

What has the presbytery done for us lately?

I hear that on occasion. Your Council, through its Strong Transformative Leadership Team, and I have an answer: **HRU!**

Hudson River University on Saturday, March 17 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Stony Point will bring together a great faculty from which you, our congregational leaders, can learn.

Do you want to create an easy way for your congregational members to give a bequest to the church in their will? Then register for the Planned Giving class.

Does your stewardship committee need new ideas that are tested, solid and effective? Then register for the Stewardship classes.

Do you have only a few youth and would like them to join with youth from around the presbytery for fellowship activities and mission trips? Then register for the Youth CE class.

Do your Christian education programs for children and/or adults need new and creative ideas for curriculum or classes? Register for those particular classes.

Are you a new Ruling Elder or Deacon who needs to learn your role and responsibilities or are you a longtime officer who could use a refresher course on what it means to serve? Register for those classes.

Are you a new or continuing Stated Clerk and need to know all the new and continuing responsibilities of this important office? Register for those classes. (FYI, Clerks... you must attend and bring your minutes... thus, bring car load of church members with you!)

Do you think your church needs to be involved or more directly in God's work of justice in the world? Then register for those classes.

We've been advertising this event for some four months with registration being open for the past several weeks. Register now and spread the word! The only cost is \$10 for your lunch.

Register and learn more at <https://goo.gl/forms/5i2fsD47IXzID0X63> .

See ya there!

God bless. Gavin
Your Interim General Presbyter