

TO THE WOMEN OF PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERY
August 2021

Greetings to all of you. We are sad to announce that due to Covid concerns and for the safety of all involved, the PW Fall Spiritual Gathering has been Cancelled for Oct. 2, 2021, at Hermon Presbyterian Church. Our gratitude goes out to the women of Hermon Presbyterian and to all those involved in working on the gathering.

We would also like to announce that due to lack of participation in Presbyterian Women as a whole connected group, the coordinating team will be taking a hiatus until Spring of 2022. At which time the PW Coordinating Team will come together and consider the possible disband of the mission and ministry of Presbyterian Women. If anyone is interested in being a part of Presbyterian Women CT or has ideas for the future of PW in Providence Presbytery, feel free to contact any of the coordinating team members whose contact information is found at the end of this letter.

The coordinating team will still be here in the background for any needs or sharing of pertinent information. You will still be able to send any money for missions (such as Thank Offering, Birthday Offering, Least Coin Offering, etc.) to our Treasurer, Debbie Lowe (her contact info can be found at the end of this letter).

Most importantly, we encourage all of you to continue with your circle meetings, Bible studies, group gatherings, and mission projects in your churches and communities. You are the hands and feet of Jesus in a world that is very much in need of His shining light!

The **PW PURPOSE** states:

Forgiven and freed by God in Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves

- To nurture our faith through prayer and Bible study,
- To support the mission of the church worldwide,
- To work for justice and peace, and
- To build an inclusive, caring community of women that strengthens the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and witnesses to the promise of God's kingdom.

Presbyterian Women are aligned under a shared Purpose, but the gifts of the Spirit allow us to live into the Purpose in our own, unique ways. Let God show you the way.

All of us on the coordinating team are praying for God's guidance. We know our help comes from the Lord and we lift our eyes to Him to show us the way that He would have us go.

Please keep Presbyterian Women in your prayers.

Grace and Peace to all of you

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