SAN GABRIEL PRESBYTERY MONDAY MORNING UPDATE

April 4, 2022

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PRESBYTERY NEWS

Eddie, reflection by Executive Presbyter Rev. Wendy Tajima

Monte Vista Grove Homes Store Re-Opens to the Pasadena Community See flyer for details about the reopening dates and times.

One Great Hour of Sharing

Typically received during the season of Lent, each gift to One Great Hour of Sharing supports efforts to relieve hunger through the Presbyterian Hunger Program, promote development through the Presbyterian Committee on the Self-Development of People, and assist in areas of disaster through Presbyterian Disaster Assistance.

SPECIAL OFFERING HUNGER-DISASTEF DEVEL

Repairers of the Breach

<u>Support Emergency Relief for those</u> <u>Fleeing Ukraine</u>

Designate: Disaster Relief-International Refugee Programs (DR000156)

To date Presbyterian Disaster Assistance has sent support to several of our reformed and orthodox partners who are working with national and local churches:

Community of St. Egidio in Ukraine – working in western Ukraine Hungarian Reformed Church Aid – western

PRESBYTERY CALENDAR

<u>**Meeting Calendar for 2022</u>**

Commission on Ministry will meet on **Monday, April 4** at noon on Zoom.

The next Presbytery Meeting will be on Tuesday, April 26 at 7:00 pm on Zoom. Registration will open next Monday (4/11).

PLEASE REMEMBER

GKI-LA, Covina in your Prayers of the People this week.

We lift up the friends and family of Elder Eddie Zabala and Community Presbyterian Church, El Monte as they grieve is passing.

Interwoven New Worshiping

<u>**Community</u>** is launching a weekly worship service on Sunday, April 17 at 4:00 pm. Please keep this community in your prayers as they begin.</u>

UPCOMING EVENTS

Join Mission Coworkers Revs. Scott and Elmarie Parker, along with Middle East (ME) Partners and PCUSA colleagues from the ME/Europe area for a time of Lenten scripture reflection and prayer. Zoom sessions will include reflection on Lenten liturgical texts by a partner from the Middle East or colleague from the ME/Europe area, a time of conversation Ukraine & Hungary Hungarian Interchurch Aid – Ukraine & Hungary Lutheran World Federation - Poland International Orthodox Christian Charities – Romania

To give by phone, call 800-872-3283. To send a check, please designate where you want your gift to go on the memo line and mail to: Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) P.O. Box 643700 Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700

RESOURCES

2022 Presbytery Minimums

The 2022 mileage reimbursement rate is 58.5 cents per mile.

Donate Online to Presbytery or to Churches in the Presbytery

Follow the <u>Presbytery of San Gabriel</u> on Facebook and join one of our groups to hear more about what is happening in the life of our Presbytery.

The Synod of Southern California and Hawaii office is now virtual. Mail

should be addressed to: SYNOD OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AND HAWAII 8939 S. Sepulveda Bl. Ste 110 #250, Westchester, CA 90045

The new phone number is 818-810-6137. The office is using a VOIP system for incoming calls, so your call will be directed to a staff member's cell phone after an initial greeting menu.

Looking for the latest stats on Coronavirus?

<u>When to Wear a Mask in LA County</u> (March 3, 2022)

· LA
County: <u>http://publichealth.lacounty.g</u> <u>ov/media/Coronavirus/</u>
· LA Times California
Tracker: <u>https://www.latimes.com/projects/california-coronavirus-cases-tracking-outbreak/</u>
(gives county-by-county data)
· NPR United States Tracker: <u>https://www.npr.org/sections/health</u>
-shots/2020/03/16/816707182/map-tracking-the-spread-of-thebetween zoom participants, art/pictures from the region, and prayer. Hosted by the Parkers.

Two sessions weekly are being offered every Thursday, March 3 through **April 14**. No registration required. Join for live conversation for any or all the sessions. Session 1 will be recorded each week and posted to the Syria-Lebanon Partnership Network's website and Elmarie Parker's FB page.

Session 1: 12pm ET by zoom (45 minutes) Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89405252 345?

<u>pwd=VXFSUDgoWHRJdWVHckszLz</u> <u>ZKLytsZzo9</u>

Meeting ID: 894 0525 2345 Passcode: 140402 OR Session 2: 3pm ET by zoom (45 minutes) Join Zoom Meeting https://uso2web.zoom.us/j/83311130 991? pwd=K20xVlJ0NDdpekE1Y0xqZjc2V mRIZz09 Meeting ID: 833 1113 0991 Passcode: 023651

Pandemic Requiem Premieres in Claremont on April 10

Geri DeMasi, Director of Music at Claremont Presbyterian Church, has composed a new choral work to mark the losses that have come to our community during the COVID-19 pandemic. Pandemic Requiem follows the traditional requiem form used by Verdi, Mozart, Britten, and other well known composers. Claremont Presbyterian Church invited DeMasi to compose the work as a way for our community to come together not only to mourn all that has passed since March 2020, but also to look forward in hope. Composer DeMasi grew up in Claremont and is a graduate of both The Webb School and Pomona College.

The first performance of Pandemic Requiem will take place **Sunday**, **April 10 at 7:00 PM** in the sanctuary of Claremont Presbyterian Church, 1111 N. Mountain Avenue in Claremont. The performance is free and open to the public.

Claremont Presbyterian's Sanctuary Choir will be joined with other singers from the community for this premier performance. **<u>coronavirus-in-the-u-s#states</u>** (gives state-by-state data)

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