



PW Newsbytes

News you can use from Presbyterian Women

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Any way you want!

Forward this entire newsletter, copy and paste sections into your newsletter, or forward the following fliers to share what's new with PW!

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MARCH 2023 EDITION

67th Commission on the Status of Women



The Presbyterian UN CSW67 Delegation began each day with ecumenical worship in the Church Center chapel. Participants gathered in person and online. Members of the Presbyterian delegation, pictured here, lead the service on day 1 of the commission.

For the first time since 2019, a delegation of Presbyterian Women was on the ground for the 67th United Nations annual Commission on the Status of Women (CSW), March 6–17, 2023. This year's theme is innovation and technological change, and education in the digital age for achieving gender equality and the empowerment of all women and girls. Seventeen women were at the UN and another 11 delegates participated online. Co-moderators of the General Assembly, Shavon Starling-Louis and Ruth Santana-Grace attended this year, as did Stated Clerk J. Herbert Nelson.

Since 2005, Presbyterian Women has partnered with the Presbyterian Ministry at the United Nations to provide a Presbyterian presence at CSW. PW was recognized as a nongovernmental organization by the United Nations in 2018, increasing the size of the Presbyterian delegation. Together, PW and PMUN participate in drafting Agreed Conclusions that UN member states will take back to their

countries for policy setting and action. This year's theme is focused on justice for women and girls in the digital world. This digital world carries the same inequities of society, only accelerated, so brings a "gender digital divide" that is not addressed by any governing framework. This CSW is centered on creating such a framework focused on access to technology, education and gender responsive training that will protect the rights of women and girls online and impact governance policies, making digital life safer and more equitable.

Presbyterian Women provides scholarships through the Leadership Development Grant program for young women to attend CSW annually. If you are interested in participating in a future delegation, contact Patricia Longfellow at patricia.longfellow@pcusa.org.

For more information, see articles by the *Presbyterian News Service* (PNS) at presbyterianmission.org/story/category/presbyterian-news-service/

2024 Churchwide Gathering News

We are on our way to the 2024 Churchwide Gathering of Presbyterian Women! The planning process is in full swing, so do stay informed (and share, share, share) by reading and forwarding this newsletter; bookmarking the Gathering website (presbyterianwomen.org/gathering); printing and distributing the Save-the-Date cards (page 5) checking in on PW social media; and more!

Help promote the 2024 Gathering:

- Write a reflection (poem, haiku, skit) on the Gathering scripture ("Do everything in love," 1 Cor. 16:13–14) and email carissa.herold@pcusa.org or mail to Carissa Herold, Presbyterian Women, 100 Witherspoon St., Louisville KY 40202-1396.
- Share a Gathering memory!
- Make a list of friends to invite.
- With your group, consider encouraging and/or funding Gathering participation for a "new" PW (or two).

Let us rejoice in the promise of being together in faithful community!

Pass It On!

PWC, PWP and PWS newsletter editors, you are the heralds of PW communications! All content in this *NewsBytes* newsletter is freely and happily available for you to share in your PW newsletters (or feel free to share this newsletter as a whole). The full-page fliers at the end of this *NewsBytes* are also available for sharing. Either use Adobe to copy the pages you need, or go to presbyterianwomen.org/news-events, then to the download page for the *NewsBytes* (that offers an overview of the content) and download the separate fliers.



Introducing *Sacred Encounters*

The 2023–2024 PW/*Horizons* Bible study, *Sacred Encounters: The Power and Presence of Jesus in Luke-Acts*, by Olive Mahabir, is rolling out! A lovely and shareable flier (page 6) offers an overview of the study, including the various editions and resource helps that will be available in the spring.

Speaking of the new study, *Horizons* magazine print subscribers will receive a copy of the study with their subscription. And note that Bible study resources will be available beginning in the Summer 2023 issue. (Not a subscriber? Subscribe by April 1, 2023 to receive this study with subscription; visit presbyterianwomen.org/horizons or call toll free 866/802-3635.)

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Buy One *Horizons* Subscription, Get One Free!

