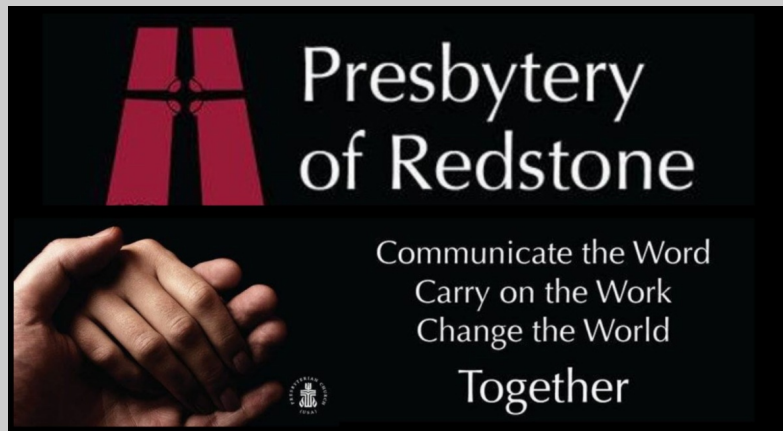


This week's Redstone happening
October 23, 2025



This week we are praying for the following congregations:

District 1 Churches

Newlonsburg Presbyterian Church, Murrysville, Curtis Paul, Pastor: Travis Webster, Associate Pastor

Union Presbyterian Church, Murrysville, Bob Ruefle, Pastor

District 2 Churches

Latrobe United Presbyterian Church, Ron Durika, Pastor

Reunion Presbyterian Church, Mt. Pleasant, Sue Washburn, Covenant Pastor

District 3 Churches

Springhill Furnance Presbyterian Church, Lake Lynn, Molly Hall, Covenant pastor

Leisenring Presbyterian Church, Jackie Eckenrod, Moderator

District 4 Churches

Second Presbyterian Church, Johnstown, Art Moffat, Temporary Supply

Westmont Presbyterian Church, Johnstown, Martin Ankrum Moderator

~Presbytery News~



Youth Adult Advisory Delegate To General Assembly to the 227th General Assembly of PC(USA). June 22 - July 2, 2026 in Milwaukee, WI. A YAAD, or Young Adult Advisory Delegate, is a young person between the ages of 18 and 23 who is elected by a presbytery of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) to serve on their General Assembly.

Their primary role is to ensure the perspectives of young adults are heard during the assembly, helping commissioners understand issues and ideas that might otherwise be overlooked.

Please share the attached **YAAD informational flyer** with your young adults in your congregations. If your church has a interested candidate, please contact the Presbytery Office for more information.



GROW YOUR FAITH THROUGH INTER-PRESBYTERY LEADERSHIP FORMATION (IPLF)

Is God Possibly Calling you to Preach? The Inter-Presbytery Leadership Formation (IPLF) program offers excellent opportunities for both personal growth and leadership development. While IPLF helps prepare Ruling Elders who feel called to become Commissioned Ruling Elders (CREs), the program welcomes all who want to grow in their faith and biblical understanding. The program features:

Monthly Saturday workshops and courses; In-depth Bible study; Leadership skill development; Specialized topics like Stewardship; Flexible learning options

The Spring 2026 Semester starts on Saturday, January 10, 2026. The Semester Course is Reformed Worship and Sacraments with Instructor: Rev. Dr. Peter Bowers.

[If you would like to learn more about joining IPLF](#), Please Contact Karen Gray at the Presbytery Office 724-837-6737 or secretary@redstonepresbytery.org

IPLF Fall Workshops

Fall Pastor and Elder Training Workshops presented by the Inter-Presbytery Leadership Formation. All workshops will be hybrid offerings by Zoom and in-person from 12:30-3:30 p.m.

