Handbook for the

Flint River Presbytery 138th Stated Meeting



February 4, 2023



Debra Tregaskis, Executive Presbyter Rebecca Willis, Stated Clerk Toni Hatfield, Bookkeeper Elizabeth Cantrell, Ministry Associate

January 19, 2023

Flint River Saints,

This packet of information is intended to assist you in preparing for the 138th Stated Meeting of Flint River Presbytery at First Presbyterian Church, located at 125 N. Jackson Street in Americus on Saturday, February 4, 2023. You'll find ample parking on Jackson Street in front of the church and in the parking lot. Registration will begin at 9:00 a.m. Lunch, served after the meeting, will be provided at a cost of \$8.00. You can pay for lunch ahead of time, or on the day of the meeting, on the First (Americus) website www.americuspresbyterian.org. Click on the GIVE button and specify it's for the FRP Meeting Lunch. As always, cash and checks will also be accepted at registration. Daycare will be provided at no extra charge. Please plan to dress comfortably and casually for the day!

This meeting will focus on hearing from our campus ministry at GSW in Americus and voting on the amendments that were approved during our General Assembly in 2022. As always, we will make our gathering a worshipful blend of learning and discussion. Our meeting will conclude with a brief reflection from our new moderator, Josh Bower.

The pages that follow will include the usual agenda and reports, along with information and action items from our committees.

Please read all the enclosed material carefully and prayerfully prior to coming to the meeting so you can make informed and intentional decisions. Remember that there may be Addendum items for your review as well; however, they will not go online until Thursday, February 2nd. After our meeting, please be certain to share key information with your Session and congregation.

Please note as well that our offering for the day will go to support the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) and our Hunger Fund. You may also give by going online to www.flintriverpresbytery.org or using the GivePlus+ App. In both formats, please add a memo noting that your gift is for the February 2023 FRP Meeting offering.

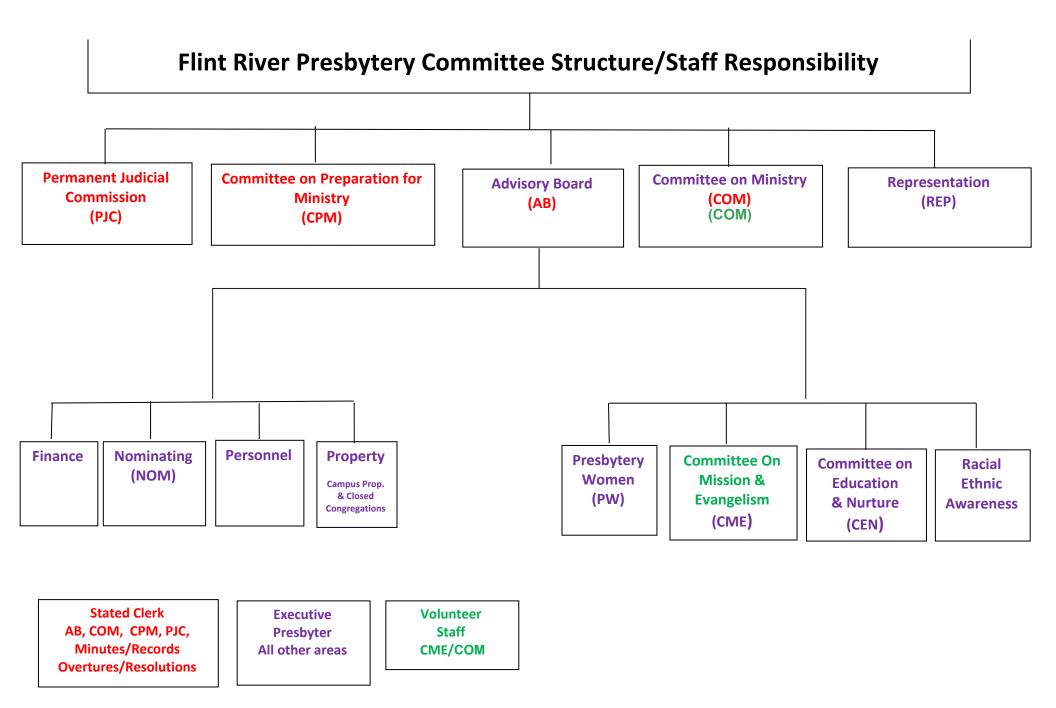
We look forward to seeing you face-to-face as we serve our Lord Jesus Christ together!

