

## **Introduce your congregation to their ministry as part of Shenandoah Presbytery.**

Invite a speaker to provide insight and inspiration to a group in your church. Speakers from a variety of aspects of the Presbytery's ministry are willing to address all kinds of groups:

- *men's prayer breakfasts*
- *youth groups*
- *Sunday School classes*
- *Presbyterian Women*
- *session retreats*
- *minute for mission*
- *fellowship dinners*
- *mission committees*
- *stewardship teams*

To schedule a speaker from the resource bank, you will need to contact the speaker directly. A list of speakers in each category is available online at [www.shenpres.org](http://www.shenpres.org) or you may call the Presbytery office directly (540-433-2556) to receive contact information for speakers in specific categories.

*Speakers offer their services free of charge; an honorarium is not necessary. Your church will need to provide mileage expense if it is not otherwise covered through the speaker's committee or congregation. The speaker will be able to give you this information when you schedule the visit.*

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Stewardship Education Resource Team

## **Shenandoah Presbytery's**

## ***Resource Bank of Speakers***



...helping congregations to a broader understanding of their personal connection to the ministry and projects of Shenandoah Presbytery ...providing a way for specific groups to highlight their ministries

**PEACEMAKING**—Learn more about the annual Peacemaking Special Offering and about the efforts of Presbyterians for Peace around the world. Learn more at [www.pcusa.org/peacemaking](http://www.pcusa.org/peacemaking).



**ETHIOPIAN PARTNERSHIP**—Our Presbytery's long-standing relationship with the Illubabor Bethel Synod of the Ethiopian Evangelical Church Mekane Yesus has produced a variety of ministries that enrich lives here and across the world. Invite a speaker to share projects involving AIDS, children, English language instruction, church relationships, evangelism, and more. Learn more at [www.shenpres.org/Partnership.html](http://www.shenpres.org/Partnership.html)



**S.P.Y.C.E. —Shenandoah Presbytery Youth Council Extraordinare**—Our Youth Council is hard at work planning Presbytery-wide retreats and gathering youth in leadership. Invite someone to tell you about getting involved! Learn more at [www.shenpres.org/SPYCEindex.html](http://www.shenpres.org/SPYCEindex.html).



**PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE**—*Out of Chaos, Hope...* Learn more about PCUSA response to disaster and how your church can be involved. Learn more at [www.pcusa.org/pda](http://www.pcusa.org/pda)



**LIVING WATERS FOR THE WORLD**—Invite a member of Shenandoah Presbytery's new Living Waters team to share their work with you. Learn more at [www.shenpres.org/LWWindex.html](http://www.shenpres.org/LWWindex.html)



**CAMPUS MINISTRY** is the outreach of the church to our college students. Learn more about nurturing your college students at home or away and find out about our outreach through Lutheran Presbyterian Campus Ministry at JMU and the Westminster Foundation. Visit [www.pcusa.org/collegiate](http://www.pcusa.org/collegiate) or [www.lpcm.org](http://www.lpcm.org).



**GENERAL ASSEMBLY** is the biannual gathering of the PC(USA). Hear about the legislation, worship, speakers, and work of the Spirit at the 217th General Assembly, *So Great a Cloud of Witnesses*, in Birmingham, AL from Shenandoah Presbytery's commissioners. Learn more at [www.pcusa.org/ga217](http://www.pcusa.org/ga217).



**BAJA MISSION TRIP** leaders can share their experience and tell your church how to join their next trip. Learn more at [www.shenpres.org](http://www.shenpres.org)



**MISSION TRIPS** are a wonderful way to stretch your congregation to serve in new ways. Learn how to get one started or hear a report on a specific trip. Invite a speaker to inspire your church to step outside their comfort zone!

**4 CENTS A MEAL Hunger Funds** provide relief in our communities, nationally, and around the world. Find out how your pennies are being used. Learn more at [www.shenpres.org/HungerIndex.html](http://www.shenpres.org/HungerIndex.html)



**STEWARDSHIP**...Ever wonder where those mission funds go for our Presbytery? Are you confused about how your church should give to Presbytery? Get the facts and get excited about mission giving in Shenandoah Presbytery. Great education for all of our congregations!

**The Mary Lou McMillin RESOURCE CENTER** can provide resources ranging from multimedia to previewing curriculum to books on just about anything that might happen in the church! Invite director Lisa Hedrick to educate you about this precious resource within our Presbytery. Learn more at [www.shenpres.org/rescenter.htm](http://www.shenpres.org/rescenter.htm)

