



# POSTINGS

## Weekly Calendar

Date	Time	Event
9-25	3:00PM	Racial Equity
9-26	9:00AM	Cabinet
9-28	10:00AM	PW Annual Gathering

### Our Next Presbytery Meeting

Thursday, October 24, 2024

9:30 AM

Raleigh Court Presbyterian Church, Roanoke



Registration opens 10/9.

*Due to pre-school drop-off, please plan to arrive no earlier than 9AM.*



Full day with lunch.

# Musical Duo Liz & Tim at the Presbytery Meeting

Using Americana, Folk and Traditional Appalachian Music, Liz McGeachy and Tim Marema will share their experience and understanding of the gifts and challenges of rural folks.

In addition to being a musician, Liz is a writer and poet. Tim is the vice president for the Center for Rural Strategies and the editor for the Daily Yonder, a news platform that focuses on the stories of interest to rural America.

You can learn more about Liz & Tim and hear a sneak peek at their music on their website.



[Liz & Tim](#)

# PW Annual Gathering This Saturday...



*KEEPING IN TOUCH*  
*Presbyterian Women of The Peaks*

**YOU ARE INVITED PW ANNUAL GATHERING**

**“HUNGER—SEEING THE UNSEEN”**

*A Panel Discussion*

**REV. VERNIE BOLDEN**, *Justice & Mercy Ministry Specialist, The Peaks*  
**ANSLEY BEAN**, *Marketing Director, Lynchburg Daily Bread*  
**BARB CHASE**, *Director, Food for Thought, Park View Community Mission*  
*Facilitated by SARAH HYSKA, PW Racial Equity/Justice & Peace Rep*

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2024**

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

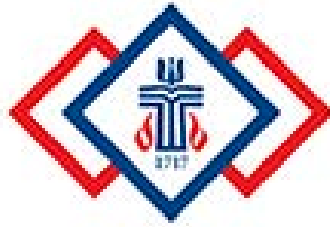
1215 V.E.S. Road  
Lynchburg, Virginia

9:30 a.m. – **R & R & R**: Registration, Refreshments, Reacquaintance  
10 a.m.-12 noon – Gathering Program

**COME, GREET NEW PW CHURCHWIDE MODERATOR, PAM SNYDER,**  
ELECTED AND INSTALLED MODERATOR OF THE PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN, INC.,  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS AT THE PW CHURCHWIDE GATHERING IN ST. LOUIS.

ALSO JOINING US IS OUR OWN GENERAL PRESBYTER, **REVEREND DR. CARL  
UTLEY, REVEREND DR. PETER THOMPSON, REVEREND ELIZABETH LINK,** AS  
WELL AS EXHIBITORS FROM THE **MASSANETTA SPRINGS CAMP AND  
CONFERENCE CENTER, PRESBYTERIAN CHILDREN’S HOME OF THE  
HIGHLANDS, AND THE PRESBYTERIAN COMMUNITY CENTER.**

An offering will be received to benefit the organizations our guest panelists represent:  
The Presbytery of the Peaks Hunger Program, Lynchburg Daily Bread, and Park View  
Community Mission. Your generous giving will be appreciated, as the amount received  
will be divided by three organizations fighting hunger.



THE BOARD OF PENSIONS  
OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)

## The window for **EMPLOYERS** to review 2025 Board of Pensions Employee agreements is **Thursday, August 29- Friday, October 4.**

More information about how the process will work in this year of transition is available on the BOP website or at the link below.

[More information](#)

## **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 [bpc@blacksburgpres.org](mailto:bpc@blacksburgpres.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/>

Presbyterian Women  
Men and Kids, too!

Bring a dish and join us for a

## POTLUCK with CEDEPCA

With special guests

Pamela Liquez, Women's Ministry  
Betsey Moe, Mission Co-Worker



Saturday, October 12th 5pm  
Blacksburg Presbyterian Church  
701 Church ST, SE  
Blacksburg, VA

RSVP: Natasha Lowe  
nlowe920@gmail.com

# Trinity Historical Foundation to Hold Dedication at Ridgeway October 6, 2024 at 4:00 p.m.

After Trinity Presbyterian was dissolved as a church in May 2021 by the Presbytery of the Peaks, a local community group formed the Trinity Historical Foundation to preserve the history of this church in the Ridgeway area.

The foundation would like to invite the presbytery to a dedication ceremony at the site of this historic landmark on the corner of Kingsmill Rd. and Harbour St. in Ridgeway, VA.





# Commission on Ministry Neighborhood Meetings

Thank you to the Commission on Ministry and Keenan Rodgers, our Board of Pensions Representative, for hosting. Seven gatherings were held around the presbytery with a total of 66 persons in attendance and 27 churches represented.

## Terms of call draft

The draft 2025 Terms of Call are now available on the [website](#) under Resources>Commission on Ministry.

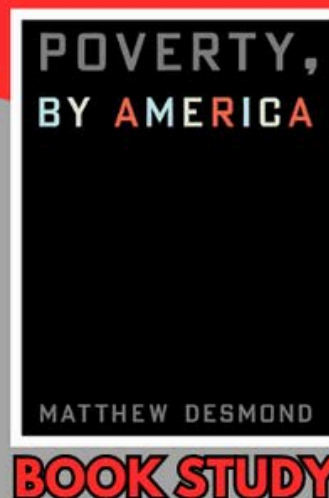
RACIAL EQUITY SUBCOMMITTEE  
JUSTICE AND MERCY COMMISSION

**MONDAY**  
**OCTOBER 7**  
PROLOGUE THROUGH  
CHAPTER 1  
**OCTOBER 14**  
CHAPTERS 2 - 4  
**OCTOBER 21**  
CHAPTERS 5 - 6  
**OCTOBER 28**  
CHAPTERS 7 - 9

**12PM - 1**  
**OR**  
**6PM - 7**

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Join  
Us!



Peaks  
Reading  
Together



# Maysville Presbyterian to Celebrate their 200th Anniversary on October 6th.

## 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

October 6<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 a.m. with Fellowship Meal to follow. Our guest minister for our anniversary celebration will be the Reverend Dexter Taylor who served our church from 1975 to 1980. We are so pleased to have him with us to share the special day. We are also hoping to have other former ministers join us for the occasion. Lunch will be catered with our church members providing the desserts, deviled eggs and beverages. We hope to see you all on October 6<sup>th</sup> and please encourage your family to attend. Safe travels to all attending and we look forward to seeing you on October 6<sup>th</sup>!

## October Grant Deadlines

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

For more information  
or to apply

[Click Here](#)

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- 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:
  - 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](http://peakspresbytery.org).



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8:30AM-4:30PM

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