



from the...

# EAST REGION

of Grace Presbytery



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## Guess Where

Where in our East Region can this stained glass cross be found? First one to email me the correct answer gets free lunch!

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August's answer: The Dove Door is located at First Presbyterian of Palestine.



**Welcome** Friends to this edition of *...from the East*. I hope you are enjoying the slight cooling of the temperatures that Fall brings. Maybe you are diving into a new school year or ready to kickoff the new football season – whatever your fancy, may God bless your work and your sabbath efforts! Kudos to First, Henderson this month for sending some good news to add to our news brief! In my travels this month I have enjoyed preaching at St. Andrew, fellowship of First, Cumby and meeting with Centre. The quote I've included this month is from author Robin Wall Kimmerer and reminds us of the importance of story. Perhaps you have a story you would like to share, verbally or in writing? Call me 918.232.6422 or email

[michele@gracepresbytery.org](mailto:michele@gracepresbytery.org). Peace be upon you, Rev Michele Goff, Regional Ministry Associate, Eastern Region

## Happenings

Sept 16, Tuesday, 7 pm

Small Church Zoom, Contact

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Sept 23, Tuesday, Noon

Regional Stewardship and Generosity at First, Longview, [RSVP here](#)

Oct 11, Saturday, 10 am

Gilmont, Battle of the Bags

[More info here](#)

Oct 23, Thursday, all day

Presbytery Mtg Northridge, Dallas

Oct 30, Thursday, Noon

East Texas Pastor's Lunch, United Greenville, contact

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## Inspiration

*Stories are the threads that weave us into the fabric of life, connecting us to each other and the earth. ~ Robin Wall Kimmerer*

### **NOMINATING!**

Nominating is ready for your nominees to serve on next year's commissions and committees! If you or someone you know would like to serve, send their name to me and I can pass them along! [michele@gracepresbytery.org](mailto:michele@gracepresbytery.org)  
Thank you for your dedication and service!

### In Henderson



On Saturday, August 23, the Outreach Team of FPC Henderson treated their neighbors to a cool watermelon on their August Adopt A Block walk.



### At Gilmont



Grab Your Tickets for October 11th

Discounted Tickets Available Until August 15th

Celebrate Gilmont's 85 years of ministry with us and purchase discounted tickets to [Battle of the Bags!](#) Each ticket includes entry into the event, Pitmaster's special BBQ plate, and drinks. You can sign up as a spectator or register as a team or individual player (we will pair you with another friend of Gilmont).

Do you have questions? Feeling out of the Grace loop? Call or email Rev Michele Goff, your Regional Ministry Associate, for coffee or lunch!  
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