

*You are invited to the Annual Spring Gathering  
of Transylvania Presbyterian Women*

Saturday, April 13, 2024

@ First Presbyterian Church, Richmond, KY

Theme: Food Insecurity



**Our keynote speaker: Mr. Jim Embry, Richmond, KY**

*Mr. Embry is nationally known and recognized for his interest in food insecurity. He co-founded The Good Food Co-op in Lexington and was involved in starting Glean, KY.*

- There will be information about the activities of Presbyterian Women in our Presbytery and opportunities to learn about mission projects that might be of interest for women in your church.
- During our worship time, we will hear Scripture and a message from a women Teaching Elder (TBA) and participate in the Lord's Supper.
- We will announce the **6 winners of the Mary Scott Moore Scholarships for the Churchwide Gathering of Presbyterian Women, Aug. 8-11, 2024 in St. Louis.** *Each scholarship is \$450 for registration and some car expense reimbursement (see below for more info)*
- We will commission the women going to the Churchwide Gathering of Presbyterian Women, Aug. 8-11, 2024 in St. Louis.
- And we will **elect new members to the Transylvania PWP Coordinating Team** *(Will this be you? Open positions include Social Justice Coordinator, Recording Sec'y, Cluster leaders for 3 clusters – including the Lexington churches, & Search Comm. Coordinator. Your wisdom and talents are needed! Positions can be shared! Coordinating Team meets 4-5 times/year and always via zoom. Contact Karen (below) for more info!!*

Fellowship and coffee time begins at 9:30 a.m., the Gathering will start at 10. After the program, there will be a box lunch at noon. *We will then go back to our churches on (hopefully) winged feet filled with enthusiasm for the work of women in our churches!*

The cost will be \$15 per person, which includes lunch and coffee time.

- ▶ *Advanced registration is required and registration forms will be on the Presbytery Newsletter site and sent to churches very soon. Deadline for registration is Friday, April 5, 2024. Thanks to The Rev. Dr. Curtis Christian, we will be able to ZOOM this gathering to individuals or groups. More info to come!*

*All women are invited, whether you have a women's group in your church or not!  
It's amazing what folks working together can accomplish in the name of Jesus Christ!*

● **Information about the 2024 PW Churchwide Gathering** can be found at [www.presbyterianwomen.org/gathering](http://www.presbyterianwomen.org/gathering) and by contacting Karen May, [karen@the2mays.net](mailto:karen@the2mays.net) and Emily Carroll, [ecarroll1@roadrunner.com](mailto:ecarroll1@roadrunner.com). ● Scholarship applications for the Churchwide Gathering are on the Transylvania Friday Newsletter or contact Emily or Karen.

♪♪ Please publicize this fun event in your church and come to Richmond on April 13<sup>th</sup>!