Until April 1, 2023, give one gift subscription to *Horizons* and get one FREE! That's right—for just \$24.95, you can give two gifts for the price of one. With each one-year subscription, your gift recipients will receive five issues of the magazine (in print and digital) plus a print edition of the 2023–2024 PW/*Horizons* Bible study, *Sacred Encounters: The Power and Presence of Jesus Christ in Luke-Acts* by Olive Mahabir.

See and share the flier or page 8 or set up your BOGO subscriptions online at presbyterianwomen.org/subscribe.

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Presbyterian Women Resource Catalog

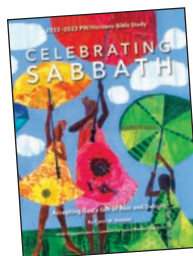
The Spring/Summer 2023 Resources for Presbyterian Women catalog will be available soon to download (presbyterianwomen.org/catalog) and share, peruse and enjoy!

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HLM Reminder

Planning to honor a special someone with an Honorary Life Membership this spring or summer? If so, please submit your application soon as spring is a very busy time in PW's HLM office! You may submit your application online (presbyterianwomen.org/give) or download and complete an HLM form (presbyterianwomen.org/HLM). If you have any questions, please contact Jung Ju Winner (jung.winner@pcusa.org; 844/PW-PCUSA, option 6).

And remember to share your HLM photos and stories with Carissa Herold (email carissa.herold@pcusa.org or mail in care of Carissa Herold to Presbyterian Women, 100 Witherspoon St., Louisville KY 40202-1396).



Special Sale on Select *Celebrating Sabbath* Resources—Save 25%

Now through April 21, 2023, the following *Celebrating Sabbath* editions and resources are available at a special savings. Purchase a copy for a friend, the Companion DVD disc set for your group, or perhaps thank your PW leader or companion Sabbath journeyers with a beautiful pendant of the vibrant cover art! Your purchase supports the many ministries of Presbyterian Women.

Celebrating Sabbath sale items include

- English edition; item HZN22100; special sale price \$7.50
- Companion DVD, disc set; item HZN22103; special sale price \$15.00
- Large print edition; item HZN22150; special sale price \$11.25
- Pendant/charm; item HZN22300, special sale price \$7.50

Visit the *Celebrating Sabbath* webpage (presbyterianwomen.org/bible-study/celebrating-sabbath/) to order. You may also order by phone, 800/533-4371, Monday–Friday, 10 AM–5 PM EST.

Note: Prices do not include shipping and handling (\$6.25 minimum). Quantities are limited. **Sale ends April 21, 2023.**

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PW Annual Fund Resources

What's fun and timely and important to Presbyterian Women? Interpreting and receiving PW's Annual Fund, that's what! The 2023 PW Annual Fund (Mission Pledge) promotional resource is available to order or download from presbyterianwomen.org/annual-fund. This resource visually interprets the financial foundation of PW, the soil from which PW's ministries take root and provide so abundantly that "the birds of the air made nests in its branches" (Luke 13:18–19). (A beautiful bird graces the cover!) Share widely at PW meetings and gatherings, post on bulletin boards and highlight in your next video conference!

Looking for a "nuts-and-bolts" guide pertinent to the work of PW treasurers? If so, download the 2023 Annual Fund, Information for Treasurers resource (available at presbyterianwomen.org/annual-fund/)!

A Growing Justice & Peace Book Discussion Group

The Presbyterian News Service recently published an article about Presbyterian Women's Justice & Peace Book Discussions. The article, written by Presbyterian Women Vice Moderator Kathleen Keefer, describes the origins of the book discussions as well as responses from people who participated. Kathleen writes, "There were many comments during the discussions for each book, including 'Wow, I never knew that!' and 'That is just horrible' and the most important comment, 'How can we do better?'"

Read the full article at presbyterianmission.org/story/presbyterian-women-grows-its-justice-peace-book-discussion-group.

Learn about the books scheduled for discussion in the rest of 2023 (or register to join the free, Zoom-based discussions) at presbyterianwomen.org/justice. See page 10 for a promotional flier.

