

Happy New Year Greetings to the Presbytery of Geneva!

After a wonderful holiday season and a few winter storms, our committees are 'back in action' and doing a wonderful job. Special thanks to each of you for your hard work and dedication to keep things running smoothly.

A big 'thank you' as well to everyone who helped with the service project on MLK Day and to Elmira North for hosting us and providing a fantastic meal. Volunteers finished the project very quickly, which allowed plenty of time for fellowship. Thank you all for your participation!

For those of you who are looking for ideas in preparation for Lent, please join us for continuing discussions on Tuesdays and Thursdays in February. We will be covering the lectionary passages for holy week – please see the schedule and zoom links on the presbytery website.

Coming up this spring, there will be a series of in-person workshops to help congregations explore a variety of possibilities around worship models, legacies, and planning for the future. If your church is interested in hosting one of these events, please reach out to me at [leader@presbyteryofgeneva.org](mailto:leader@presbyteryofgeneva.org) as soon as possible so the schedule can be finalized. More details will be shared as plans come together over the next few weeks – we hope you can join us!

As we journey together throughout the coming year, may God continue to bless each and every one of you. Health and happiness to you always!

In Christ's service,  
Marji Ackerman  
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