In Christ's Joy and Hope,

Deb, Becky, Elizabeth, and Toni

P.S. If anyone would like to come the night before the presbytery meeting and stay in town, know that very reasonable rooms are available for \$35/night at the Christian community, Koinonia (out of which Habitat for Humanity grew). You can go to https://koinoniafarm.secure.retreat.guru/program/come-rest-renew/ to find what is available and make a reservation.

2800 Old Dawson Road, Suite 2, Box 312, Albany, GA 31707



Remember that there are multiple resources at www.flintriverpresbytery.org
under both the PASTORS tab and the EDUCATORS tab
which provide educational resources for Session meetings and countless other gatherings.

Directory password = frpsaints

January 31 Clergy Terms of Call and Contracts due today.

ALSO....

Have you submitted your 2023 pledge to FRP?

FEBRUARY

February 4 10 am

In-person presbytery meeting at First (Americus), 125 S. Jackson Street

Feb 13 7 -8 pm

Courageous Conversations around Race; invite elders or congregants to attend

Feb 23 10 am

Monthly Pastoral Call for all Leaders; updates on great resources, crowdsourcing, and more!

Feb 25 Legacy Museum trip

On the Road with FRP

Montgomery, AL
Legacy Museum and Monument Tour
Saturday, February 25th

Depart from First (Columbus) at 10:00am Ticket price per person: \$5

~Bring a sack lunch for a picnic together.~

Reserve your ticket on our website by clicking "Online Giving" or by mailing a check to our office.

For more information and to RSVP, email ecantrell@flintriverpresbytery.org

March

March 13 7 -8 pm

Courageous Conversations around Race; invite elders or congregants to attend

March 30 10 am

Monthly Pastoral Call for all Leaders; updates on great resources, crowdsourcing, and more!

April

April 17 7 - 8 pm

Courageous Conversations around Race; invite elders or congregants to attend

April 20 FRP Packet lands in your boxes. <u>Do you have at least one elder ready to attend?</u>

April 27 10 am

Monthly Pastoral Call for all Leaders; updates on great resources,

crowdsourcing, and more!

April 29 FRP-wide trip to Mission San Luis in Tallahassee, FLA; more details to follow

May

May 6 10 am

ZOOM presbytery meeting

May 22 7 -8 pm

Courageous Conversations around Race; invite elders or congregants to attend

May 25 10 am

Monthly Pastoral Call for all Leaders; updates on great resources, crowdsourcing, and more!

May 29 12 noon – 7 pm; drop in

Memorial Day Picnic with Water Slide for children of every age

<u>June</u>

Remember to think about meaningful ways in which children, youth, and families can begin saving change for our annual "Rise Against Hunger" event in October

June 10-17 FRP-wide Montreat Youth Conference (MYC)

June 19 Technology Grants due TODAY; info on website under CME committee

7 -8 pm

Courageous Conversations around Race; invite elders or congregants to attend

June 29 10 am

Monthly Pastoral Call for all Leaders; updates on great resources, crowdsourcing, and more!

July

July 4 12 noon – 7 pm; drop in

July 4th Picnic with Water Slide for children of every age

July 20 FRP Packet lands in your boxes. <u>Do you have at least one elder ready to attend?</u>

July 24 7 -8 pm

Courageous Conversations around Race; invite elders or congregants to attend

June 27 10 am

Monthly Pastoral Call for all Leaders; updates on great resources, crowdsourcing, and more!

