.
- 1 — bottle liquid disinfectant dish soap (like Dawn®), 24-28 oz.
- 1 — 1 pkg. clothespins, 48-50 Clothesline, two 50 ft. or one 100 ft.
- 5 — dust masks
- 2 pair — latex gloves (like Playtex®)
- 1 pair — work gloves
- 1 — 24 to 28 count roll heavy-duty trash bags (30-45 gallon, remove from carton)
- 1 — bottle insect repellent (pump, drops or lotion; not aerosol), 6-9 oz.

Please purchase all liquids in plastic bottles. Send only new, unopened materials. Put all items in the plastic bucket, packed securely to avoid damage during shipment, and seal lid with packing tape.

*Some local fast-food restaurants are willing to give pickle buckets (or other 5-gallon buckets with re-sealable lids) or offer them for a small fee. These can be washed out and used for the cleanup buckets.

The bucket collection will be delivered to Ferncliff camp in the Presbytery of Arkansas by Toni and Grant Spieth.

[John Calvin Presbytery thanks all who will have a role in this ministry.](#)

Only One More Clerk of Session Meeting!

Clerks of Session (or your substitute), register below or contact Beth Kick (bkick@jcpresbytery.com; 417-425-7604) to attend one of these meetings to complete the annual review of session minutes and rolls & registers:

Saturday, October 1 (10 a.m.–Noon)
First Presbyterian Church, Joplin, Missouri

[Register Here for One of the Review Dates](#)



OUR 2022 INTERNATIONAL PEACEMAKER Furzan Zumot

Fursan grew up in the Anglican church in Amman, Jordan. His studies were initially in accounting but, following a short career in banking, he sensed a call to ministry in 2003. That same year he began working with the deaf community. After becoming ordained in the Anglican Church and serving several parishes in Jordan, a struggle with doctrinal and ritual questions led him to apply to the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land (ELCJHL), the Presbyterian Church (USA)'s partner denomination in the region. He has served the ELCJHL since 2014. In addition to serving as pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, Fursan uses his training and experience in communication with the hearing-disabled as ELCJHL as pastor for the deaf and serves the Church's Ecclesiastical Court of Appeals in the capacity of judge. He is married to Rawan Zu`mot, a pharmacist, and they have a 2½-year-old daughter.

[Scheduled Events](#)

Friday, September 30, 2:00 p.m., MSU–West Plains, Carol Silvey Student Union in Hass–Darr Hall, 201 Garfield, West Plains, Missouri. 5:30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, Fellowship Hall, 112 South Aid Avenue, West Plains, Missouri.

Saturday, October 1, 10:00 a.m., Presbyterian Women Fall Gathering at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1551 East Portland, Springfield, Missouri

Saturday, October 1, casual conversation at 5p.m., formal presentation at 5:30 p.m. dinner at 6:00 p.m. (please RSVP John Nipper, drnip@aol.com) at Willard–Mt. Zion Presbyterian Church, 800 AB Highway, Willard, Missouri

Sunday, October 2, 9:00 a.m., worship leadership at Ozark Prairie (Brick) Presbyterian Church, 15032 Lawrence 2077, Mt. Vernon, Missouri. 11:30 a.m., worship leadership at Ozark Presbyterian Church, 1932 East State Highway 14, Ozark, Missouri.

Monday, October 3, optional dinner at 4:30 p.m., at Chicken Mary's (1133 East 600th Avenue, Pittsburg, Kansas. 6:30 p.m., Program at the Presbyterian Church of Pittsburg, 520 North Pine, Pittsburg, Kansas

Equipping the Saints

When: Sunday, October 22, 2022 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Where: Ozark Prairie (Brick) Presbyterian Church
15032 Lawrence 2077
Mt. Vernon, Missouri 65712

Come bask in the warm fellowship of John Calvin Presbytery. Enjoy lunch, family-friendly activities, and connecting with friends old and new. Soak up the blessings of our beautiful setting! Come for all, or just the part that work for you.

[Please register below.](#)

Register for Equipping the Saints

FALL BIBLE STUDY
ALL ARE WELCOME TO JOIN US!!
October 4, 11 & 18 at 7:00 pm via Zoom

We will be using the PCUSA curriculum Follow Me: Biblical Practices for Faithful Living. The unit used for this four-week study is entitled:

Hope

Hope is waiting in faith. It is not merely wishing for something to happen or hoping everything will work out if the stars align. Hope is waiting with anticipation—at times, with impatience—for what you know and believe is coming. In Hebrew, the word for rope and hope are the same. Hope is something outside ourselves that tethers us to safety and helps us keep going, even when we can't see our way.