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Children's Books Giveaway

One of the many perks of sharing good reads with Presbyterian Women is receiving copies of good reads from our publishing partners. Currently available are about ten children's books that have been reviewed in *Horizons* and are now seeking a new shelf to call home. Are you interested in receiving a copy? If so, share a favorite PW photo or PW ministry idea, or respond to one of these questions:

- What would you like for others to understand about PW?
- What tool/resource/support would benefit you and/or your PW group in your PW ministry?

Randomly chosen recipients who respond will receive a book. Email your response to carissa.herold@pcusa.org with "Books" in the subject line. Include your name, street address, and telephone number. If you prefer, you may respond by mail. Mail your response with pertinent information to Carissa Herold, Presbyterian Women, 100 Witherspoon St., Louisville KY 40202-1396. **Please respond by May 1.**



Think You Know Presbyterian Women?

Sometimes the mission and ministry of Presbyterian Women can be misperceived by church leaders and members—and not just by the men! Recent discussions with PW leaders across the network have revealed that flipping the stereotypes and addressing the “why” of PW encourages greater participation in the life of PW and provides insight that Presbyterian Women is not “just” this or that, but instead the largest and most engaged network in the church whose relevance matters to the lives of thousands of faithful women and the tens of thousands who benefit from the faithful witness of PW!

One tool for starting new conversations about PW is the “Think You Know Presbyterian Women?” poster series. These light-hearted and happily serious posters depict a range of what it means to be Presbyterian Women. The first side points out a stereotype; the second gently shows the many ways that PW breaks the stereotype, with a loving, responsive ministry, rooted in the PW Purpose. Share these posters on a bulletin board, or use these concepts in a minute for mission or deeper exploration. A skit inspired by this series is also available.

Download the posters and skit from presbyterianwomen.org/think-you-know. Posters are available in two sizes (8.5" x 11" and 11" x 17"), and either size may be printed with or without the colored border on side two.

This series has been around for a while—they are PW treasures—and new posters are being considered. Have an idea? Share with carissa.herold@pcusa.org.

Build a Bouquet



PW's stewardship committee is launching a “Build a Bouquet” campaign that promises to build community, educate about ways (and whys) to support Presbyterian Women, and bring cheer in the form of flowers—bounties of bouquets—that will culminate in a virtual garden at the 2024 Churchwide Gathering! This “FUNdraising” campaign invites individuals and groups to make a financial gift to Presbyterian Women that will be celebrated with a blossom.

At the churchwide level, gifts to PW will create a virtual bouquet. PW in the Synod, Presbytery or Congregation may want to consider “Build a Bouquet” for an upcoming gathering. Whether the flowers are real, artificial, drawn, sewn or virtual flowers, the bouquets are a testimony to the diversity of God's creation and PW's generosity. And they can be a meaningful part of event decorations, and/or later shared with community partners. Presbyterian women are resourceful so adapt the “Build a Bouquet” in a way that works within your context. Consider or adapt one of these examples:

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Build a Bouquet, continued from p. 3

- Invite attendees to bring a flower from their garden with their financial gift to PW. As the offering or pledges to PW's Annual Fund are received, invite attendees to add their flowers to a vase for a PW bouquet.
- Thank financial supporters of Presbyterian Women with a flower from a large bouquet purchased for this purpose.
- As most synods are made up of two or more states, PW in the Synod events can build bouquets of state flowers. Gathering planners may want to encourage participants to bring their state's flower to the event to help assemble a large bouquet. Alternatively, the planning team could assemble a bouquet of flowers, representing each state in the synod.

Regardless of the format your bouquet takes, do take a photo and send your PW bouquet story to carissa.herold@pcusa.org. Your bouquet may bloom anew at the 2024 Churchwide Gathering! Take time to celebrate the gifts and bouquets that show how together, Presbyterian women bring beauty to God's world through faithful effort through our PW Purpose.

