

Education Networking Committee (ENC)
Report ~ Presbytery Meeting
February 25, 2017

The Education Networking Committee (ENC) of the Presbytery of Santa Fe continues to meet regularly every other month at the First Presbyterian Church of Albuquerque.

The ENC sponsored the Church Officer Training Event on Nov. 12, 2016, at Immanuel Presbyterian Church with several workshops available for the churches of the presbytery. The Safe Church Training for Trainers was a day-long workshop and the best attended. The other workshops included:

Changes in the Book of Order, led by Stephen Rhoades

Leading a Session Committee, led by David Fletcher

God's New Thing ~ See it! Hear it! Live it!, led by Libby Whiteley

Narrative Budget for Church Finance, led by Conrad M. Rocha

Ten churches from the Presbytery attended the leadership development event.

The ENC also supported attendance at the Association of Presbyterian Church Educators (APCE) annual meeting which was held in Denver, CO, this year. We granted one scholarship to Joe Woodworth from St. Andrew Presbyterian Church as a first time attendee.

The ENC has also received requests for two more Education Project Grants through the end of last year and the beginning of 2017. From First Presbyterian Church, a grant for \$3,000 for the Risk and Resiliency Assessment Program for Students (RRAPS) through a summer arts workshop at Ghost Ranch. The program is led by Devon Hoffman. The second request is from Rio Rancho Presbyterian for \$750 another summer of Vacation Bible School with Chacon and Mora young people in June. This program will be led by Kathy Westmoreland. We also received grant reports from the Magdalena church regarding their literacy program with the Alamo Reservation, and the Las Vegas church for their Old Mission project.

The ENC is networking with the First Presbyterian Church in the Brian McLaren event which will be the end of April, and the Mission Networking Committee (MNC) event on dismantling racism which will be the first of April.

The ENC is exploring new events to be held in the northern churches, as well as events for millennial members of our churches. Watch for announcements of upcoming educational events to be held in your areas.

Respectfully submitted, Judith A. Todd, Chairperson, ENC