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The Ministry of the Written Word

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FROM THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB PRESIDENT

As Spring has arrived (in some areas), we are looking for a fresh start for the year 2023. We have been working on the rewriting of our Handbook. This has been a slow but steady process.



Our March 1st closing for the National Book Fund has taken place and now the NBF Committee is busy reviewing the applications and approving them. We will be having our Annual Meeting on June 9th and 10th, 2023, and the granting of funds for the National Book Fund.

We are encouraging Dioceses and Churches to submit applications for Miles of Pennies (MOP). This Fund does not have a deadline and we accept applications throughout the year. You may find the Application and Guidelines on our website.

We have delayed our Quilt Raffle until the Fall of 2023 due to computer glitches. Please visit our website for updates regarding the Raffle. We have six (6) beautiful blankets to raffle off this year. There are pictures of the quilts in this Quarterly.

We have updated our Order Form with some additional materials and if you are a Diocesan Director, Church Representative, Province Representative or in need of Church Periodical Materials, please order supplies for your Conventions, etc. as soon as you possibly can so that they are received in time for your Conventions, etc. Also, please note that there is a section for the Annual Dues for Membership for the Diocesan Directors, which is \$20 per year, unless you are a Life Member. We also encourage Individuals, Churches, and Diocese to become Life Members and this form is found on our website.

Please forward all monies gathered throughout the year to CPC for the National Book Fund and Miles Pennies Fund, as soon as possible as our granting session for the National Book Fund is in June of 2023.

Thank you.

Rev. Deacon Judy Graves

CPC President

FROM MARYFRAN CRIST, CPC VICE PRESIDENT

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Betty Morris

Diocese of West Texas

Betty Morris is the CPC Seminarian Chair. For many years she has contacted the Episcopal Church seminaries each year to let them know how much has been granted. She follows up until she has the list of recipients and their contact information. She sends each recipient a CPC bookmark and a note.



Miles of Pennies Kit and Bookmark

FROM THE CPC QUARTERLY EDITOR

This is the fourth issue of our resurrected *CPC Quarterly*. Membership dues are now due for everyone (except life members) who has received all four issues. [Click here](#) for the online membership form.

2022-2023 MILES OF PENNIES FUND GRANTS
Francesca Onyejuruwa, Miles of Pennies Fund Chairperson

Date / Grant Number	Purpose	Amount	Name	City	Diocese of Recipient
5/6/2022 220512	"To provide books magazines & periodicals to encourage reading & to inform & educate children to assist them with their studies and to be well rounded young girls and boys"	\$841.88	Jackson-Field Homes	Jarratt, VA	Southern Virginia
6/17/2022 220617	To provide books for children ages 8-12 of incarcerated parents	\$843.96	New Happenings Ministry Camp	South Bend, IN	Northern Indiana
7/7/2022 220707	Books for St Paul High School Greenville Liberia in partnership with PIMIL	\$840.00	Partners in Ministry in Liberia. St Matthew Episcopal Church	Westerville, OH	Southern Ohio
2/4/2023 230204	Supply of Sunday School books to children ages 4-18 in the South Dakota Pines Ridge Reservation	\$408.00	St Julia & Messiah Episcopal Church	Rapid City, SD	South Dakota
2/16/2023 230216	Bibles for incarcerated youths (Lincoln Hills School)	\$840.00	Ascension Episcopal Church	Merril, WI	Fond Du Lac

QUILTS AND FIBER RAFFLE FUNDRAISER

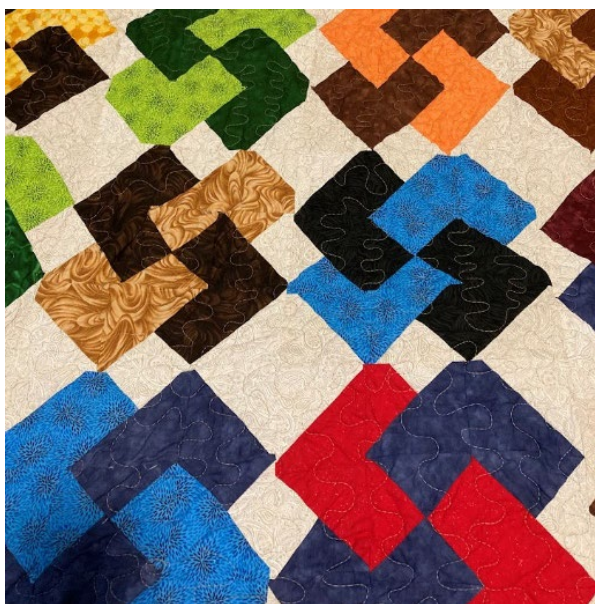
The annual quilt and Afghan raffle has been postponed until fall 2023.

Proceeds go to fund the work of CPC.

