

A low-angle photograph of the Pittsburgh Theological Seminary building, showing a tall brick steeple with a clock face and a cross on top. The building is partially obscured by green trees with pink blossoms in the foreground. The sky is blue with scattered white clouds.

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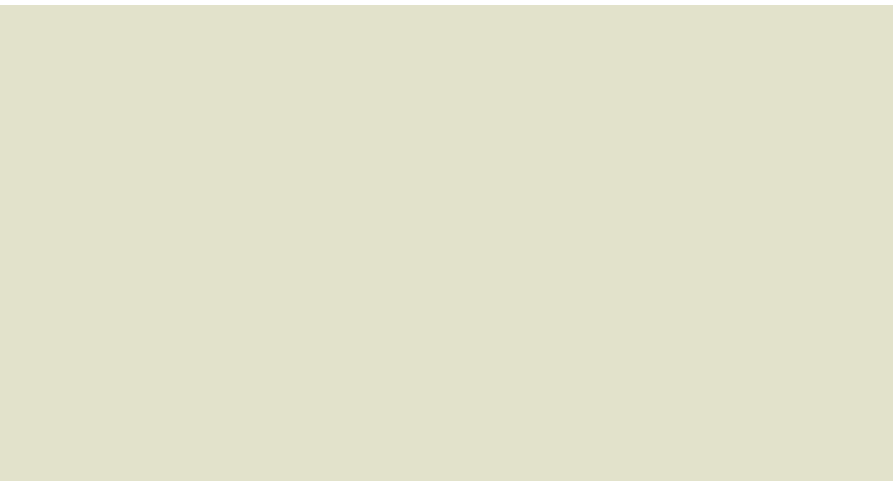
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