



December 19, 2011

The Reverend Samuel P Marshall  
Salem Presbytery  
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Clemmons, NC 27012

Dear Colleague in Ministry:

The Women of Faith awards, sponsored by the Racial Ethnic and Women's Ministries/Presbyterian Women ministry area, are given during a breakfast at the General Assembly. They recognize women of accomplishment whose Christian faith informs their work. The 2012 theme is: ***Courageous Women Transforming Communities of Faith, Hope, Love & Witness***. Nominations are being sought for women who have courageously transformed and strengthened the church in its witness and ministry in a time of great transition.

Enclosed is the nomination form for the 2012 awards, which also can be found on the Web at [www.pcusa.org/women](http://www.pcusa.org/women). Please share this information with those in your area of service and help us locate women whose lives give witness to their commitment to Jesus Christ. Additional copies are available by contacting Racial Ethnic and Women's Ministries/PW, 888-728-7228, ext. 5362, fax 502-569-8600 or email [alex.sherman@pcusa.org](mailto:alex.sherman@pcusa.org). Nominations must be postmarked by January 23, 2012.

Your assistance in this process of nominating outstanding women is greatly appreciated. We are looking forward to seeing you at the Women of Faith breakfast in Pittsburgh, PA, July 1, 2012.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rhashell Hunter" with "ams" written below it.

Dr. Rhashell D. Hunter, Director  
Racial Ethnic and Women's Ministries/Presbyterian Women

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NOMINATION FORM FOR WOMEN OF FAITH AWARDS

Racial Ethnic & Women's Ministries/Presbyterian Women

# Courageous Women Transforming Communities of Faith, Hope, Love & Witness

220th General Assembly (2012)

*Purpose of award: This award honors women who have courageously transformed and strengthened the church in its witness and ministry in a time of great transition.*

Name of Nominee _____	E-mail _____
Address _____	Phone (O) _____
_____	(H) _____
_____	(C) _____
Race/Ethnicity _____	Church _____
Presbytery _____	Synod _____
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Your Name _____	Phone (O) _____
Address _____	(H) _____
_____	(C) _____

Application should be submitted on this nomination form and typed, if possible. If application is computer generated, the format on this nomination form should be followed. Attach additional information, as needed.

Form must be received/postmarked by **January 23, 2012**. Submit nomination forms to Alex Sherman, Racial Ethnic and Women's Ministries/Presbyterian Women, Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), 100 Wither-  
spoon Street, Louisville, KY 40202-1396. Nomination forms also are available on the AllWomen website  
at [www.pcusa.org/women.org](http://www.pcusa.org/women.org) or through Racial Ethnic & Women's Ministries/Presbyterian Women,  
ministry area, phone 888/728-7228, ext. 5362, FAX 502/569-8600 or email [Alex.Sherman@pcusa.org](mailto:Alex.Sherman@pcusa.org).  
Award recipients will be notified one month prior to General Assembly. The Women of Faith Awards  
Committee will strive for geographical distribution and racial ethnic diversity.\*

*\*Staff currently serving the General Assembly are not eligible for nomination.*

Name of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Your Relationship to Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

**Please answer the following questions.**

1. Describe briefly the organization for which the nominee works.

2. Describe the nominee's role in the organization. (position/type of work/leadership)

3. What have you seen of the nominee's work that sets her apart as a woman of faith in her field of work?

4. What additional information would you like to share about the nominee?