

Presbytery of Great Rivers
Call for Nominations for Youth Advisory Delegate (YAD)

The Presbytery of Great Rivers will send one Youth Advisory Delegate to the 220th General Assembly in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The General Assembly will meet June 30 - July 7, 2012. The basic role and function of a Youth Advisory Delegate (YAD) is to make commissioners to the General Assembly (GA) aware of issues and ideas they might not otherwise come to know. The GA is open to having young people in its midst and encourages the voice of YADs in its deliberations.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Between the ages of 17 and 23 at the time of the assembly
- A participating member of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)
- A growing and concerned Christian

NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS:

- Completed YAD Application Form (available from the Presbytery Office)
- Participation in a January, 2012, 20 - 30 minute teleconferenced interview.

The Nominating Committee will nominate one person as the Presbytery of Great Rivers YAD at the first 2012 Presbytery Assembly.

EXPENSES:

All reasonable and customary expenses for travel, housing, and meals to General Assembly will be paid for by the Presbytery of Great Rivers and/or the General Assembly.

EXPECTATIONS:

It is expected that a YAD will participate in the life of the church by:

- increasing younger church members' awareness of issues facing the church
- raising concerns that particularly affect youth
- interacting with other Presbytery of Great Rivers commissioners to the General Assembly

The YAD will be expected to vote his or her conscience at the General Assembly.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Applicants must be postmarked by Saturday, December 31, 2011

Presbytery of Great Rivers
YOUTH ADVISORY DELEGATE APPLICATION FORM

REQUIREMENTS:

- Delegate must be between 17 and 23 years of age on first day of General Assembly.
- Form must be sent to the Presbytery of Great Rivers 1230 W Candletree Dr, Suite D, Peoria, IL 61614
- Envelope must be postmarked before January 1, 2012

Applicant's Full Name: _____ Date: _____, 2011

Applicant's Street Address: _____

Applicant's Telephone Numbers: _____
HOME CELL WORK

Applicant's E-mail Address: _____

Applicant's Church (*name & city*): _____

Applicant's Date of Birth: _____

REFERENCES: (*At least one must be the pastor of your church*)

Name: _____

Telephone number: _____ E-Mail: _____

Address: _____
STREET CITY/STATE/ZIP

Name: _____

Telephone number: _____ E-Mail: _____

Address: _____
STREET CITY/STATE/ZIP

Name: _____

Telephone number: _____ E-Mail: _____

Address: _____
STREET CITY/STATE/ZIP

Why would you like to be the Presbytery of Great Rivers Youth Advisory Delegate to the 2012 General Assembly in Pittsburgh, PA? (*Your answer should not exceed 250 words.*)