August

August 5 10 am

In-Person FRP meeting at Northminster (Macon), 565 Wimbish Road; wedding of Deb Tregaskis and Ralph Hawkins will take place during the concluding worship service with reception to follow; EVERYONE in FRP is invited; NO RSVPS needed

August 7 **Deb's 3 month Sabbatical starts**

August 28 7 -8 pm

Courageous Conversations around Race; invite elders or congregants to attend

September

Stewardship Information for 2024 presbytery budget requests should land in your box this month.

If you don't see stewardship information, reach out to Elizabeth!

Also, have you ordered your books for our CTS continuing education event in November?

Sept 25 7 -8 pm

Courageous Conversations around Race; invite elders or congregants to attend

October

Oct 1 World Communion Sunday and Rise Against Hunger

Oct 19 FRP Packet lands in your boxes. <u>Do you have at least one elder ready to attend?</u>

Oct 23 7 -8 pm

Courageous Conversations around Race; invite elders or congregants to attend

November

Nov 1 Deb's 3-month Sabbatical ends

Nov 4 10 am

FRP meeting online

Nov 13 5 pm

Walter Flint Fund Grant Requests due

Nov 15-17 3 pm on 15th to lunch on 17th

Columbia Theological Seminary Continuing Education

(\$50 for entire event due to generous subsidy)

Thoughtful discussions around the following books:

Stand-Up Preaching by Jacob D. Myers

Preaching to Those Walking Away by N. Graham Standish

Poem-a-day's 365 Poems for Every Occasion

December

December 1 5 pm

Walter Flint Fund Annual Reports due

(This form can be found on the CME page on our website)

Trip to Milledgeville to learn about Flannery O'Connor as writer and woman

of faith; more info to follow

December 7 12 noon

Monthly Pastoral Call for all Leaders; updates on great resources,

crowdsourcing, and more!

December 31 5 pm

CRE Annual Reports due



Empower

Encourage

Engage

Equip

Experiment

Agenda of the Presbytery of Flint River of the Presbyterian Church (USA) Saturday, February 4, 2023

"We have never seen anything like this!" Mark 2:12a (the scribes after Jesus heals a paralyzed man)

Wifi for today's meeting: Network: 1st_Presbyterian Password: 3143684069

Registration with Ministry Associate, Elizabeth Cantrell 9:30 am

Orientation of Commissioners with Stated Clerk, Becky Willis 9:30 am

Gathering as God's People

Welcome, Prayer, and Call to Order Sommer Bower

Patti Kauffmann

Approval of the Agenda Fields Varner

Roll Call and Introductions Becky Willis

Installation Blessing for our New Moderator Patti Kauffmann

Offering of Music by 1st Americus Handbell Choir

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Send Me Jesus

Closing Hymn #746

Lunch in the Fellowship Hall



Hymn

#409

"God is Here" (verses 1 and 2)

Litany

We give thanks for community

For gathering together in groups, large and small,

For connections across generations and miles,

For those who weep and connect in times of tragedy,

For those who laugh and celebrate in times of joy,

We give thanks for generations

who swap recipes and family pictures, Facebook stories, and TikTok videos.

We give thanks for connections among

church pews,

coffeehouses,

boardrooms,

classrooms,

markets, fields and factories,

and social media

For people who've never met face to face and yet share the same ancient air, For conversations and calls to justice and pleas for prayer.... (*silence)

May we remember that we are all a part of the same story,

May we relish the reality that our stories weave into the story our Creator began so long ago.

Help us to share *this* story, the covenantal story,

the resurrection story

from now on and forevermore.

Through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

Call to Offering for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) and the Hunger Fund

Sharing our Gifts

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn #733

"We All are One in Mission"

FOR INFORMATION

The ministry items mentioned in the follow pages occur because of the commitment and imagination of faithful people *just like you* from every corner of our presbytery. Please read this attentively and prayerfully and learn about the ways in which we are working together so that our 44 worshipping communities (40 congregations and 4 campus ministries).

