

Presbytery of Boston

July 2008 E-Connection

News from Presbyterian Women

2009 CHURCHWIDE GATHERING: "God Will Do Wonders Among You"

Louisville, KY, July 11-15, 2009

Experience the excitement of being part of worship with more than 3,000 women from around the world. The program includes inspirational plenary speakers, forums, and workshops, as well as exhibits and tours. Celebrate the 20th anniversary of Presbyterian Women.

Registration booklets will be available in the September/October 2008 issue of *Horizons*. There is a discount for early registration.

For more information, visit www.pcusa.org/pwgathering or check with Beth Denier at the July Presbytery meeting.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN IN THE SYNOD OF THE NORTHEAST:

Jane Mosher, former treasurer for PWSNE, died June 28 after a long battle with cancer.

Jane was an active member of St. Andrew Presbyterian Church in Groton, CT.

Ellie Gregory, a former church-wide moderator of Presbyterian Women, is quite ill. Her address is Absolut Care of Aurora Park, 292 Main Street, East Aurora, NY 14052.

Lynn Hasselbarth, an elder in the Hamilton Union Presbyterian Church in Guilderland, NY, has been chosen by PC(USA) to serve as a Young Adult Volunteer in Peru from August 2008 to August 2009. She will be living with a Peruvian family, probably in Huanuco, a city in the Andes Mountains in central Peru. Lynn will be working with a faith-based social justice organization, Paz y Esperanza, which provides legal advocacy and social services for the local community.

Both Lynn and her mother, Charlotte Hasselbarth, are active in Presbyterian Women. Please keep Lynn in your prayers and learn more about her experiences in Peru on Lynnmission.blogspot.com.

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PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN IN THE PRESBYTERY OF BOSTON:

In lieu of a Fall Gathering this year, PW is supporting the Presbytery Day program. We will have a workshop on various problems faced by families when they relocate, when a new culture and/or language is involved, when family members are left behind, and other difficult situations. We will also be looking for people willing to provide food for the multi-cultural luncheon. Please plan to attend Presbytery Day on October 25th.

Pastor Scholar Program

“Boston University School of Theology invites you to join our community of learning as a Pastor Scholar. Study with our world class faculty and dedicated students in an intellectually challenging and spiritually rewarding atmosphere. Pastor Scholars take regular Boston University School of Theology courses for Continuing Education credit. Tuition for the Fall 2008 semester is \$150 per course. Instruction begins Tuesday, September 2, 2008.

For more information about the program, courses, and application go to the following website:

<http://www.bu.edu/sth/professional/continuing/pastorscholar/index.htm>.

If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Case at lcase@bu.edu.”

Sam Johnson, Director
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Presbytery of Boston Office Hours

The new office hours for the Presbytery of Boston are Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. You may reach us at 617-244-4766 or presbyteryofboston@verizon.net.

Ordination Anniversaries

Rick Underwood	August 3, 1997	11 years
Cary Young	August 17, 2003	5 years
Charles Carlston	August 15, 1950	58 years
Rebecca Dean	August 24, 2003	5 years
Elliott Hipp	August 25, 1991	17 years
Kok-Thai Lim	August 31, 1995	13 years
Michael Duda	September 1, 1979	29 years
Young Ghil Lee	September 15, 1994	14 years
Peg Ferguson	September 20, 1981	27 years

Presbytery of Boston Meeting Calendar

JULY

15 – CEM, 6:30 at NPC

22 – Institute for Christian Leadership, 12 noon, NPC

24 – Personnel, 12:30 at Needham P.C.

28 – Presbytery Meeting, Hartford Street, Natick

 Pre-presbytery meeting, “Everyday Creativity,” 6:30

 Stated meeting, 7:30

AUGUST

5 – Nominating, 11:30, NPC

 CPM, 5:30, presbytery office

7 – COM, 7:00, NPC

14 – CS&D, 7:30, presbytery office

19 – CEM, 6:30, NPC

21 – Trustees, 12 noon, Sudbury

28 – S&B, NPC