Saturday, November 8, 2025 - "Pastoral Care"

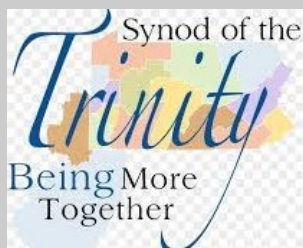
Meeting Location: Emmanuel Presbyterian Church, 480 PA-519, Eighty Four, PA 15330
Conference Room in Washington Presbytery
Instructor: Rev. Sharon Woomer

[Click Here to view the Full Schedule](#)

The zoom login information is:

[https://us06web.zoom.us/j/7248330340?](https://us06web.zoom.us/j/7248330340?pwd=gpnK4liH8GsZGOXApZLISyM18vgsVV.1)
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Meeting ID; 7248330340
Password: IPLF

Please contact the Presbytery office if you plan on attending in person or by Zoom 724-837-6737, secretary@redstonepresbytery.org



SYNOD NEW GRANT STRUCTURE UNVEILED

The Synod's new grant categories are broader and in tune to the current needs our region is facing. Additionally, the new grant categories do not have funding caps! The first step is easy; [click here](#) to answer a few questions about your project or vision. Synod staff will review your submission and send you the

application that best matches your needs. Questions? Do not hesitate to reach out to Elizabeth Connelly (econnelly@syntrintiy.org)



PCUSA ADVENT RESOURCES

The 2025 PCUSA Store's Advent Resources are now available. Included are resources for study, devotion, preaching, and more. Many of the selections have downloadable samples available. [View the resources](#)

~Events at our Churches~

The Masontown community kitchen will be open Tuesday, October 28, 2025 from 4 to 5:30 PM. The menu will be the kitchens chili served over rice or macaroni, homemade desserts and Panera breads. The Kitchen is open every other Tuesday at the First Presbyterian Church, 102 W. Church Ave., Masontown PA. The dinners are provided without charge; Donations are gladly accepted and provide for future meals. This local mission would not be possible without the help of the many volunteers from the area's local churches and the community. For questions or to volunteer your help, please call Kathy 724- 317-8623 or Frank 724 366-4721

**WEST HEMPFIELD
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
Spaghetti Dinner



SAT. NOVEMBER 1, 2025 4-6:30PM

THE MEAL INCLUDES:
SPAGHETTI AND MEATBALLS, A SALAD BAR,
BREAD, DRINK, AND DESSERT

COST IS \$12 PER PERSON
\$6 FOR CHILDREN (AGE 8 AND UNDER)

*Join us for an afternoon of jazz with
Bill Carter and the Presbybop Quartet*



*Sunday, November 9, 2025 at 4:30 pm
First Presbyterian, 300 S. Main St., Greensburg, PA
Tickets are \$15. Available at the church.
The Quartet will also assist in the 10:00 am worship service.*

**BENEFIT SHOW FOR EXPENSES INCURRED BY
ROSTRAVER KIDNEY TRANSPLANT RECIPIENT
DONALD RECHICHAR**

GOSPEL CONCERT

**Featuring Elvis
Tribute Artist
Eddie Steen**



**SUN NOV 9th | 2:00 pm
HARMONY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
587 HARMONY CHURCH RD,
BELLE VERNON, PA**

**Adults: \$20 - Children 5-12: \$10
Children Under 5 - FREE**

SEATS ARE LIMITED - ORDER EARLY !

Refreshments served after the concert

FOR INFO CALL 724-929-6438

Please join us for our monthly free

Community "Soup for the Soul" Luncheon

AND BRING A FRIEND!!!!

2nd Wednesday of the Month

October through May

Doors open at 11:30am

Soup's on at NOON!



Poke Run Presbyterian Church
1091 Poke Run Church Rd.
(up from the intersection of Rt. 366 and Rt. 66)
724-327-5563

October 8, 2025

November 12, 2025

December 10, 2025

January 14, 2026

February 11, 2026

March 11, 2026

April 8, 2026

May 13, 2026

~Pine Springs Camp~



Annual Friends Dinner

Sunday, October 26, 2025

4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Core Event Center - Irwin, PA

Join us for the PSC Friends Dinner on Sunday, October 26 at The Core Event Center in Irwin, PA. It will be a joyful gathering of camp friends, staff alumni, and our church families. We will hear from campers, parents, and pastors how Pine Springs Camp has encouraged them to BUILD on grace.

Since 1948 the mission of Pine Springs Camp has remained the same: that every camper, young and old, would have a vital encounter with Jesus Christ.

Come and celebrate Pine Springs Camp!

