SAN GABRIEL PRESBYTERY MONDAY MORNING UPDATE

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PRESBYTERY NEWS

<u>The Love of God</u>, a reflection by Executive Presbyter, Rev. Wendy Tajima.



GA226 IN SALT LAKE CITY: CALL FOR COMMISSIONERS AND YAADS

We will have a hybrid General Assembly in 2024. This time, the committees will meet by Zoom June 25-27, 2024, and then everyone will meet in person in Salt Lake City for the plenary sessions June 29-July 4, 2024. San Gabriel Presbytery may send one Ruling Elder Commissioner, one Teaching Elder Commissioner, and one Young Adult Advisory Delegate (YAAD). We will elect these people in our Presbytery meeting on November 18, 2023.

The eligibility for YAADs has changed. A YAAD must be between the ages of 18 and 23 years old on June 25, 2024 and be • an active member of one of our congregations, or • a participant in a New Worshiping

Community or a fellowship that has a relationship with the presbytery.

Nomination forms will be made available soon. People are encouraged to nominate themselves if they are interested. In the

WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Capstone Chinese Presbyterian Church, Arcadia in our Prayers of the People this week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Habitat Clean-Up Day at First Presbyterian Baldwin Park

THIS Saturday, July 29th - 9am to 3pm

After having been postponed from last month, our Habitat Clean-Up Day is back on with a new date!

This is the first public event in the partnership between San Gabriel Presbytery and Habitat for Humanity to **transform our church property in Baldwin Park to affordable housing**, including a Presbytery house for mission purposes.

Habitat for Humanity needs up to **40 volunteers** for a one-day clean-up and clean-out blitz, to prepare the site of First Presbyterian Church, Baldwin Park for the construction of affordable housing. No skills necessary! We would love to have most or all of the volunteer slots filled by SGP, so please join us if you can! Volunteers must be 16 years of age or older.

To sign up and for more information, click <u>HERE</u>.

If you haven't volunteered with Habitat before, click <u>HERE</u> for instructions to sign up as a new volunteer. You will need to create an account, which is easy to do. When you log in, you will be taken directly to our sign up page where you can get all

meantime, please check your calendars and consider if God might be calling you to participate in this General Assembly. Many people, especially ruling elders and YAADs, have found this to be a life-changing experience!

See the **<u>attached fact sheet</u>** for more information.

RESOURCES



The Book of Order 2023-2025 is Part II of the Constitution of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

It includes:

- Foundations of Presbyterian Polity
- Form of Government
- Directory for Worship
- Church Discipline

You can download:

<u>The Book of Order (2023-2025) Complete</u> <u>in English (PDF)</u>

<u>The Book of Order (2023-2025) Text Only</u> <u>in English (PDF)</u>

The print version of the Book of Order 2023-25 is now available to order from the <u>PCUSA Store</u>. Spanish and Korean versions will be available soon.

Need pew envelopes for your Deacons Fund? We have 4 boxes (about 2,000) thanks to San Marino Community Church.

To claim them from the Presbytery office,

the information about the day, including the schedule. Then you can click on the Sign Up button to actually sign up. There is a Waiver for Minors on a second page. If you are bringing a minor, please print that waiver and bring it with you on the 24th filled out. Everyone who signs up must check the box at the bottom of page 2 to complete your registration.

Hope to see you there!

Spread the word by sharing<u>this updated</u> promotional flyer with the new date, also pictured below.



Attend Border Church In-Person on the U.S. Side | August 6, 2023



Join others from SGP for a day trip to attend Border Church on the U.S. side of the border on **August 6**. The church service is celebrated bi-nationally at 1:30pm every Sunday at Friendship Park, on both sides of the border.

If you are interested or want more information, please contact Helen Darsie at <u>mhelendarsie16@gmail.com</u> or 724-312-8175. please email **presby@sangabpres.org** with the subject line "Deacons Fund."

First come, first serve!



The 2023 Apportionment is \$70 per member.

2023 Presbytery Minimums

The 2023 mileage reimbursement rate is 65.5 cents per mile.

2023 Presbytery Meeting Calendar

Donate Online to Presbytery or to Churches in the Presbytery

PRESBYTERY CALENDAR

Download Updated 2023 Meeting Calendar Here

Presbytery Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 10 am to 2 pm by appointment



JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN SAN GABRIEL PRESBYTERY

Calvary Presbyterian Church seeks an Assistant Director for Children's and Youth Ministries. **Find Job Description here.**

San Gabriel Presbytery is seeking a part-time Stated Clerk for Administration. **Find Job Description here.**

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