

2024 Churchwide Gathering of Presbyterian Women

August 8–11, 2024

St. Louis, Missouri • Marriott St. Louis Grand

Registration Form

Carefully print all information on all pages of the registration form. Make a copy of the pages and of your payment (if paying by check) before putting originals in the mail. Keep a copy for your records.

Note that this form is solely for registering to attend the 2024 CWG in person. You will still need to arrange hotel and travel according to the details on presbyterianwomen.org/gathering. Hotel information is available on page 7; note that you will need to reserve your room by July 15 to receive the special Gathering rate.

PART 1. PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Please type or print

Last name First name

Name for name tag Pronouns (she/her, they/them, etc.)—optional

Mailing address

City State Country Postal code

Daytime phone number Cell phone number

Email address

Presbytery Synod Age

Name of emergency contact Emergency phone number

Race/Ethnicity (U.S. residents only)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> African/African American/Black | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latina/Latino/Latinx | <input type="checkbox"/> White, not of Hispanic origin |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Native/Indigenous/Native American | <input type="checkbox"/> Int'l (not permanent resident or U.S. citizen) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian American | <input type="checkbox"/> Middle Eastern American | <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to answer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bi-racial/Multi-racial | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | |

Special Dietary Requirements (For in-person attendees only)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> No restrictions | <input type="checkbox"/> Gluten-free | <input type="checkbox"/> No shellfish |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetarian | <input type="checkbox"/> No dairy | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vegan | <input type="checkbox"/> No nuts | |

Plenary Accessibility

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| <input type="checkbox"/> American Sign Language | <input type="checkbox"/> Wheelchair/Scooter seating | <input type="checkbox"/> Simultaneous translation in |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Amplification | <input type="checkbox"/> Low vision seating | <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | <input type="checkbox"/> Korean |

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PART 2. GATHERING PARTICIPATION

Registration Fees		
Type of registration	Cost	Amount
Full registration	\$450	\$
One-day registration (limited to one day) <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday, August 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Friday, August 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday, August 10	\$150	\$
Subtotal		\$

Additional programming

I plan to participate in

☐ **Book groups** (5–5:45 PM)

- ☐ Thursday book group—*Walking Through the Valley: Womanist Explorations in the Spirit of Katie Geneva Canon*, edited by Emilie M. Townes et. al.
- ☐ Friday book group—*Bone Broth*, by Lyndsey Ellis
- ☐ Saturday book group—*Saving Delicia: A Story about Small Seeds and Big Dreams*, Laura Gehl and Patricia Metola and *Psalms of Wonder: Poems from the Book of Psalms*, by Carey Wallace and Khoa Le

☐ **Synod and Celebration Luncheons**
(Saturday, Aug. 10, 12–1:30 PM)—\$45

- ☐ Synod of the Covenant Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of Lakes and Prairies Luncheon

- ☐ Synod of Lincoln Trails Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of Living Waters Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of Mid-America Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of the Northeast Luncheon and Alaska Northwest
- ☐ Synod of the Pacific Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of Rocky Mountains Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of South Atlantic Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of Southern California and Hawaii Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of the Southwest Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of the Sun Luncheon
- ☐ Synod of the Trinity Luncheon
- ☐ National Association of Presbyterian Clergywomen's Katie Geneva Cannon Ordination Celebration

Workshop Selections

Workshop choices for Friday, August 9 and Saturday, August 10 follow. Descriptions of the workshops are on presbyterianwomen.org/gathering or in the downloadable Gathering Guide, available at presbyterianwomen.org/GatheringGuide.

Page 3 has the Friday choices; page 4 has the Saturday choices. Each column represents one of the three workshop time slots on the given day. Write the letter/number combination for your top two choices in each time slot. You will receive confirmation of your selections when you pick up your registration materials at the Gathering.

