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*Prayers Requested  
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Pastor Charles Windsor of  
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## QUICK LINKS

**219TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY WRAPPING UP WORK IN MINNEAPOLIS-** visit [PCUSA website](#) for updates.

## EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OPENING

The Montlure Camping Council is seeking an experienced Executive Director who will manage the overall operations of Montlure; located in the beautiful White Mountains of Arizona. The Executive Director shall be responsible for program, personnel, public relations, communications, facilities and ACA accreditation. The applicant we seek will have a strong commitment to Christ and joyfully embrace Montlure's mission to create an atmosphere of Christian community that offers intentional opportunities for all participants to develop deeper faith commitments. This is a 12 month position requiring the person to live on-site from May to mid August for the camping season and being available for short term retreats that may get scheduled. The Executive Director works under the direction of the Montlure Camping Council. Montlure is jointly owned by Grand Canyon Presbytery and Presbytery de Cristo. Position requires residence in Arizona. For a full job description visit [www.montlure.org](http://www.montlure.org). Please send resume and cover letter to [camp@montlure.org](mailto:camp@montlure.org). Closing deadline is August 1.

**CHURCH OF THE MASTER, MESA** is seeking an individual who has or is pursuing a degree in Christian education or related field to serve as part-time Sr. High Youth Director. Position immediately available.  
Contact: [Nicolette](#) at the church office for details.

**MISSION OPPORTUNITY TO GULF OF MEXICO** - On September 14, 2008 Hurricane Ike, the third largest storm to hit the US mainland, struck the Texas Gulf Coast. It brought with it a 20-foot storm surge that ripped away entire beach communities. Adding to the devastation, the national recession followed on the heels of the storm diverting national attention from the area. This third costliest storm in hurricane history got little attention and even less support. Nearly 2 years later, citizens of Galveston, Texas and surrounding counties are struggling to find the funding and volunteers they need to rebuild their homes and their lives. Members of Mission del Sol Presbyterian Church in Tempe are traveling to Galveston to help in this effort October 17-22. If you would like to join this group or help with funding, contact [Karen.smith@srpnet.com](mailto:Karen.smith@srpnet.com) for details.

**LONGTIME COMMISSIONED LAY PASTOR TO NAVAJO**

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## **NATION, HERBERT WILSON PASSES AWAY**

On Tuesday morning, June 15th, Herbert Wilson of Del Muerto, AZ on the Navajo Nation passed away. Herbert graduated from Cook College and served as a Commissioned Lay Pastor to Native Americans throughout AZ. Brother Herbert was a very respected and beloved member of both Tseyi Bida Presbyterian Church in Del Muerto and Trinity Presbyterian Church in Chinle. Along with his dear wife, Buffy, they have brought five children into this world who are very special, faithful young disciples: Reuben, Juwan, Evangeline, Adalene and Angel. Any donations to the family to assist with burial expenses would be very appreciated. Contact [Rev. Constance McIntosh](#) for more information.

## **DEADLINE FOR 2011 PCUSA Mission Yearbooks is next week! Order through the Presbytery office and SAVE!**

Deadline to get in on the bulk order through presbytery is July 15. Contact [Carolyn McBurney](#) to order your own copy.

EVENT CHANGE: THE BIG EVENT, scheduled for Oct. 2 at Valley Presbyterian Church, has been postponed until next year. Stayed tuned for more information as it becomes available.

**WHERE'S KATE?** Due to budget cuts, the INTERCHURCH RESOURCE CENTER is observing summer hours for May, June and July. Kate is available now on **Tuesdays and Thursdays** from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and other times by appointment. These reduced hours are necessary to help balance our budget for 2010.

We need the support of all our congregations. Please send your annual fee if your church has not done so. Mail to Interchurch Resource Center, 4423 N. 24th St., Ste 100, Phoenix, AZ 85016.

## **PRESBYTERY MISSION YEARBOOK OF PRAYER**

featured next week: Alpine Presbyterian Church. It is not too late for your congregation to be featured. Contact [carolynm@pbygc.org](mailto:carolynm@pbygc.org) for a form.

## **Presbytery of Grand Canyon is now on FACEBOOK!**

Become a fan and keep up to date on events and discussions. If you are already on Facebook, [click here](#) to be our friend!

## **Upcoming Events**

**TUESDAY, July 27-** Committee on Ministry, 1:00 p.m. Interchurch Center

**DUE TO SUMMER CONFLICTS, CHECK WITH YOUR COMMITTEE CHAIR TO SEE IF YOUR COMMITTEE WILL BE MEETING AT ITS REGULAR TIME.**

\*Schedules subject to change. Contact committee chair to confirm meeting date, time and location.

**Next Stated Meeting of Presbytery is September 10-11 in Payson**

**Presbytery of Grand Canyon**

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