The Presbyterian Hunger Program and Matthew 25

Eradicating Systemic Poverty

- Education on root causes of hunger and poverty (preaching, teaching, workshops, resources, writing)
- Grant relationships that partner with communities nationally and internationally to fight hunger and poverty
- Leadership Development (Hunger Action Congregations, Hunger Action Advocates, Earth Care Congregations, trainings of community leaders)
- Support for Congregation-Based Community Organizations (CBCOs), who work to improve communities; many focus on affordable housing

Dismantling Structural Racism

- Education on environmental racism, climate justice, racism in the food system, stolen and unequal access to land and natural resources
- National grants to BIPOC communities to return access to ancestral land and increase equitable access to land, training, food, development
- International grants for oppressed communities to achieve peace and prosperity
- PMA staff teams and projects on anti-racism, reparations and other collaborative PC(USA) projects

Building Congregational Vitality

- Support congregations and Presbyterians who need assistance, resources, connections
- Administer congregational certification programs for Earth Care and Hunger Action Congregations
- Provide preaching and workshops for PC(USA) events, churches and presbyteries
- Support the network of Hunger Action Advocates to serve congregations in their presbyteries

Join PHP’s efforts to eradicate systemic poverty, dismantle systemic racism and build congregational vitality!

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