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Friday, 10:30–11:45 AM (A)	Friday, 2:15–3:30 PM (B)	Friday, 4–5:15 PM (C)
A1. 2024–2025 PW/ <i>Horizons</i> Bible Study, <i>Let Justice Roll Down: God’s Call to Care for Neighbors and All Creation</i> —Patricia K. Tull	B1. 2024–2025 PW/ <i>Horizons</i> Bible Study, <i>Let Justice Roll Down: God’s Call to Care for Neighbors and All Creation</i> —Patricia K. Tull	C1. 2025–2026 PW/ <i>Horizons</i> Bible Study, <i>Celebrating Our Resilience and Joy in Jesus Christ</i> —Rhashell Hunter
A2. Abolishing Cages: Journey to Community—Deborah Lee	B3. Family Disaster Preparedness Training Workshop—Marilyn Stone and Lynette Williams	C2. Abolishing Cages: Journey to Community—Deborah Lee
A3. Family Disaster Preparedness Training Workshop—Marilyn Stone and Lynette Williams	B4. <i>Expand tus horizontes</i> —Magdalena I. García	C3. Love Always—Cecelia D. Armstrong
A4. Heart and Treasure—Liz Wagner	B5. Love God, Love God’s Creation—Rebecca Barnes	C4. Global Women’s Spirituality and Solidarity—Kyungmoon Yoon
A5. Matthew 25—Diane L. Givens Moffett	B6. Matthew 25—Diane L. Givens Moffett	C5. Heart and Treasure—Liz Wagner (NAPC)
A6. Setting Boundaries in Love—Cindy Kohlmann	B7. Roots of and Remedies for Anti-Asian Hate—Laura Mariko Cheifetz	C6. Listening and Speaking in Love—Samantha Davis
A7. Somatic Justice—Shanea Leonard	B8. Setting Boundaries in Love—Cindy Kohlmann	C7. Love God, Love God’s Creation—Rebecca Barnes
A8. A Song of Love—Rebecca Chu	B9. Somatic Justice—Shanea Leonard	C8. PW Looking Forward: Celebrating PW’s Past, Present and Future—Kathy Reeves and Susan Jackson Dowd
A9. Una mesa vibrante: Tejiendo DEI en nosotras—Danilie C. Hilerio-Villanueva	B10. A Vibrant Table: Weaving DEI into Our Patterns—Danilie C. Hilerio-Villanueva	C9. 사랑의 노래—Rebecca Chu
A10. Young Adults in 2024—Laura Mariko Cheifetz	B11. When They Say Protect Me: Our Missing and Murdered Indigenous Relatives—Elona Street-Stewart	C10. Soul Collage: Transformation Through Images and Reflection—Denise Shannon
A11. 보이시스 오브 리디아: 한국이민교회의 여성리더쉽—Heejin (Jeanie) Lim and Inhye Park	B12. The PC(USA) and the Sacred Work of Reproductive Justice—Rebecca Todd Peters	C11. Empowering Women and Girls: Gender Equality for All—Magdalene Lewis and friends
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Choice 2:	Choice 2:	Choice 2:

