

Report to  
Regional Board of Christian Church in Oregon and Southwest Idaho  
Anti-Racism Pro-Reconciliation Task Force  
June 3, 2023

The Task Force is small in number, but very active throughout the area.

Bernice Rivera provided training for the Northern Lights Region, for Spanish speaking pastors while serving as interim minister for Rio de Dios church.

Cheryl Hudson visited the Chuukese church in Salem, OR, while she was at the capitol as a representative for her SEIU (union) chapter.

Kim Free will be the keynote speaker for the Snake River District Disciples Women Ministry Retreat on August 25 to 27, 2023.

Brenda Mikota shared our region's journey with A-R/P-R in a 5-hour session with the Northern Lights region A-R/P-R team.

Our Priorities include: training for the Regional Board ( a 3-hour session)

Fall and Spring training for Pastors and Boards of local churches

Anti-Bias Training for Search committees

We are looking forward to: September Reconciliation Offering

Activities Collaboration with Northern Lights region

Reducing the feeling of isolation of the non-English speaking churches.

We still need additional members on our team.

We give God the glory for giving us Doug Wirt as our team convener. We hope to continue Doug's call to help the region of Oregon and Southwest Idaho be the church that God asks us to be; To act justly, and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. (Micah 6:8)

Submitted by Brenda Mikota, Leader