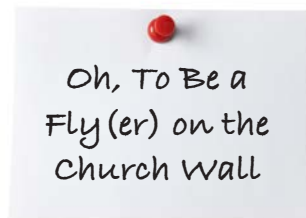
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AmazonSmile

Over the years, purchases made through **AmazonSmile** provided shoppers an easy way to support their favorite ministries and programs. For each eligible purchase, PW (or other designated ministry or program) received a small percentage of the sale price. These small percentages added up! Over the years, **AmazonSmile** through PW purchasers blessed Presbyterian Women in the PCUSA with \$4,270.82. These undesignated dollars benefited PW's Annual Fund, the foundation of all PW ministries.

"For everything there is a season" (Eccl. 3:1) and the season for supporting PW through **AmazonSmile** ended on February 20, 2023. Let us give thanks for generous gifts given through this program as Presbyterian Women finds new and creative ways to build up PW's Annual Fund.

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Fly(er) or flier—however you spell it, there's always news to email, mail or post. Following are just a few resources available to download (from presbyterianwomen.org/downloads) and then share widely!

2024 Churchwide Gathering Save-the-Date Cards

Print and cut this 4-up flier on card stock and share with your circle members and friends!

2023–2024 PW/Horizons Bible study flier

Introducing the 2023–2024 PW/Horizons Bible study **Sacred Encounters: The Power and Presence of Jesus Christ in Luke-Acts** by Olive Mahabir. If you are not yet a *Horizons* magazine subscriber, take note! Subscribe (or renew) by April 1, 2023, to receive this study as part of your subscription! Visit presbyterianwomen.org/horizons or call toll free 866/802-3635.

Horizons BOGO flier

Share the savings! Buy one *Horizons* subscription, get one free—but only through April 1, 2023!

Birthday Offering flier

Learn more about the resources you can order or download to encourage support of the 2023 Birthday Offering.

Justice & Peace Book Discussions flier

Learn about the books scheduled for discussion for the rest of 2023.

Justice & Peace Recommended Resources flier

Learn about recommended resources from Presbyterian Women's Justice & Peace Committee.



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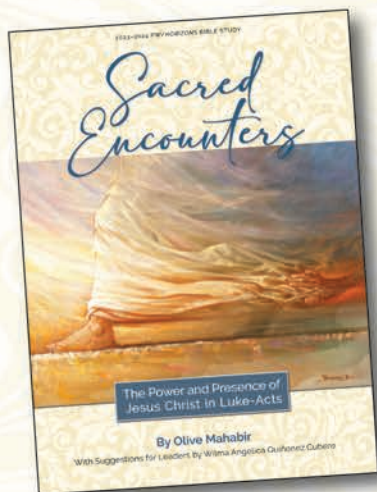
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Introducing the 2023–2024 PW/*Horizons* Bible study

Sacred Encounters

The Power and Presence of Jesus Christ in Luke-Acts
by Olive Mahabir

With Suggestions for Leaders by Wilma Angélica Quiñonez Cubero



The 2023–2024 PW/*Horizons* Bible study by author Olive Mahabir invites readers to consider Jesus, “the good shepherd” (Luke 10:15), who shared the Good News through sacred encounters with everyday people.

The Gospel According to Luke and the Acts of the Apostles, or Luke-Acts “one story in two parts,” demonstrate the unfolding of God’s redemptive purposes in human history and present a distinctive perspective on the person and work of Jesus Christ. Written by Luke, a physician and traveling companion of Paul, the message to the early Christian community (and to us) is radical, inclusive, and hope-filled.

Further, this message invites the church to deeper, compassionate engagement with the world. “What are the potential implications for the church if we treat our interactions as sacred encounters that demonstrate the transformative love of Christ Jesus?” (from the introduction)

About the Authors



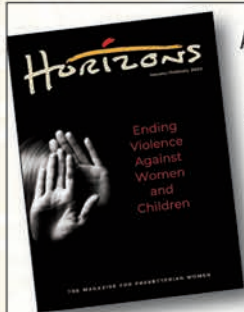
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church as a member of the Presbyterian Committee on the Self-Development of People.



Additional helps in *Horizons* magazine begin with the Summer 2023 issue. Subscribe to *Horizons* magazine and receive in each upcoming issue* the **Anna H. Bedford Bible Study Resource**. Written by a prominent theologian, the Bible Study Resources provide even deeper engagement with the study.

