

PGV WEBSITE QUICKSTART GUIDE

Make yourself at home, locate the most relevant info for you, bookmark your favorite pages!

See below for some quick links to introduce you to this site and to get you oriented.



WEBSITE PURPOSE

To provide a tool for access to information that is useful for leaders and members of the Presbytery. Such information may include policies, procedures, directories, calendars, event details, essential documents and forms and resources to support congregational vitality.

GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- User-friendly, easy to navigate – intuitive, navigation tools on “all” pages” and fewer “child” drop down menus
- Multiple paths to same content
- Organized by user type—access to information according to the user's role in relation to the Presbytery, committee or group membership, and/or interest—straightforward for users who search & for those who know what they're looking for
- Frame content according to PGV vision of supporting healthy, vital, sustainable congregations and leaders and the neighborhood structure
- Use time-efficient web publication tools and site structures to minimize staff time for site maintenance—enhancing content currency
- Design for use on desktop, laptop, tablet, phone
- Reflect relationships and natural setting in color palette, images, tone

USER TIP

When accessing the website via tablet, phone, or small screen use the “hamburger” icon  in the center to navigate. Since page layouts vary depending on the device just click on the  icon to navigate the site.

NOTE: click on the down arrows **V** on the right side of the drop-down menus to see options under the heading.

QUICK LINKS

[Calendar](#) - committee meetings, fellowship gatherings, Presbytery meetings, church-hosted events

[People Finder](#) - PGV directory

Who We Are

- [Mission & Vision](#)
- [Staff & Leadership](#) - contact info & profiles
- [Presbytery Structure](#) - organization design, definitions, neighborhoods
- [Committees & Working Groups](#) - descriptions & responsibilities
- [Churches Directory](#)
- [Neighborhood Groups](#)

Gatherings

- [Presbytery Meetings](#) - meeting details, dates, minutes, participant resources
- [Workshops & Training](#) - congregational learning courses, church-hosted sessions, Synod/PCUSA training events, recommended workshops
- [Presbytery Fellowship](#) - community building events like the fall event at Stokoe Farms, Winter Family Fun Day at Ellison Park, Spring-Up Day at Camp Whitman, fall event at Ganondagan
- [Church-hosted Events](#) - church dinners, activities, celebrations, mission opportunities, installations

Church & Leader Resources - quick access to information used in specific groups of people or in specific cases in the local church

- [Church Treasurers](#)
- [Church Trustees](#)
- [Clerks of Session](#)
- [Elder Commissioners](#)
- [Inquirers & Candidates](#)
- [New Pastoral Leaders](#)
- [Churches in Transition](#)
- [Grants & Scholarships](#)
- [Pulpit Supply](#)

Documents & Resources

- Documents & Forms
 - [Resources for Churches](#) - ministry administration, finance/property management, faith formation, guidance for sessions & clerks
 - [Annual Reporting](#) - resources for preparing annual reports
 - [Presbytery Meetings & Minutes](#) - meeting details, dates, minutes, participant resources
 - [Mission, Advocacy & Racial Justice](#) - Matthew 25, recommended resources, designated PGV and partner ministries, land acknowledgement
 - [Grants & Scholarships](#) - PGV and Synod awarded grant applications
 - [Health, Safety, & Wellness](#) - disability awareness, pandemic resources, sexual misconduct prevention, Genesee Valley Toolbox, child care
 - [News & Communication](#) - writing and submission guides, eNewsletter
 - [PGV Operations & Structure](#) - staff holidays, staff job descriptions, organization map
 - [PCUSA Connections](#)
- [Presbytery Policies](#)
- [Sexual Misconduct Prevention](#) - policies, resources, best practices, mandatory reporting

WEBSITE GUIDED TOUR SESSIONS

At these come-and-go sessions you can:

- Find out where things are on the site--forms, events, news, committee resources
- Check out new features included in the site
- Give feedback on what you experience
- Hear about continuing enhancements coming to the site

Oct 18, 2022 noon [Join Zoom Meeting](#) *no advance registration needed*

Meeting ID: 824 4850 3097 Passcode: 851116

Oct 20, 2022 3 p.m. [Join Zoom Meeting](#) *no advance registration needed*

Meeting ID: 859 3665 7530 Passcode: 501397

SUGGESTIONS, CORRECTIONS, REQUESTS, QUESTIONS

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