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Saturday, 10:30–11:45 AM (D)	Saturday, 2:15–3:30 PM (E)	Saturday, 4–5:15 PM (F)
D1. 2025–2026 PW/ <i>Horizons</i> Bible Study, <i>Celebrating Our Resilience and Joy in Jesus Christ</i> —Rhashell Hunter	E1. 2026–2027 PW/ <i>Horizons</i> Bible Study, <i>Love as Equity in the Body of Christ</i> —Veda Pendleton	F1. 2023 USA Mission Experience to Arizona–Mexico Border—Kathleen Keefer and friends
D2. Building Inclusive Community—Nina Khoury and Catreli Hunter	E2. Amazing Things To Do with Congregational Green Teams—Patricia K. Tull	F2. 2026–2027 PW/ <i>Horizons</i> Bible Study, <i>Love as Equity in the Body of Christ</i> —Veda Pendleton
D3. Enough Is Enough! Direct Action to End Gun Violence in the U.S.—Cheryl Hunt	E3. Building Inclusive Community—Nina Khoury and Catreli Hunter	F3. Amazing Things To Do with Congregational Green Teams—Patricia K. Tull
D4. Local Mission: Panel of St. Louis Mission Programs	E4. Listening and Speaking in Love—Samantha Davis	F4. Love Always—Cecelia D. Armstrong
D6. Prayers, Litanies and Blessings—Magdalena I. García	E5. Local Mission: Panel of St. Louis Mission Programs	F5. Mission in Guatemala: Empowerment and Transformation Through Christ’s Love—Eliane Menezes
D7. Social Justice is Love in Action—Rebecca Barnes	E6. Misión en Guatemala: El empoderamiento y la transformación a través del amor de Cristo—Eliane Menezes	F6. Oraciones, Letanías y bendiciones—Magdalena I. García
D9. Uncharted Waters: Faith Formation as a First Step for Loving Action—Christina Cosby	E7. PW Looking Forward: Celebrating PW’s Past, Present and Future—Kathy Reeves and Susan Jackson Dowd	F8. Roots of and Remedies for Anti-Asian Hate—Laura Mariko Cheifetz
D10. Young Adults in 2024—Laura Mariko Cheifetz	E8. Social Justice is Love in Action—Rebecca Barnes	F9. 연결됨의 영성 (“The Spirituality of Connectedness”)—윤경문 목사 (Rev. Kyungmoon Yoon)
D11. Best Practices for Saving and Sharing PW History—Nancy Taylor	E9. Soul Collage: Transformation Through Images and Reflection—Denise Shannon	F11. Unleash the Power of Love: The Path to Forging Intergenerational Connections in Church—Maureen Anderson
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D13. A Treasure Trove of Information for PW Treasurers—Susan Ochs and Rhonda Martin	E11. Unleash the Power of Love: The Path to Forging Intergenerational Connections in Church—Maureen Anderson	
D14. Ministries of Love in the Heart of Africa—Christi Boyd	E12. Best Practices for Saving and Sharing PW History—Nancy Taylor	

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Volunteer Opportunities

Select any volunteer options you wish; there will be follow-up by email to schedule service

- ☐ Communion Server—Communion servers will serve communion at closing worship. Servers are elders, deacons, or ministers of word and sacrament.
- ☐ *Daily Horizons* Reporter
- ☐ Gathering Choir
- ☐ Greeter—Greeters are stationed in workshop rooms. They welcome attendees, welcome the guest speaker (introduction will be given to you), and deliver closing thanks for the session.
- ☐ Mover—Movers are placed in hallways, convention center areas, escalator areas, street corners, and plenary convention areas. They assist in directing, guiding and keeping the flow of walkers to their next locations.
- ☐ Photographer
- ☐ Silent Auction Mentor—The Silent Auction Mentor (SAM) is placed in the resource room where the PW Silent Auction is located. SAMs assist in helping those who are interested in placing a bid on any of the items; answer questions about the silent auction procedure and how a bid is placed; and oversee that all information needed from the bidder is completed.
- ☐ Usher—Ushers are stationed in the second-floor plenary convention center auditorium. They help to direct and seat attendees, move wheelchairs, scooters and walkers to a designated area and return wheelchairs, scooters and walkers to their owners. Ushers have designated seats.
- ☐ Videographer
- ☐ Wherever Needed

PART 3. REGISTRATION FEES AND PAYMENT

Prepurchase Options

Gathering tote bag: Purchase one of the limited-edition, official 2024 Gathering tote bags! These bags were crafted by Stitching Change of Kansas City, Missouri, which provides a place for refugee women to be in community, to explore their creativity and to learn and hone skills to help provide a sustainable income. Presbyterian women were invited to share fabrics and notions with Stitching Change for the tote bags. That's why each tote bag is a unique creation, linking us one to another in shared resources and shared responsibility in stewarding materials for use instead of refuse. Preordered bags will be available for pick-up at Gathering registration.