*Issue	Lessons
Summer 2023	1 and 2
September/October 2023	3 and 4
November/December 2023	5 and 6
January/February 2024	7 and 8
March/April 2024	9

To subscribe, renew, or give a gift subscription, call toll free 866/802-3635 or visit presbyterianwomen.org/horizons. Each print subscriber will receive a copy of the annual PW/*Horizons* Bible study with subscription (subscribe by **April 1, 2023** to receive *Sacred Encounters*).

Bible study, supplemental materials, and other helps!*

Bible study editions

- English edition; item HZN23100; \$10
- Spanish edition; item HZN23110; \$10
- Spanish download edition; item HZN23111; \$10; purchase and download at presbyterianwomen.org/shop
- Large-print edition (spiral bound, one-color interior); item HZN23150; \$15
- Ecumenical edition; item HZN23102; \$10
- Audio edition; download only; item HZN23172; \$15; purchase and download at presbyterianwomen.org/shop

Supplemental materials

- *Sacred Encounters* Companion DVD; Olive Mahabir's video introduction for each lesson of the study, about 10 minutes per lesson; item HZN23103; \$20
- *Sacred Encounters* Companion DVD download; item HZN23104; \$20; purchase and download at presbyterianwomen.org/shop
- *Workshop for Leaders*; item HZN23101; free; also available as a free download
- Pendant/charm; features the cover art from the study; item HZN23300; \$10
- Promotional flier; item HZN23411; free; also available as a free download
- Promotional poster; item HZN23410; free download only at presbyterianwomen.org/shop.
- Bulletin cover—8½" x 11"; item HZN23105; free download only at presbyterianwomen.org/shop
- Author blog; journey with the author over the year with Olive's monthly blog; the first blog will be posted August 2023; visit and bookmark presbyterianwomen.org/blog.

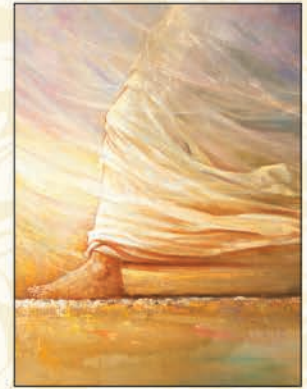
*Note that prices do not include shipping and handling (\$6.25 minimum). International orders and orders to Puerto Rico incur additional shipping charges. Prices, availability, and shipping charges are subject to change without notice.



Lesson One
Elizabeth's Sacred
Encounter



Lesson Two
The Exorcism in
Gerasa



Lesson Three
A Bleeding Woman
Encounters Christ



Lesson Four
Mary and Martha
Encounter Jesus



Lesson Five
A Person with Leprosy
Encounters Jesus



Lesson Six
A Person with a Physical
Disability Encounters Jesus



Lesson Seven
An Ethiopian Eunuch
Encounters the Good
News of Jesus



Lesson Eight
Lydia Encounters Jesus
in Worship



Lesson Nine
People Encounter Jesus
Through the
Work of the Disciples

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2023–2024 Bible study author **Olive Mahabir**

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2023 Birthday Offering OF PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

—Galatians 6:9-10

Since 1922, Presbyterian Women's Birthday Offering has helped fund mission projects that improve lives. This year's Birthday Offering recipients are:

**Making Miracles Group Home
Phase II Group Home**
makingmiraclesgrouphome.org
Tallahassee, Florida

**Berhane Yesus Elementary School
Kindergarten School Construction**
berhane-yesus.info
Dembi Dollo, Ethiopia

Resources to Promote the 2023 Birthday Offering of Presbyterian Women

Essentials

The **2023 Birthday Offering promotional booklet**, which is mailed to PW leaders, includes grant recipient summaries; a dedication service; a greeting from the Creative Ministries Offering Committee of Presbyterian Women; ideas to promote and support the Birthday Offering; a poster/placemat; and promotional resource flier. *Available as a download in English, Korean and Spanish as well!* Item PWR23451; free.

The 11" x 17" 2023 Birthday Offering poster/placemat is versatile: use side one as a poster suitable for bulletin boards and trifolds; use side two as a placemat for dinners and tabletops. Available as singles so order as many (or as few) as needed! Item PWR23453; free.

