

Proposed Form of Government Revisions: New Schedule for Education and Deliberation

At the September 9 Assembly, it was suggested that Council reschedule the POV's consideration of the proposed New Form of Government, in order to provide more time for education and conversation. Council met by conference call the Monday following Assembly, and has decided: 1) to schedule our deliberation and vote on the new Form of Government for the March 5, 2011, Assembly, and 2) to provide a two-hour session on the new Form of Government at 10:00 Eastern Time (9:00 Central Time) on Thursday, December 2. This is the morning of our December Assembly, which is scheduled to be an afternoon meeting. Susan McGhee and Larry Jackman will lead this event, which will be designed to help those who wish to explore the new Form of Government proposal further, as well as provide resources for ministers and elders who wish to offer similar educational opportunities in their congregations and clusters. More information on this event will be available later.

To read the proposed revisions, as well as to see a comparison chart of the current and proposed language, please visit: <u>http://oga.pcusa.org/formofgovernment/</u>

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Worship: 10:00 a.m. Eastern

Rev. David Bremer, Pastor

Elder Alejandra Haddad, CLP

The POV Website - Relaunched

New look, new features - Your center for information on what's happening around the Presbytery!

The picture on the left is one example of our website's new look. The new <u>Churches page</u> is now divided into two compact lists (one by location, one by church name). If you hover over the name of a church, a window pops up (left) showing that church's information – if we have it!

Another new feature on the site is the <u>News and Announcements</u> page. Using the Wordpress platform, the News site will now automatically archive news posts, keeping the most recent news on the front page, allowing us to update and make changes to the news much more quickly. The ability to assign categories to the different news stories and a search box make looking for individual articles a snap!

Please help us make sure that we have all the most current contact & worship information for your church. We have put pictures in place for all of the churches that we have on file. If we don't have one of yours, or if you would like to submit a different picture, please send email it to <u>itsupport@povpc.org</u>. Also, check the Map link for your church!

Click here to explore the new website...

Third Thursdays at Camp PYOCA

Here's your opportunity to spend some great time at Pyoca. We're going meet monthly to work on significant projects!

UFO Retreat takes place at PYOCA on November 5-7 2010 Download the <u>Brochure</u>

Please contact if you are able to assist! We will have projects for all abilities! LUNCH is provided as is all tools and supplies-just come and be prepared to have fun!

Third Thursday dates are: Sept16, Oct 21, Nov 18, Dec 16

More information is available at povpc.org on the <u>News site</u>. Please contact Rich Swartwood to confirm you are coming! Call 866-251-2267 or email at <u>rich@pyoca.org</u>

Scholarship Opportunity

The Office of Financial Aid for Studies has a scholarship opportunity available to students attending any one of the following universities:

Illinois Urbana-Champaign, University of Wisconsin Madison, University of Indiana – Bloomington University of Iowa – Iowa City, Ohio State University University of Michigan – Ann Arbor, Michigan State University, University of Minnesota – Twin Cities Northwestern University, Purdue University Washburn University

The student must:

- Be an active member of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)
- Be a graduate or undergraduate student majoring in natural and physical sciences, medicine,
- agriculture, business, or law
- Maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA on a 4.0 scale

The application is <u>here</u>. If you have any questions, please contact:

Laura A. Bryan at the office of <u>Financial Aid for Studies</u> Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

Toll free: 888-728-7228 ext 5735 or finaid@pcusa.org.

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