



PRESBYTERIAN YOUTH TRIENNIUM 2022

July 24-27 • Indianapolis, IN

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PWNC Delegation Application

Event Overview:

Four days of CONVERSATION, RECREATION, LEARNING, WORSHIP AND FUN! Drawing from the rich and diverse theology, history and education of the Presbyterian tradition – the Triennium experience is packed with the information students long to explore! While digging into faith through a variety of activities and experiences – all focused around the theme “When Did We See You?” – participants at the Triennium will re-enter their lives with a fresh sense of inspiration grounded in the context of personal and communal worship!

Theme:

God has called us to be together to SEE God’s people, and to SEE and explore what it means to truly SEE each other. There is a place for you to be, to see, and to be seen. “When Did We See You?” Taken from Jesus’ Judgment of the Nations as depicted in Matthew 25:31-46, the theme is designed to engage young people with seeing, acting, awareness and a number of justice qualities.

Who:

Youth and adults from the Presbyterian Church (USA) and Cumberland Presbyterian churches will attend. They will come from every part of the United States and several parts of the world. There will be high school student participants and leaders, adult advisors and leaders, as well as college students who will participate in the Work Crew to support the event.



Presbytery of Western North Carolina Delegation:

WNC Presbytery’s Delegation will consist of 26 youth (rising Sophomores through graduated Seniors) and 4 adults. **The Presbytery Youth Ministry Committee will make every effort to accommodate each young person’s desire to be on the Presbytery’s delegation. However, we will also be considering budget limitations and the intent to be inclusive of all congregations interested.** *Therefore, please take the application questions seriously and provide thoughtful answers as well as choose wisely when selecting someone to complete the reference page.*

Cost:

Cost of the conference for each youth participant is \$515. (The actual cost of attendance per youth participant is \$1,013.50, which includes Orientation Retreat, transportation to and from Triennium, hotel room, meals, t-shirts, and all program fees. This is **subsidized** by the Presbytery of WNC.) **Additional expenses** to each participant will be four "on the road" meals, souvenirs of their choosing, money for an offering and snacks during the week.

Local churches are encouraged to consider paying half of the \$515 Participant Registration Fee, or \$257.50 per youth participant. All participants are expected to bring back experiences and learning that will benefit not only themselves, but their local churches and the presbytery.

Application Process:

1. Application—Type or print CLEARLY and fill out COMPLETELY.
2. Deposit—Partially-Refundable* \$150 payable to PWNC. Please put "PYT 2022 - Youth Name" on the memo line if paying by check. Electronic payments may be made using the "GIVE" icon at www.presbyterywnc.org. Please choose "Triennium Delegation" and put "PYT 2022 - Youth Name" in the memo box.
*Deposit will be returned if the applicant is not chosen to participate in the Triennium. Read more below about PYT Cancellation Policy.
3. Reference—To be completed by someone who knows you in your church setting (pastor, youth minister, youth advisor, Sunday school teacher, etc.). Be sure to ask someone and provide the form early enough to allow this person time to provide thoughtful answers. Determine if they will submit the reference directly to the registrar or return it to you for submission.

All 3 parts must be submitted by **January 14, 2022** to: Presbytery of Western North Carolina
Laura Paschall, PWNC Triennium Registrar
114 Silver Creek Road
Morganton, NC 28655

Cancellation Policy: (Necessarily, PWNC policy reflects the rigidity of the corresponding Triennium policy.)

Registration cancelled on or before June 10, 2022 through Laura Paschall, the registrar: You will be returned what you have paid except for the \$90 non-refundable deposit that Triennium requires.

Registration cancelled on or after 5 p.m. on June 10, 2022: Your registration fee of \$515 will not be returned (and you will owe any remaining registration fees to PWNC regardless of your cancellation) unless your registration is replaced by another person (same category).

Registration cancelled on or after June 21, 2022: Your registration fee of \$515 will not be returned (and you will owe any overdue registration fees to PWNC regardless of your cancellation). No replacements allowed.

IMPORTANT DATES

January 14—Application, \$150 Deposit, and Reference Due

March 18—Final Payment of \$365 to PWNC due for Triennium

Mid-Late April —Required Orientation Retreat (we will poll the delegation once selected for a good date)

July 23—Arrive at First Presbyterian Church (Morganton, NC) 7:00 pm

July 24-27—Presbyterian Youth Triennium

July 27—Return to First Presbyterian Church (Morganton, NC)

REGISTRAR INFORMATION

Questions? Contact Laura Paschall at laurapaschall@gmail.com or 616-485-9207.

Application

Participant Info: Please type or print legibly!

Full Name: _____

Preferred Pronouns: _____

Name you want to appear on your badge: _____

Gender Identity: M / F / _____ T-Shirt Size: XS S M L XL 2XL

Mailing Address: _____

(City)

(State)

(Zip Code)

Date of birth: _____ Age as of July 20, 2022: _____ Entering grade in Fall 2022: _____

Participating role (circle one): Youth Participant Adult Advisor Work Crew
Caregiver Global Partner

Applicant's e-mail address: _____

Applicant's CELL phone: _____ Alternate phone: _____

Home church name & city: _____ Church phone: _____

Do you have any special needs that delegation leaders or Triennium planners should be aware of?

First Parent or Guardian Info:

Full Name: _____ Primary phone: _____

Primary e-mail address: _____ Alt. phone: _____

Second Parent or Guardian Info (if different):

Full Name: _____ Primary phone: _____

Primary e-mail address: _____ Alt. phone: _____



Application Questions: (Please provide thoughtful answers. Attach a separate sheet if necessary)

- 1. Church Involvement/Leadership:**
- 2. School or Community Involvement/Leadership:**
- 3. Presbytery Involvement (what Presbytery events have you attended):**
- 4. What do you expect to gain from the Triennium experience?**
- 5. How does the theme “When Did We See You” relate to your own faith and God's call to you for being in the world? Be specific.**
- 6. What do you think the world and the church need from you and other youth at this time?**

PYT2022 Applicant Reference

To be completed by someone who knows you in your church setting (pastor, youth minister, youth advisor, Sunday school teacher, etc.).



_____ has applied to be part of the 2022 PWNC delegation to the Presbyterian Youth Triennium Conference in Indianapolis, IN, July 24-27. Please answer the following questions candidly to the best of your ability.

Reference Contact Info:

Name: _____ Best phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

_____ Alt. phone: _____
(City) (State) (Zip Code)

Primary e-mail address: _____

Home Church: _____

Please answer the following thoughtfully and completely using a separate sheet of paper.

1. How do you know the applicant?
2. How long have you known the applicant?
3. Name three gifts of the applicant.
4. What do you expect the applicant to gain from the Triennium experience?
5. What do you expect the applicant to contribute as a member of the PWNC Triennium delegation?

Return this reference to the applicant in a sealed and signed envelope, OR forward directly to:

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