Receiving the Offering

Birthday Offering group giving envelopes, traditionally used in PW circles and congregations, are available in packs of 25; item PWR12501; free.

Individual giving envelopes are PW's multipurpose envelopes. These #10 green envelopes include an attached slip that allows an individual (or group) to choose where to direct gifts as well as an area for credit card information. Available in packs of 10; item PWR20456; free.

2023 Birthday Offering bulletin insert — Download only; item PWR23450; presbyterianwomen.org/birthday.

2023 Birthday Offering bulletin cover (8½" x 11") — Download only; item PWR23452; presbyterianwomen.org/birthday.

2023 Birthday Offering promotional video (English, Spanish and Korean) — Available on PW's YouTube channel: youtube.com/presbyterianwomen.

More to Explore!

The **January/February 2023 issue of Horizons magazine** includes the grant recipient list as well as a dedication service. Available to order January 2023; item HZN23200 \$4.00. (Not a *Horizons* magazine subscriber? Call 866/802-3635 or visit presbyterianwomen.org/horizons to subscribe!)

Messages of Reconciliation and Hope: 75 Years of Birthday Offerings, 1922-1997, by Catherine Stewart Vaughn. Item PWR00507, \$12.00, on sale for \$3.00.

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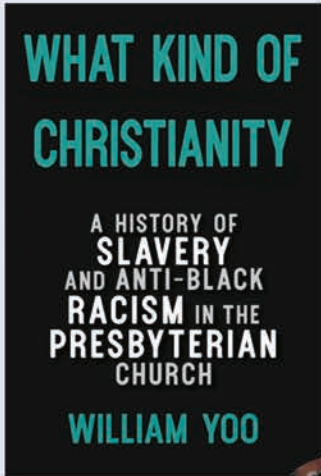
- Call 800/533-4371, Monday–Friday, 10 AM–5 PM EST.
- Or shop online at presbyterianwomen.org/shop (type "Birthday Offering" in the search box).

Note: There are no shipping charges for free/promotional offering materials. Have a PW leadership change? If so, contact patricia.longfellow@pcusa.org (or call 844/797-2872, ext. 8015) so she can ensure that PW resources are mailed to the "proper" PW!



2023 JUSTICE and PEACE Book Discussion *Group*

FEBRUARY 13



SPECIAL WEBINAR
WITH AUTHOR



DISCUSS THE BOOKS WITH OTHERS VIA ZOOM
• The J&P Book Discussion Group is open to all!



DISCUSSION GROUP MEETS EVERY OTHER MONTH
• Read and discuss any or all books that appeal to you. Registration will be needed to join the discussion on Zoom.



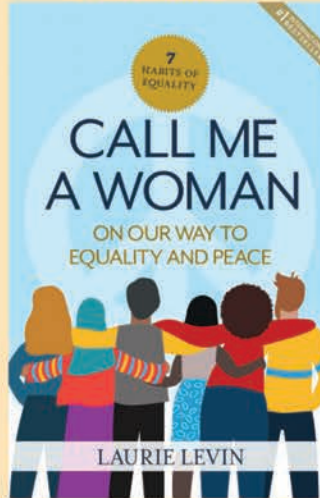
RECEIVE STUDY GUIDES TO INFORM YOUR READING
• Questions for discussion or reflection will be sent with your registration confirmation.



