

# CHURCH CALENDAR 2016-2017

## JULY 2016

- 9 Program of Alternate Studies Graduation
- 9-23 PAS Summer Extension School,  
Bethel University, McKenzie, TN
- 19-23 Presbyterian Youth Triennium  
Purdue University, Lafayette, IN

## AUGUST 2016

- 6 BU Commencement
- 20 MTS Fall Semester begins
- 21 Seminary/PAS Sunday
- 22 BU Fall Semester begins
- 28-Sept 25 Christian Education Season
- 30 BU Spring Convocation

## SEPTEMBER 2016

- 3 MTS Opening Convocation
- 11 Senior Adult Sunday
- 18 Christian Service Recognition Sunday
- 18 International Day of Prayer and Action for  
Human Habitat

## OCTOBER 2016

- 1-31 Clergy Appreciation Month
- 2 Worldwide Communion Day
- 9 Pastor Appreciation Sunday
- 23 Native American Sunday

## NOVEMBER 2016

- National Domestic Violence Month
- Any Sunday in November Loaves and Fishes Program
- 1 All Saints Day
- 4 World Community Day (Church Women United)
- 6 Stewardship Sunday
- 9-12 The Forum
- 13 Day of Prayer for People with AIDS and Other  
Life-Threatening Illnesses
- 13 Bible Sunday
- 20 Christ the King Sunday
- 27-Dec 25 Advent in Church and Home

## DECEMBER 2016

- Any Sunday in December Gift to the King Offering
- 10 BU Commencement
- 24 Christmas Eve
- 25 Christmas Day/Unity Sunday

## JANUARY 2017

- 6 Epiphany
- 9 BU Spring Semester begins
- 9-10 Stated Clerk's Conference
- 11 Human Trafficking Awareness Day
- 13-16 Faith in 3D
- 15 Deadline for receipt of 2016 Our United  
Outreach contributions
- 18-20 Ministers Conference  
St. Columba Conference Center, Bartlett, TN

## FEBRUARY 2017

- 1-28 Black History Month
- 1 Annual congregational reports due in GA office
- 4 Denomination Day
- 5 Historical Foundation Offering
- 5 Our United Outreach Sunday
- 5 Souper Bowl Sunday
- 12 Youth Sunday
- 24-25 30-Hour Famine

## MARCH 2017

- 1-31 Women's History Month (USA)
- 1 Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent
- 1-April 16 Lent to Easter
- 19 Children's Home Sunday
- 26-April 1 National Farm Workers Awareness Week

## APRIL 2017

- 2-8 Family Week
- 9 Palm/Passion Sunday
- 9 One Great Hour of Sharing
- 13 Maundy Thursday
- 14 Good Friday
- 16 Easter
- 28-29 30-Hour Famine

## MAY 2017

- 5 Friendship Day (Church Women United)
- 6 BU Commencement
- 13 MTS Closing Convocation & Graduation
- 28 Memorial Day Offering for Military  
Chaplains & Personnel for USA churches

## JUNE 2017

- 4 Pentecost
- 4 Stott-Wallace Missionary Fund Offering/  
World Mission Sunday
- 19-23 General Assembly, near Tampa, FL
- 20-22 CPWM Convention, near Tampa, FL
- 25-30 CPYC, Bethel University, McKenzie, TN