

Please tell us a little more about yourself, checking as many as apply to you:

I am:

- a new member
- Elder Minister
- Retired
- College/university student
- Seminary student
- High school student

I'd like to be included on your e-mail lists for:

Update notes every time something is added to our website (2 or 3 times a week)

Occasional notes of particular importance to members (a few times a year)

A little environmental stewardship:

I will help save paper and money by getting *Network News* from the website, so you don't need to mail me a copy unless I specifically request one or more copies of an issue.

We are a non-profit organization recognized by the Internal Revenue Service. All contributions are tax-deductible as allowed by law.

Please add any questions or special interests you'd like us to know about:

We hope you'll want to join us, so together we can ...

- support a strong, fearless voice for justice in the PCUSA;
- stay informed about the entire scope of social justice issues in the PCUSA and global society;
- stay connected to the work of other peace and justice groups in the PCUSA;
- receive information and calls for action through newsletters, emails, and notices through social media (Facebook, Twitter, blogs);
- share your experiences in local work for justice, and learn from what others have to share as well;
- be in community with justice workers and advocates in church governance bodies and in the larger society.

For more information or answers to your questions,

please contact our
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Presbyterian Voices for Justice

**moving forward
for justice
in
the Presbyterian Church
and
through
the Presbyterian Church
for the world**



www.presbyvoicesforjustice.org

Where have we come from?

This new group was formed in 2009 by a union of The Witherspoon Society, which was formed in 1973 by a group of Presbyterians who shared a vision that justice is a major dimension of the church's calling, and Voices of Sophia, which was created in 1995, in response to the excitement generated by the first ReImagining Conference, to affirm the full participation of women in the life of the PC(USA).

We see our joining of the two groups as a way of combining our strengths and gifts for a common dual mission:

- Witnessing within the Church, and its congregations and agencies, to God's eternal call for God's people to act justly, to extend mercy, and to walk humbly with God.
- And helping the Church function faithfully and effectively in the world to shape a society that more fully embodies God's intention for the freedom and well-being of all people, and their full inclusion in meaningful work and nurturing communities.

What are we about?

Our Mission Statement is one effort to answer that vital question:

We are a spirited and passionate community of women and men in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) who are called to proclaim the Gospel vision of God's extravagant love and justice in church and society. We seek the wisdom of the Spirit for following Christ's example and for living into the hope of sustained gender equality, racial reconciliation, full human rights for LGBT persons, economic justice, environmental wholeness, an end to war and all forms of violence, and a justice-loving shalom over all the earth. We commit to risking the transformation of our own selves and our organization to live into this vision, even as we invite both church and society to meet this challenge.

How will we accomplish these goals?

By ...

- continuing our witness at General Assemblies, by providing information and networking to Commissioners;
- sponsoring educational events which present feminist and justice-oriented perspectives;
- networking with other justice- and peace-oriented groups, and with youth and students;
- providing information and perspectives year-round, through newsletters, websites and social networking online, and face-to-face networks in presbyteries and around the country;
- and of course, dancing!

Join Us Today!

Please return this form with your membership dues – or you can join online and pay by credit card, at http://www.presbyvoicesforjustice.org/membership_form_2.htm

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Telephone (Home) _____

(Work) _____

(Cell) _____

E-mail: _____

Presbytery: _____

Synod: _____

Membership dues (includes newsletter)

_____ \$60 for 1 year (individual or household)

_____ \$110 for 2 years

_____ \$24 for students/limited income

_____ \$100 group membership for 1 year (up to 10 copies of each issue of *Network News* to one address) How many copies do you want to receive? _____

_____ \$40 for libraries

_____ I'm adding \$_____ as my extra contribution for the work of Presbyterian Voices for Justice

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Voices for Justice, and send to:**

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Please fill in the other side of this form, too!