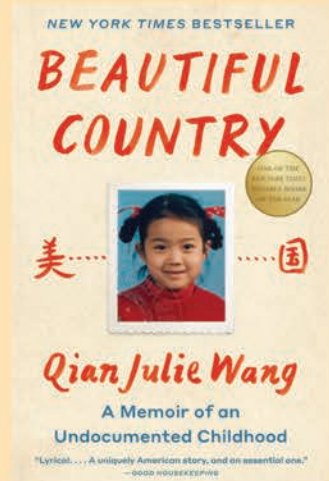
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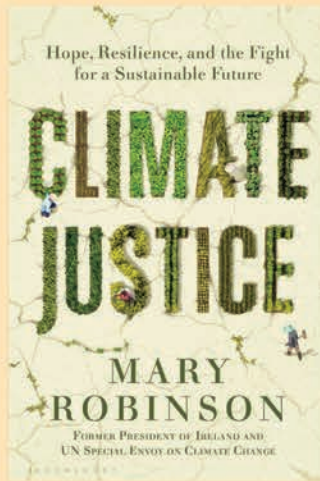
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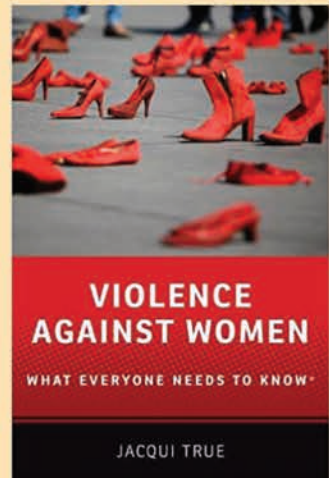
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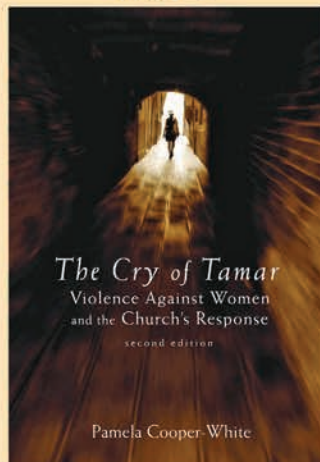
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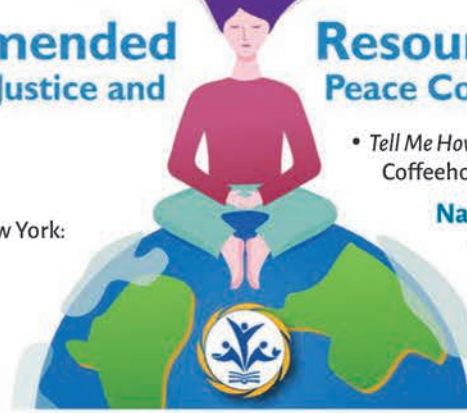
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Selections are recommended by the Justice & Peace Committee of PW's Board of Directors.

Recommended for Justice and

Resources Peace Concerns



Antiracism

- *Asian Americans*—5-part series (PBS, 2020); <https://www.pbs.org/show/asian-americans/>
- *Between the World and Me* by Ta-Nehisi Coates (New York: Spiegel & Grau, 2015)
- *Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents* by Isabel Wilkerson (New York, Random House, 2020)
- *The Color of Law: A Forgotten History of How Our Government Segregated America* by Richard Rothstein (New York: Liveright, 2017)
- *Practicing God's Radical Hospitality* (PW, 2013); www.presbyterianwomen.org/shop; item PWR13060; \$6+shipping
- *STAMPED: Racism, Antiracism and You—A Remix of the National Book Award-Winning Stamped from the Beginning* by Jason Reynolds and Ibram X. Kendi (Young Readers, 2020)
- *White Too Long: The Legacy of White Supremacy in American Christianity* by Robert P. Jones (Simon & Schuster, 2020)
- Also see www.presbyterianwomen.org/antiracism.

Criminal Justice

- *Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption* by Bryan Stevenson (New York: Spiegel & Grau, 2014)
- *The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness* by Michelle Alexander (NY: New Press, 2010)
- *Waste: One Woman's Fight Against America's Dirty Secret* by Catherine Coleman Flower (The New York Press, 2020)

Eco-justice

- *Climate Justice: Hope, Resilience, and the Fight for a Sustainable Future* by Mary Robinson (New York: Bloomsbury, 2018)
- *Eco-Justice Journey* blog, Presbyterian Hunger Program; www.pcusa.org/hunger
- "Presbyterian Women's Eco-Justice Initiative" (PW, 2019); www.presbyterianwomen.org/eco-justice
- *Report of the Secretary-General on the 2019 Climate Action Summit and the Way Forward* (UN Climate Action Summit, 2019); https://www.un.org/sites/un2.un.org/files/cas_report_11_dec_o.pdf
- *The Story of Stuff*; <https://www.storyofstuff.org>

