

Synod of the Covenant

Synod Assembly

What Does Innovative Ministry Look Like?

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Ministry Focus Areas

- Encouraging and supporting faith communities to be vital
- Eradicating structural racism and modeling inclusion
- Experimenting with new ways to be church and to live out our faith
 - Innovative ministry, ministry that embraces the future while acknowledging our Reformed heritage, and ministry that draws on the future of the Presbyterian Church (USA) are the lifeblood of our legacy and our Kingdom-building mission. The Synod will work with both current congregations and New Worshiping Communities to develop and encourage different approaches to ministry and vibrancy.
- Connecting Presbyteries, Congregations, and Leaders to reach ministry focus areas 1 – 3 above.

Questions:

1. When you read the ministry focus about innovative ministry and its supporting paragraph, what does that mean to you?
2. What kinds of innovative ministry do you see in your presbytery and/or its churches?
3. How do you think the synod could support and encourage such ministries?