This year's quilts include:

- ✦ a Hawaiian quilt (queen size) made with vibrant Aloha print fabrics,
- ✦ a hand-quilted Mennonite quilt (queen size) made from recycled materials,
- ✦ three patience quilts from the Lutheran quilters of Central Illinois, small ones, just right to use when reading a book, and

- ✦ a hand designed and knitted ivory 72"x60" double Afghan in an Aran-style pattern with love knots made by Jane Schenck, life member from the Diocese of Chicago.





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NATIONAL BOOK FUND GRANTS 2023

Seminary

2301 – 9 Episcopal Seminaries: General (NYC), Bexley- Seabury (Chicago), Berkeley at Yale (New Haven CT), Virginia (Alexandra VA), Seminary of the Southwest (Austin TX), Church Divinity School of the Pacific (Berkeley CA), Nashotah (Nashotah WI), University of the South - Sewanee (Sewanee TN) – amount to be determined

Domestic Grants

- 2302 - Church of the Transfiguration – Silver Springs MD (Diocese of Washington) *Use in outreach and adult formation* \$1,566.07
- 2303 - St Anne’s – Hallandale FL (Diocese of SE Florida) *Lift Every Voice and Sing to replace tattered books* \$920.30
- 2304 – Province V Anti-trafficking Taskforce Novi MI (Diocese of Michigan) *Books for women at a home for healing from trafficking* \$692.27
- 2305 - St Mark’s – Beaver Dam (Diocese of Milwaukee) *Resources for faith formation for a growing congregation* \$1,724.24
- 2306 - Church of the Transfiguration Palos Park IL (Diocese of Chicago) *Books for prayer service and gatherings* \$686.90
- 2307 - One in Christ – Prospect Heights IL (Diocese of Chicago) *First Education for Ministry Korean program now in 4th year needs additional Korean resources* \$286.10
- 2308 - St Martin’s Des Plaines IL (Diocese of Chicago) *Provide money to establish a little free library for adult spirituality, theology, and justice* \$405.00
- 2309 - ECW Diocese of Chicago Food Insecurity (Diocese of Chicago) *Provide participants with a resource to continue education on the Hunger Paradox* \$669.00
- 2310 - St Paul’s Salem Oregon (Diocese of Oregon) *Add books to library about LGBTQ+* \$670.10

Overseas Grants

*2311 - Rev Alex Malago, Iringa Tanzania (Diocese of Ruaha) For parish ministry	\$353.50
*2312 - Mrs Joyce Malogo, Iringa Tanzania (Diocese of Ruaha) For ministry to Women	\$353.50
*2313 - Kiponzelo Parish, Iringa Tanzania (Diocese of Ruaha) For Church Start	\$1,680.00
*2214 – Rosemary Logani, Iringa Tanzania (Diocese of Ruaha) For Evangelism	\$353.50



Historic CPC Sunday Envelopes and Bookmarks



Bishop Brian Burgess Of Springfield, CPC grant recipient while at the University of the South School of Theology in Sewanee TN, with Province V CPC Gift



From left to right on 03/26/2023 at the Diocese of Springfield retreat: Rev Serry Black, Diocese of Springfield, seminary grants at Trinity Seminary; Rev Molly. (MC) Ward, NBF grant of Books of Common Prayer for chapel at BroMenn Hospital where she is chaplain; Jan Goossen, currently Province V representative to National Episcopal Church Women, CPC grant thru her previous Diocese of West Virginia for religious education; and Kathy Mank, Province V ECW president, MOP grant to her diocese of Southern Ohio for books for Liberia.

ANNUAL MEETING

Friday June 9 and Saturday June 10, 2023, via ZOOM

Schedule

Friday	3:00 pm ET	2:00 pm CT	1:00 pm MT	12:00 pm PT	10:00 am HT
	Board Business Meeting				
	7:00 pm ET	6:00 pm CT	5:00 pm MT	4:00 pm PT	2:00 pm HT
	Speaker				
Saturday	12:00 pm ET	11:00 am CT	10:00 am MT	9:00 am PT	7:00 am HT
	Treasurer's Report and National Books Fund Granting Session				
	3:00 pm ET	2:00 pm CT	1:00 pm MT	12:00 pm PT	10:00 am HT
	Church Periodical Club Questions and Answers				

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84057041464?pwd=VU85RmFueFFOWUlUYN4NHRC5HZkdz09>

Meeting ID: 840 5704 1464

Passcode: 1888

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Bless O Lord, The Church Periodical Club, that it may be an instrument for the spread of your Word throughout the world. Grant to its officers wisdom and patience, to its members perseverance and the spirit of sharing that asks no return. Bring more to take part in its mission and ministry. Bless our gifts and those who receive them, to the enrichment of individual lives, that we all may be servants of the risen Lord. Amen.