



PEACE RIVER PRESBYTERY



Presbytery Weekly E-Newsletter ~ June 25, 2021

CEDARKIRK IS TURNING 50!!

Cedarkirk *A place apart to build up
the body of Christ in love.*
CAMP & CONFERENCE CENTER



50 YEARS OF



CELEBRATE 50 YEARS WITH US!

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION WEEKEND

Join us for a weekend honoring a half-century of unique and vital ministry at this "place apart."

SEPTEMBER 3-5, 2021

**GOOD FOOD & GREAT PEOPLE
CLASSIC CAMP ACTIVITIES
SPECIAL 50TH EVENTS**

Retreat details and information about the special events happening during the weekend can be found on the following page.



CEDARKIRK IS 50!

COME FOR THE WEEKEND, OR JUST THE DAY!

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Decades Line Dance**
- **Twilight Tunes Live Music on Friday night**
- **Grazing Table catered reception on Saturday night**
- **Worship Leadership by special guests you'll recognize from days past**
- **AND... more surprises you'll have to attend to be a part of!**

This year's annual Family Retreat weekend will be packed with all sorts of special activities as we celebrate 50 years of transforming ministry. We hope you find time to join us and reconnect with old friends and camp staff!

Things kick off with dinner on Friday night and conclude after lunch on Sunday. Saturday-only guests should plan to arrive by 9:00 am for registration.

To register, fill out the form below, indicate your preferences, and send it to back to us. Or follow the registration link at the top of this page.

FULL WEEKEND

(2 nights, 6 meals)

A/C Lodging

Adult (13+) | **\$146**
Youth (5-12) | **\$130**
Family Max | **\$438**

Rustic Lodging

Adult (13+) | **\$93**
Youth (5-12) | **\$83**

SATURDAY ONLY

(lunch, dinner, and all activities)

Adult (13+) | **\$30**
Youth (5-12) | **\$24**
Family Max | **\$90**

For more information and to register, go to:
<https://cedarkirk.org/annversaryweekend/>

Vital Congregations Facilitator

Peace River Presbytery seeks a paid, part time facilitator for the Vital Congregations Initiative. This initiative is designed to empower local congregations to renew, recover and live more fully into faithful discipleship to Jesus Christ, by the power of the Holy Spirit. Candidate should have excellent organizational and communication skills. Learn about Vital Congregations at: www.pcusa.org/vitalcongregations.

Additionally, we are seeking volunteers to work locally with the Presbytery staff facilitator. A live online training is scheduled for July 13th.

All interested candidates please contact General Presbyter Rev. Melana Scruggs at melana@peacriverpresbytery.org before June 28th and note if you are interested in the paid or volunteer position.

News from FLAPDAN

(Florida Presbyterian Disaster Assistance Network,
in Partnership with Presbyterian Disaster Assistance)

Hurricane Season Preparedness Tips

"It's that time of year again! Colorado State University has announced their predictions as "above average" for the 2021 Hurricane Season. Thankfully we have a much better hold on the coronavirus pandemic than we did a year ago. Still, we need to prepare for this season with our safety protocols in minds."

Please read the entire newsletter from [FLAPDAN](#) for information.

There is also information on the Presbytery's Resource Page about Disaster Preparedness.

Around the Presbytery

Position Opening:

**Cypress Lake Presbyterian Church, Fort Myers
Director of Christian Education**

[Job Posting](#)

[Position Description](#)

Misión Peniel: a Ministry of Peace River Presbytery

Web Site: www.misionpeniel.org

As a mission of the Presbytery, we rely on the churches of Peace River Presbytery for 100% of our budget. Thank you for your faithful support of this presbytery ministry.

For the latest updates, visit us on Facebook (Mision Peniel), Instagram (misionpenielimmokalee) and subscribe to our quarterly newsletter via our website.

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Presbytery Calendar: June 2021

You may view the entire calendar on the Presbytery web site: www.peacriverpresbytery.org
Please email corrections or additions to lori@peacriverpresbytery.org

Thursday, June 3

Mision Peniel Team (10:30 am by Zoom Conference)
Special Called Meeting of Presbytery (2:00 pm by Zoom Conference)

Tuesday, June 8

Committee on Ministry (9:00 am by Zoom Conference)

Wednesday, June 9

Human Resources Team (3:00 pm by Zoom Conference)
Cuba Partnership Task Force (5:00 pm by Zoom Conference)

Thursday, June 10

Finance Team (9:30 am by Zoom Conference)

Wednesday, June 16

Committee on Ministry – Special Called Meeting (10:00 am by Zoom Conference)

Thursday, June 17

Steering Committee (9:00 am by Zoom Conference)

Thursday, June 24

CCC Team (9:00 am by Zoom Conference)

Team, Committee, and other meetings are being conducted via Zoom Video Conference until further notice.
Please check the web site calendar regularly for additions or changes.

Covenant Partners of Peace River Presbytery

Click on the links to visit each ministry's web site:

- Beth-El Farmworker Ministry – Wimauma: www.beth-el.org
- Cedarkirk Camp and Conference Center: www.cedarkirk.org
- Presbyterian Homes & Housing Foundation of FL: www.phhf.com

Prayer Needs

Please pray for:

- Family and Friends of Alberta Adams (former PW Moderator) – passed away June 14th.
Address for cards to Alberta's family: 3734 Prairie Dunes, Sarasota, FL 34238
- DeAnne Sawyer (former Mision Peniel Team Co-Moderator) – continued recovery
- The people of Myanmar
- Rev. Dr. Harry Schill – health
- Our Nation
- The Congregations and Pastors of Peace River Presbytery
- Beth-El Farmworker Ministry (in Wimauma)
- Misión Peniel Farmworker Ministry (in Immokalee)
- Cedarkirk Camp and Conference Center
- Dan and Elizabeth Turk, PCUSA Mission Co-Workers in Madagascar

Churches of Peace River Presbytery

Go to [Peace River Presbytery Churches](#)

to visit each of the church's web sites.



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