



Weekly Calendar

Date	Time	Event
9-18	9:30am	Examinations Commission

October Grant Deadlines

Grant	Commission/ Group	Deadline
Church Redevelopment Grants Shared Ministry Grants Pastoral Leadership Grants Two Cents A Meal Grants	Church Partnership Church Partnership Commission on Ministry Justice & Mercy	October 1
Justice & Mercy Grants	Justice & Mercy	October 15
Black Caucus Grants	Black Caucus	October 31

For more information or to apply

Click Here

Registration Extended to 9/19!!

EXPLORE

Richmond NCA
...AND BE TRANSFORMED...!

OCT 10-12

RACIAL EQUITY SUBCOMMITTEE

and the

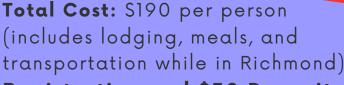
JUSTICE AND MERCY COMMISSION

are committed to exploring and responding to the intersectionality of structural racism, systemic poverty, and Church vitality in America.

Join other members of **PEAKS PRESBYTERY** on a three-day, two-night pilgrimage to Richmond VA to learn of its involvement in the Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade, the Civil War and broader VA history

VIRGINIA MUSEUM OF HISTORY & CULTURE

American Civil War Museum

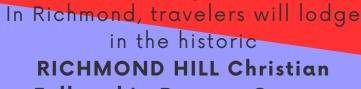


Registration and \$50 Deposit:

Due in the office by

Sept. 19

(Remaining S140 due Sept. 27)



Fellowship Retreat Center, followed by days of touring, learning, and meals



Register Here

Or see the Events tab on the website

for further information:

Vernie Boldern

vernie@peakspresbytery.org

Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church invites you to join them for



Friends, on Sunday, September 29, we will have a special guest at Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church. Hanna Anderson, a speaker and author, will discuss the intersection of spirituality and creation.

We invite your church to join us for lunch and the session after our worship service.

She will preach at the worship service from 10-11:00 AM, followed by a delightful lunch. The highlight of the day will be a comprehensive presentation and engaging conversation at 1:00 PM. We extend a warm invitation to your churches to join us for this enriching experience.

Website: https://www.sometimesalight.com/

Join Northside Presbyterian for a Free Workshop Series.

Recognizing that aging brings physical changes and challenges along with spiritual ones, Northside Presbyterian in Blacksburg is working with a local physical therapist to support seniors through education on topics that are especially relevant to them.



- Class 2: Fall Risk Assessment
- Join Us for an Exclusive Free Course!
- · Free Assessments for Fall Risk
- Provide Advice for Home Safety
- Provide how Physical Therapy can help with Balance Related Conditions.

Class 3: Chronic Pain

Join Us for an Exclusive Free Course!

- · Discuss Alternatives to help with Chronic Pain
- · Provide Advice for Chronic Pain Management
- · Discuss Alternative for Opioid Medications

Don't Miss This Opportunity to Gain Valuable Information about Your Health!

When:

Dates: October 12th, 2024, October 26th, 2024 and November 2nd, 2024

Where: Northside Presbyterian Church, 1017 Progress St NW, Blacksburg, VA 24060

Time: 10:00 am to 11:30 am









You Should be Cautious When Borrowing Items You Find on the Internet

Mike Kirk, General Counsel Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), A Corporation

Information and advice from the denomination about keeping your church and your congregation safer when posting items online. A sample release form is included.

Click Here

Blacksburg Presbyterian Church Associate Pastor Search

BPC is searching for a Covenant Associate Pastor to join our lively, passionate team. This position is 20hrs/wk and is not installed. You can find the job description and desired qualifications here. To apply please send a cover letter and resume or PIF to hpc@blacksburgpres.org.

Coaching for thriving in ministry and life.

Ministers spend most of their time thinking about and serving others. There is precious little time--or permission--in their schedules to consider the patterns of behavior and thinking that might be getting in the way of making progress on personal and collective goals. If you are interested in strengthening your capacity to manage conflict, hold to boundaries, or engage in experiments to increase your leadership bandwidth, coaching is for you. If you want to learn more about adaptive leadership theory and practice, coaching is for you. If you want to consider new questions, and reframe old challenges, coaching is for you. All sessions are confidential. You set the goals. You set the pace.

Reflection is expensive. It always costs time. Sometimes it costs money. The Presbytery of the Peaks currently offers FREE coaching for pastors and ministry staff. If you are interested in coaching support, contact Rev. Jen Brothers, Leadership Ministry Specialist at jen@peakspresbytery.org.

Free for Peaks' Pastors and Ministry Staff

For information or to get started:

Contact Jen





REGIONAL EVENTS

with the

VIRGINIA INTERFAITH CENTER FOR PUBLIC POLICY



ON SEPTEMBER 14

12PM - 2PM

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CONGREGATION OF BLACKSBURG

PICNIC LUNCH, S'MORES, AND GAMES, NOMINATE AWARDEES BELOW!

Join us to celebrate the achievements of VICPP, honor those who make the work of justice possible, and support the continued presence of VICPP in our community and throughout Virginia.

ROANOKE DINNER

ON SEPTEMBER 26

6PM - 9PM

RENDEZVOUS STUDIO & EVENTS

DINNER AND CONNECTIONS NOMINATE AWARDEES BELOW!



Registration & sponsorship information, Awardee nominations: virginiainterfaithcenter.org/regionaldinners/

You must register a week in advance.



Iron Sharpening Iron, Princeton Seminary's Executive Leadership Program for Women, explores church property issues.

"This seminar for pastors and congregational leaders is focused on church property — when to stay, when to shift, and most importantly, how to make those decisions with integrity and a justice lens."

For more information

Click Here

Peaks Postings is published each week on Tuesday. Please submit news, events, or prayer requests by noon on Mondays to Donna Garrison at communications@peakspresbytery.org for inclusion in the following issue.

Guidelines for Peaks Postings:

- Keep the information to one page or less.
- Use links to web sites rather than including lots of details.
- Please obtain permission from the people pictured in your photos before submitting them to Peaks Postings.
- Peaks Postings Editors reserve the right to:
 - o Feature or not feature an article. Our first priority is to feature activities and items within and of interest to PoP and PoP churches.
 - Edit submitted articles/announcements.
 - Limit the number of weeks an article/announcement is featured, usually to not more than three weeks.
- If you have specific dates you want an item to run, include them when you submit the item. Limited to three weeks.
- Past issues of Peaks Postings are archived for about six months on our website, peakspresbytery.org.



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