Advisory Board (AB) - Fields Varner, moderator

- 1. Pondered Acts 27:13-20, the Shipwreck, for the last time this year and discussed what "cargo" we have thrown overboard in the past few years a presbytery office building, many in-person meetings, expired resources and unneeded buildings.
- 2. Approved the agenda for this meeting as well as the minutes of the August 13, 2022 and October 15, 2022 presbytery meetings. (see Attachments, pages 1-6 and 7-13.)
- 3. Acting on behalf of the presbytery, approved the request from Covenant to sell their property known as the "Swain House."
- 4. Elected Fields Varner as Moderator, Amy Maley, as Vice Moderator, and Bryan Wright as recorder for this governing council, the Advisory Board.
- 5. Approved the following schedule for our 2023 Presbytery meetings:

Saturday, February 4, 2023 at First (Americus)

Saturday, May 6, 2023 via Zoom

Saturday, August 5, 2023 at Northminster (Macon)

Saturday, November 4th via Zoom

- 6. Acting on behalf of the presbytery, approved the sale of the church property of Trinity (Sylvester) for the sale price of \$100,000.00, pending the approval of the session and the congregation at meetings to be held in January-February 2023.
- 7. The Advisory Board, as Trustees of Flint River Presbytery, Inc., elected the following as officers of the corporation:

President: Fields Varner Vice President: Amy Maley Secretary: Bryan Wright Treasurer: Bill Krenson

Stated Clerk -- Becky Willis

- 8. Terms of Call (TOC), pastoral contracts, and CRE annual reports were due by **January 31, 2023** for review by the Committee on Ministry. Terms of Call require a congregational meeting to approve. Pastoral contracts require Session approval only.
- 9. All forms for contracts and annual reports can be found on the *Clerk of Session* page under *Forms*. The CRE Annual Report Form can be found under the *Pastors* tab of the presbytery website under CRE/CLP.
- 10. Minimum Terms of Call remain the same for 2023 and may be reviewed on the presbytery website: https://www.flintriverpresbytery.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/Minimum_Compensation-revised_081914.pdf
- 11. The Terms of Call one-page form, called *FRP Terms of Call Report*, may be found on the presbytery website under the *Clerk of Session* tab and then under *Forms*. When the form is completed after the congregational vote, please send to ecantrell@flintriverpresbytery.org.
- 12. The roll of Flint River Presbytery's membership and register of all Certified Christian Educators, Certified Associate Christian Educators, and Commissioned Pastors (CREs) are contained within this handbook and must be reviewed by the Presbytery. (See Attachments pages 14-16). Please remember that, if you are listed as a member of the presbytery, you are expected to attend presbytery meetings. If you are unable to attend a meeting, a request for excuse must be submitted to the Stated Clerk prior to the meeting. As an act of intentional care and commitment to this covenant community, please communicate your inability to attend so that our Committee on Ministry may be aware of extenuating circumstances and be supportive and prayerful, as needed and requested.
- 13. Twenty-six of our Sessions submitted their 2021 Minutes and Records for review (65% of our congregations). Please contact the Stated Clerk if your Minutes and Records have not been reviewed. The review of 2022 Minutes and Records will be conducted in August 2023 by the same means as the last few years. Minutes and Records may be submitted to the Stated Clerk, a member of the Minutes and Records Committee, or may be peer-reviewed and the Session Record Form submitted to the Stated Clerk. The deadline is August 31, 2023.
- 14. The 2021 minutes of Flint River Presbytery were peer-reviewed and then attested by the Synod of the South Atlantic with no exceptions.
- 15. The roll of teaching elders (Ministers of Word and Sacrament) and ruling elder commissioners does not require revision to achieve the goal of numerical parity as specified in G-3.0301 (*Book of Order*).

