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The Handbook for the August 12 Called Presbytery Meeting is Online. Are you attending the August 12 Presbytery Meeting at Bowling Green Presbyterian in Clover? GA 223 Delegates will give their reports. Download the Presbytery Handbook for the meeting. http://www.providencepres.org/Documents/Handbook_08.12.18.pdf



August Board of Pensions Connections Newsletter is Available Online. Check out this month's BOP Newsletter online at http://www.pensions.org/BoardConnections/Pages/2018_August.html.



Cultivating Trust a Crucial Task for Today's Leaders. Today, many people in the United States don't remember a time when they were heard. Some feel that the American economy and society have left them far behind. Others have been silenced for generations, their stories missing from history books and media coverage. As a result, many increasingly believe that they can be understood only by people like themselves. People not like themselves are dangerous. For protection, some people hide, while others lash out. In this moment, engendering trust -- in one's leadership and within one's community -- is among the leader's most important and difficult acts. [Read the entire Alban Weekly article by David Odom.](#)

Heritage Center Seeking Camp Montreat for Girls Memorabilia. From 1924 to 1967, Camp Montreat for Girls was owned and operated by Montreat College. Girls from Kansas to North Carolina and New York to Florida attended the camp in the summer for four or eight weeks. We would like to have a display at the Heritage Center in Montreat commemorating this special camp that meant so much to so many young women. If you attended Camp Montreat or know someone who did, we would like to hear from you. We are collecting memorabilia, such as, Indian blankets, navy scarfs, memory books, etc. If you have things from the camp or stories about the camp, please contact: Mr. Bill Walker (Trinity Presbytery) 400 Lake Secession Road, Anderson, South Carolina 29621; by phone at 864.296.4813; or email at btwalker@prodigy.net.

October Minister and Educator Retreat Registration Deadline Approaching. [Sign up now for the October 22-24 retreat.](#) The Bible is full of embarrassing, offensive, problematic texts that present serious interpretive challenges for contemporary Christian faith and practice. Should they be repudiated? Discarded? Silenced? Or are there perhaps more effective and faithful ways of handling them? This retreat will tackle the importance of engaging difficult texts directly, with the expectation that we may encounter the living God in our conversation with them. It will provide the opportunity to wrestle with such texts, to consider interpretive strategies for engaging them with integrity, and to reflect on the authority of Scripture.. See the brochure here: <http://bit.ly/5SCRetreat2018>

Have you Registered for Leader of Leaders? Sexuality and Faith is Theme of this Year's Leader of Leader's Event. The 5 Presbyteries of South Carolina presents the Leader of Leaders event is scheduled for October 16 featuring author and speaker, Kate Ott. Held at Forest Lake Presbyterian Church in Columbia for pastors, educators, youth ministry leaders and youth ministry stakeholders, the event will explore theological foundations for healthy sexuality and sexuality education in faith communities, as well as assessment of how various aspects of sexuality are addressed in implicit & explicit ways within a congregation from policies to education, use of language to actions groups (allows participants to examine present ministries and what can be improved). For more information, [See the flyer.](#) Cost of the event is \$50 and space is limited [Registration is Online.](#)



Providence Presbytery Medical Trip to Honduras Happening this Month. This month a mission team from Providence Presbytery will go to Las Mercedes, Honduras to help meet the medical needs of people there. We will need to take the medicines we will need with us. We are asking that those who wish to help us with supplies donate the amount of money you normally spend on aspirin or other over the counter medicines. We are not asking for donations of the bottles of medicine because of shipping challenges. Please make your check out to Providence Presbytery and in the “for” line write “mission trip medicine”. Send or bring your check to the presbytery office at 515 Oakland Ave, Rock Hill, SC 29730. Please mark the envelope: “ATTENTION: Barbara”. Thank you for your help with this important work.

Memorial Presbyterian Church (Charlotte) Seeks Interim Pastor. The Interim Pastor will be responsible for moderating the Session and for providing pastoral leadership and administrative oversight of the church’s ministries, including worship, music, preaching, teaching, mission service, stewardship, and fellowship. He/she will use their developed interim-specialist skills to assess the congregation’s current and long-term needs and provide inspiring counsel and leadership to help the Church identify what it is called to be in the future. [See the full job description.](#) Interested candidates are asked to send their resume and references to: Memorial Presbyterian Church, Attn: Chair, Interim Search Committee, 2600 Beatties Ford Road, Charlotte, North Carolina 28216

FAMILY PROMISE OF YORK COUNTY IS HIRING. Family Promise of York County is seeking a part time Service Coordinator whose primary responsibility will be to offer case management services to families in our homeless shelter programs. A full job description can be found on our website, www.familypromiseyc.org. Cover Letters and Resumes should be sent to: applications@familypromiseyc.org. Applications accepted until August 10, 2018 or until job filled

Music Teacher Needed. Unity Preschool, an education and outreach ministry of Unity Presbyterian Church in Fort Mill, is accepting applications for a part-time music teacher. The position is one morning per week (preferably Thursday) from September through May. For more information, please visit our website (www.preschoolatunity.com) and click on the “More” tab.

Date	Event	Time	Location
8/9	Children of Abraham	10:30-12:30	Presbytery Office
8/12	Called Presbytery Meeting	2:30PM	Bowling Green Pres
8/16	Bethelwoods Ministry Team	5:30PM	Bethelwoods
8/16	HAT Meeting	6-8PM	Presbytery Office
8/30	EEMT	11:30AM	Presbytery Office
9/6	Committee on Ministry	5:30PM	Presbytery Office
9/11	Administrative Ministry Team	5:30PM	Presbytery Office
9/13	Coordinating Team	5:30PM	Presbytery Office
9/20	EEMT	11:30AM	Presbytery Office
9/24-26	Stewardship Kaleidoscope		St. Louis, MO
10/16	SC5 Leader of Leaders Event	9:30-3:30PM	Forest Lake Pres, Columbia, SC
10/22-24	Minister and Educator Retreat		Montreat

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