~Presbyterian Women~



Redstone Presbyterian Women Fall Gathering
 Saturday, November 1, 9:00 a.m. to 1 p.m., includes lunch
 Bethel Presbyterian Church
 1354 Bethel Cemetery Rd, New Florence, PA



Introduction to the 2025-2026 Horizons Bible Study
Resilience, Joy, and Our Identity in Jesus Christ, by Rhshell Hunter
 with the Rev. Donna Havrisko, Honorably Retired

The Mission Project for the Fall Gathering is **FAVOR of Western PA**.
FAVOR stands for *Faces and Voices of Recovery*. Kim Botteicher,
 the director and founder of the program will be the speaker.
 favorwesternpa.org Checks should be written to FAVOR of PA.



Your contributions toward the 2025 Synod PW Mission Project will be received.



The Well – a Project of The Welcome Church The Well, located in the Philadelphia area of Pennsylvania, currently refers to the whole community of support for women who are experiencing homelessness, which is a part of The Welcome Church. In 2016, The Welcome Church founded an overnight shelter for women called "The Well", when it became apparent that there were few places where women felt safe going inside for the night.
Your checks should be made out to Presbyterian Women in the Presbytery of Redstone.

Please use the tear-off registration form below.
Make check payable to: PW of Redstone Presbytery; please mail your registration by Friday, October 25 so that the church can plan accordingly for the day.
 Mail check and reservation slip to: **Rev. Susan Blank, PW Treasurer**
 4068 Bushy Run Road, Jeannette, PA 15644; 724-523-6460

 2025 Redstone PW Fall Gathering
 Bethel Presbyterian Church, New Florence, PA
 Church Name _____
 Number of persons attending: _____ @ \$12.00 each = _____ amount enclosed
 Contact Person: _____ Phone No. _____
 List of Attendees: _____

 Dietary Restrictions (such as gluten-free) _____
 Please use the back if necessary



LOVE GIFT OFFERING

This unique offering is only given by PW in Redstone Presbytery to support mission trips of individuals or groups, particularly the youth, from Redstone Presbytery. It also supports a group attending the Youth Triennium. This year \$1000 was given to facilitate the youth from our presbytery participating in the Triennium in July.


All women in the local PW groups are asked to give generously once a year. The Love Gift is collected and dedicated at the Spring Retreat. This year's donation total for the Love gift is \$159. Any member of Redstone Presbytery, who is going on a mission trip, individually or with a group, may apply for funding. Please click [Application](#). It can also be downloaded from the PW link on the Redstone Presbytery's website, www.redstonepresbytery.org. Applications are to be submitted to The Moderator of Redstone PW. Please encourage groups from your church to apply for funding if they are planning a trip.

~From Outside Redstone Presbytery~

PRESBYTERIANS SUPPORTING CHRISTIAN EDUCATION (PSCE)

An opportunity for those interested in Christian Education. The PSCE program provides cohorts of about eight people, with a facilitator, for support, education,


and spiritual growth. The groups meet once a month for a year, and are offered a small stipend for their participation. Cohorts meet on Zoom and are made up of folks from around the country. [Additional information can be found here.](#) Applications are due by November 30, 2025.



WE BELIEVE
*an ecumenical celebration of the
1700th anniversary of the Council of Nicaea*


Together with leaders from diverse Christian traditions, join in prayer, song, conversation, and fellowship as we commemorate this historic milestone.

Register here,
or visit casp.org/nicaea




Tuesday, November 18
7:00 pm

Cardinals Great Hall, O'Connor Hall
Catholic Diocese of Pittsburgh Pastoral Center
2900 Noblestown Road, Pittsburgh 15205



Christian Associates
of Southeast Pennsylvania



Luminosity Conference 2026 is set for March 9-11 at the Wyndham Lake Buena Vista Disney Springs resort complex in Orlando, FL! This is your opportunity to connect with pastors, church leaders, friends, and topical specialists to ignite your imagination.

Discover practical ideas and hear real-life stories that will advance your leadership and financial literacy for maximum ministry effectiveness. Enjoy time with friends, colleagues and fellow attendees as we explore the impact we can have in our ministries, communities, and the world.

Early-bird registration is now open, and grants are available for those who qualify.

For more information, check out the website luminosityconference.org

~Employment Opportunity~



**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH OF JEANNETTE
IS HIRING!**

Part Time Admin Assistant

Responsibilities :

- In office two days/week
- Answer phone calls
- Bulletin creation
- Bookkeeping

Qualifications:

- Knowledge of Microsoft products
- Minor bookkeeping
- Office management

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