

Messages from the Mountaintop

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF
ABINGDON PRESBYTERY

Greetings from Anderson Memorial

Written by Rev. Ann Elyse Hicks

Dear friends,

I had the great joy to worship with the lovely folks at Anderson Memorial Presbyterian in Pulaski this past Sunday. They are a small, close-knit bunch with big hearts and a deep love of learning. The whole congregation meets for Sunday school before the worship service, and they enjoy reading through the lectionary together.

In addition, the congregation engages in mission work. They currently have a room full of clothing donations for PCHH's ministry Foster's Closet. They also participate in mid-week Lenten services at the various area congregations, and Anderson Memorial will host Pulaski's community Good Friday service.

The congregation remains open to the work of the Holy Spirit, and I loved getting to meet everyone. I also got to talk with Rev. Terrie Sternberg, a retired ELCA pastor who leads worship once a month. Her energy is infectious, and I'm excited to see what comes next for Anderson Memorial.

In Christ,
Ann Elyse

Near Right: exterior of Anderson Memorial
Upper: The sanctuary decorated for Lent
Far Right: The congregation's Lenten cross; as part of their Lenten devotion, they nailed their written confessions to the cross, and they will be removed Easter morning



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Presbytery Happenings

Announcements and Celebrations

Upcoming Meetings and Events:

- COM, March 22, 10am @Royal Oak
- Easter, March 31
- Leadership Council, April 4, 10am @Presby Office
- Personnel and Ops, April 16, 10am @Presby office
- Presby Assembly, May 9 @Rich Valley PC

We Pray:

- For those affected by natural disasters
 - For Rev. Michael Weller
 - For Dembi Dollo, Ethiopia
 - For Refresh Bible College, Mwamba, Kenya
 - For Jennifer Parish
 - For Ukraine
 - For the churches in our presbytery
 - For Wild Goose NWC
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Update from Our Mission Partners in Kenya

The new community well is active, and they've installed a giant cistern so that there's always water available. Refresh Bible College is also under construction, and it's looking great!



Above: Bishop Maurice Omolubi poses in front of the deep water well at Refresh Bible College, Mwamba, Kenya



Upper Right: The new cistern is placed on its platform



Lower Right: The cistern is up and open for community use!

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