Carbon offset: To "offset" the carbon emissions used in our travels and meetings at the Gathering, please join the PC(USA) in planting trees and supporting other carbon sequestration projects in the U.S. and around the world, as part of our stewardship of God's creation. Together, our collective donations to the Presbyterian Tree Fund/Restoring Creation account will support tree-planting and other climate-friendly grants. This effort is in direct response to an overture passed at last General Assembly ([pc-biz.org/search/3000854](https://www.pc-biz.org/search/3000854)). To read more details, go to: [presbyterianmission.org/eco-journey/presbyterian-carbon-tree-fund](https://www.presbyterianmission.org/eco-journey/presbyterian-carbon-tree-fund).

For more information or to register online, visit www.presbyterianwomen.org/gathering.

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Total payment	
Registration (copy amount from p. 2)	\$
Synod or Celebration Luncheon (\$45)	\$
Gathering tote bag (\$25)	\$
Carbon offset (\$12)	\$
Total fees	\$

Please initial the line next to the statement below.

_____ I acknowledge and accept the waivers, releases and cancellation policy on page 7.

☐ My check (made payable to Presbyterian Women with **SE24003** on memo line) is enclosed.

☐ Please charge my debit/credit card.

Card type:

☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ AmericanExpress ☐ Discover

Cardholder's name _____

Card number _____

Expiration date _____ Security code _____

Billing zip code _____

After making a copy, please return this form to

Presbyterian Women—Gathering
PO Box 643652
Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3652

Registrations must be U.S. postmarked by July 3, 2024!

Questions? Contact Gathering Registrar
Carol Winkler, winksmama@gmail.com or 859/991-5079.

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PART 4. PARTICIPATION WAIVERS AND CANCELLATION POLICIES

PW 2024 Photography Waiver and Releases

Photographers, reporters, videographers, historians, scrapbookers and many others will be capturing cherished moments at this Gathering. By being a part of this event, you may find your image, voice or quotes used in reporting or promotion, and/or streamed and posted online. The Open Meeting Policy of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) ("PC(USA)") calls on us to conduct our ministries in this spirit of openness, trust and public scrutiny. By attending and participating, you give Presbyterian Women in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), Inc. ("PW"), the PC(USA), operating for secular, corporate purposes via Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), A Corporation ("A Corporation"), its affiliated institutions, related entities, and ecumenical partners permission to use your image, voice, feedback, and quotes on a perpetual, worldwide, irrevocable basis in any and all media including, but not limited to, websites, online posting and streaming, print, cable and broadcast media without submission or re-submission to you for approval. You understand that third parties accessing web pages can view and download your image, voice and quotes, and you release PW, A Corporation, their affiliated institutions, related entities, and ecumenical partners from any liability to you, your heirs or your assigns in connection with or arising out of such downloading by third parties.

Liability Waiver and Medical Release

You agree and acknowledge that you are undertaking participation in this meeting and activities as your own free and intentional act and you are fully aware that possible physical injury might occur to participants and their guests. While we attempt to maintain a safe environment for our attendees, Presbyterian Women in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), Inc. and/or the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), A Corporation cannot be held responsible for any medical emergencies that may occur during the event.

PW 2024 Cancellation Policy

Send Gathering registration cancellation/refund requests in writing by July 1 to the
PW Business Office,

100 Witherspoon St., Louisville, KY 40202-1396

Or email mindi.stivers@pcusa.org.

Hotel cancellation is your responsibility. All Gathering cancellation refunds will incur a \$50 processing fee.

Hotel Reservation

All Gathering sleeping rooms are at the

Marriott St. Louis Grand

800 Washington Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63101

Rooms start at \$185 per night, one to four persons per room, plus taxes and fees. These discounted rates will apply three nights before and after the Gathering. Attendees are responsible for making their own hotel reservation. Only one person per hotel room should reserve a room, but should provide the names of others who will occupy that room. Book by July 15, 2024 to receive the Gathering rate.

Many websites offer hotel bookings, but to ensure a legitimate booking at the Gathering rate, reserve your room via:

- the hotel booking link on presbyterianwomen.org/cwghotel
- the hotel booking link at the end of your Gathering registration confirmation
- a call to 877/303-0104—the Marriott reservation line (To access the group rate, request the "Churchwide Gathering of Presbyterian Women 2024 Room Block." You may also use your Marriott points to reserve your room via this phone number.)