Gender Justice

- *Championing Gender Equality in the Church*. A TEDxTalk with Karen Sethuraman (2020); <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=df-Bpkx4MAUA> [video]
- *Much More to Be Done: Comments Made to Women in Ministry* (Heartland Presbytery, 2019); <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wmC5NoHcjac> [video]
- *Period. End of Sentence.* (Netflix, 2019) [documentary]
- Polaris Project; polarisproject.org/human-trafficking/
- *Trust Women: A Progressive Christian Argument for Reproductive Justice* by Rebecca Todd Peters (Boston: Beacon, 2019)
- *Words Matter*; <https://www.presbyterianwomen.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/Words-Matter-Conversation-Guide.pdf>

Immigration

- *A Good Provider Is One Who Leaves: One Family and Migration in the 21st Century* by Jason DeParle (New York: Viking, 2019)
- *This Land Is Our Land: An Immigrant's Manifesto* by Suketu Mehta (New York: Farrar, Straus, Giroux, 2019) • *Dear America—Notes of an Undocumented Citizen* by Jose Antonio Vargas (New York: Dey Street, 2018)

- *Tell Me How It Ends* by Valeria Luiselli (Minneapolis, MN: Coffeehouse, 2017)

Native American Justice

- *Decolonizing Wealth: Indigenous Wisdom to Heal Divides and Restore Balance* by Edgar Villanueva (Berrett-Koehler Publishers, 2018)
- *The Heartbeat of Wounded Knee: Native America from 1890 to the Present* by David Treuer (New York: Riverhead, 2019)
- *An Indigenous Peoples' History of the United States*

by Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz (Boston: Beacon, 2014)

- *Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI* by David Grann (NY: Doubleday, 2017)
- *Wind River* (Amazon Prime, 2017) [movie]

Poverty

- *Hillbilly Elegy: A Memoir of a Family and Culture in Crisis* by J. D. Vance (New York: Harper, 2016)
- *Poverty in America: A Handbook* (3rd Edition) by John Iceland (Berkeley: University of California, 2013)

Substance Use Disorder

- "Addiction," a PBS Nova episode; www.pbs.org/video/addiction-afxne/ [video]
- *Dopesick: Dealers, Doctors and the Drug Company that Addicted America* by Beth Macy (New York: Little, Brown, 2018)
- "Presbyterian Women's Substance Use Disorder Initiative" (PW, 2019); <https://www.presbyterianwomen.org/downloads/substance-use-disorder-responses-flier/>
- "Responding with Compassion to Substance Use Disorder," *J&P Links*, 2019, <https://www.presbyterianwomen.org/downloads/justice-peace-links-substance-use-disorder/>

United Nations

- *Engaging Our World: Sunday School Resource for UN Sustainable Development Goals* (PMUN, 2020); <https://www.presbyterianmission.org/resource/engaging-our-world/>
- *Sustainable Development Goals: Study and Devotional Guide* (PMUN, 2019); <https://www.presbyterianmission.org/story/go-to-sunday-school-with-the-united-nations/>
- United Nations Commission on the Status of Women: <https://www.unwomen.org/en/csw>

Overall

- *Generous Justice: How God's Grace Makes Us Just* by Timothy J. Keller (Penguin Books, 2012)
- *Horizons*, the magazine for Presbyterian Women (issues on human trafficking, immigration, education and more) plus "Working for Justice and Peace" in each issue
- *Justice & Peace Calendar*; <https://www.presbyterianwomen.org/downloads/2021-justice-and-peace-calendar/>
- *Justice & Peace Links* newsletter, https://www.presbyterianwomen.org/download_categories/work-for-justice-and-peace/
- Presbyterian Women Children's Reading List: https://www.presbyterianwomen.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/tia_literacy_reading_list5.5.pdf
- *Starry Black Night: A Womanist Advent Devotional* published by Unbound 2020 ministry of the PC(USA); <https://justiceunbound.org/starryblacknight/>