



Mike's Mission Notes:

Here are a few things I'd like to highlight regarding Mission in the National Capital Presbytery:

- Global Mission Partnership Grant applications are due March 31st, applications available at <http://www.nationalcapitalmission.org/grant-info/> Part One is near the top of the page, scroll down to get the Global Mission Partnership Grant Part Two.
- Local Mission Grants are accepted in advance of the monthly Mission Coordination Meeting, and reviewed the same week as the deadline, with funds usually distributed the next week if approved. The March Local Mission Grant deadline is Sunday March 5th, the April deadline is Sunday April 9th and the May deadline is Sunday May 7th. Applications can be found on the link referenced in the last paragraph.
- New York Avenue Presbyterian Church passed along some great information about Sanctuary Churches and a draft of a resolution presented to their session. The documents can be found here: <http://www.nationalcapitalmission.org/mikes-blog/2017/2/14/sanctuary-church-info-from-new-york-avenue-pres>
- A call for Prayer from the presbytery has gone out for the nation of Cameroon, find the call and ways to act here: <http://www.nationalcapitalmission.org/mikes-blog/2017/2/14/call-for-prayer-cameroon>
- There are currently two mission teams being formed by the Mission Coordination Committee, Refugees, led by Rev Nancy Fox and Urban Ministry, led by Rev Dave Milam. Anyone is welcome to participate in these teams, please let me know if you are interested in helping out, and I will pass your name on to the respective Team Leaders
- Saint Mark recently hosted the first of a two part series entitled Theology, Racism and Christian Practice. The first event, a two day event featuring Dr Willie Jennings speaking the first evening and a panel discussion with Dr Jennings, Dr Paul Roberts and Rev Denise Anderson the next morning. It was a huge success with an estimated 150 people in attendance the first evening. The second event will be on Thursday March 30th and will feature Dr James Cone speaking about his recent book the Cross and the Lynching Tree. Find more info here: <http://www.saintmarkpresby.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/01/TheoRacismChristPrac-fullpageAd-v2.pdf>
- Do you have any upcoming event or Mission Activity, please let me know and I will be happy to post it here!

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