Books may be ordered from the PCUSA Store. The cost is \$8.00 per book plus s/h. If able, churches could possibly do a group order to reduce the shipping cost. The link to order the study materials is:

<https://www.pcusastore.com/Products/FM0405/hope.aspx?bCategory=FMAD>

If you have any questions about ordering books, please email Celeste Dahlgren at patchespasturellc@yahoo.com

Register for the Bible Study Here

This Saturday, October 1 and Sunday, October 2
150th Anniversary of Service to God – Ozark Presbyterian

On October 1 and 2, Ozark Presbyterian Church will be celebrating 150 years of service to God. On Saturday, October 1, the celebration starts at 4 pm with food, music, fun, and stories in our picnic pavilion. On Sunday, October 2, we will give thanks to God for the mission and ministry of Jesus Christ throughout the life of our congregation in worship starting at 11:30 am. Both events will be at our church 1932 State HWY 14, Ozark, Missouri. To help us with providing food, please rsvp the church office, 417-581-6988.



PRESBYTERIAN
WOMEN

Presbyterian Women's Fall Gathering and Workshop will be held at Westminster Presbyterian Church, 1551 East Portland, Springfield, Missouri on **Saturday, October 1, 2022**. Click here to download the registration

We are so hopeful of seeing you and your PW friends there for a day of worship, education, and fellowship. Visiting with old friends and new friends is always such a special time for the

women of John Calvin Presbytery.

Please note the deadline for registration and bring the whole "Gang".

"Do Good, Rejoice, Pray and Give Thanks"

Host Church: Westminster Presbyterian Church

1551 East Portland, Springfield, MO 65804

West Parking Lot and South curbside.

9:30 Registration in the narthex

Light breakfast In the choir room (north end of hallway)

10:00 Meeting begins in the sanctuary, main level.

Mission recipient is Gathering Friends (more information at the event.)

FREE
CHAMBER MUSIC
CONCERT

SUNDAY
OCTOBER 2, 2022 @ 2PM

REV. DANIEL LEE, VIOLIN
WITH
STEVE FOREMAN, ORGAN
JASMINE NAGANO, PIANO
ANA KIM, CELLO

Willard-Mt. Zion
Presbyterian Church
800 State Hwy AB, Willard, MO

JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON OF MUSIC
FROM THE 17TH TO 21ST CENTURIES

For more info, contact 417-742-3217

Project Jubilee

A Campaign to Relieve Distressed Medical Debt

Sponsored by the Synod of Mid America, Presbyterian Church, (U.S.A.)

[Download Project Jubilee](#)

Do You Know Someone Who Can Help the Children?

Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services has an urgent need for multiple Foster Care Case Managers in our area. Do you know anyone willing to serve? (Feel free to share on social media.) [Additional information is available here.](#)

Presbyterian Children's Home and Services

Benefit Luncheon
October 6th at noon
2546 N Glenstone Ave, Springfield
RSVP to Tonya Johnson
573-631-2074
tonya.johnson@pchas.org

There are 9 calendars available for sale for \$10.25 each. If you are interested, please contact Gail Wilson, gwilson@jcpresbytery.com



**A Celebration of Life
for the Reverend Dr. Tom H. Cavicchia
will be held 10:30 a.m.
Saturday, October 15th
at Trinity Presbyterian Church (PCUSA)
1900 East Barataria Street
Springfield, Missouri**

Dr. Cavicchia served as the pastor of The First Presbyterian Church in Mt. Vernon, Missouri, for nine years before becoming the Executive Presbyter of John Calvin Presbytery in 1971, where he served until his retirement in 1994.

In 1994, Princeton Theological Seminary honored Dr. Cavicchia with its Distinguished Alumnus Award for his 23 years of administrative service to the Presbyterian Church (PCUSA). A year later, John Calvin Presbytery awarded him the status of Executive Presbyter Emeritus.

Please share this information with your congregations.

[Read the full obituary here](#)

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
First Presbyterian Church, Sarcoxie, Missouri
First Presbyterian Church, Scammon, Kansas
- **JCPDA**
- **JC Living Waters Mission Team**
- **All Pastors of John Calvin Presbytery**
- **People and churches of Peace River Presbytery in Florida.**
- **Elizabeth Miller continued healing.** Elizabeth is the baby daughter of the Reverend Chris and Mary Erin Miller.

• 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

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

If you would like to receive timely prayer requests and other
additional emails, click [here](#) and say **add me!**

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