Committee on Education and Nurture (CEN) – Angie Davis, moderator

16. Montreat Youth Conference from Saturday, June 10-Saturday, June 17, 2023. Please note that churches within our presbytery need to register themselves and their youth directly at www.montreat.org Be sure to list FRP as your organization for the sake of shared chaperones. This NEW process is decided to streamline registration and payment communication between congregations and Montreat. Deadline for registration is April 1, 2023, to assure presbytery-housing at Reynolds Lodge.

Food For My Kin: A Presbytery-Wide Youth Retreat

Trinity Presbyterian Church of Valdosta, GA is hosting a presbytery-wide overnight youth retreat on Friday, March 10th (check in at 6pm) - Saturday, March 11th (until 4pm). The retreat focuses on raising awareness for world hunger and food insecurity.

Our youth have set a goal to raise \$1000 for Rise Against Hunger (RAH), a global movement to end hunger.

You may be familiar with RAH, from our presbytery-wide food packing events that coincide with World Communion Sunday, where we pack thousands of meals for families around the world.

While there is no charge for youth to attend, we encourage youth to bring one canned food item to donate to Trinity's local food pantry AND connect with a sponsor (or more!) who agree to donate within one of several tiers on our Food for My Kin Sponsorship List.

Youth are still able to participate – even if unable to attend the retreat - by helping raise funds! Simply print out the donation form below and follow the instructions to sponsor/donate.

To register by Wednesday, March 8th or for more information, please email Britanny at britd@flintriverpresbytery.org and include the youth's name, age and grade, and church the youth is attending with.

Food for My Kin: Sponsorship/Tier Information

Please sponsor my attendance to the Food for my Kin Youth Retreat on March 10 at Trinity Presbyterian Church in Valdosta, GA. I will be learning about world hunger and food insecurity, tasting meals from areas where there is food insecurity, and helping the community by assisting the local Food Pantry.

How to Donate:

Choose one of the following tiers and fill out the form at the bottom of this page. Make checks payable to: Flint River Presbytery. In the memo line of your check, please put "Rise Against Hunger."

Checks may be mailed to: Flint River Presbytery, 2800 Old Dawson Rd, Suite 2 Box 312, Albany, GA 31707

Online donations are also accepted. <u>Visit the Flint River Presbytery website</u> and click on "ONLINE GIVING". Earmark your donation as "Hunger Funds Sponsoring (name of youth)".

All tier amounts are based off U.S. Averages

TIER 1: FEEDING A FAMILY OF FOUR FOR A WEEK	\$150-200
TIER 2: FEEDING AN ELDERLY COUPLE FOR A WEEK	\$100-150
TIER 3: FEEDING A SINGLE PERSON FOR ONE WEEK	\$50-100
TIER 4: FEEDING A CHILD FOR ONE WEEK	\$20-50

If mailing a check, please separate the bottom portion of this form and mail it with your donation.			
I am sponsoring	for Trinity Presbyterian Church's		
(name of youth) Food for my Kin eve	ent.		
Check this box if you are not sp	onsoring a youth, but would still like to make a donation to the event.		
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Committee on Ministry (COM)

- Paul Kauffmann, moderator and Sharon McFarland, volunteer staff associate

- 17. Re-instated Gary Cullison of First (Americus) as a Trained Ruling Elder and added his name to our pulpit supply list.
- 18. Approved one-year contracts between the following:

Trinity (Sylvester) Brad Shealy, CRE

Elmodel Joshua Bower temporary pulpit supply
Elmodel Sommer Bower, temporary pulpit supply

Cairo Rebecca Willis, CRE
Dawes Rebecca Willis, CRE

19. Approved the following moderator(s):

First (Warner Robins) Ralph Hawkins

Wayside Raymond Haggard (co-moderator)

20. Renewed the following commission(s):

Cairo Rebecca Willis through December 2025
Dawes Rebecca Willis through December 2025

21. Approved the Elder Terms of Service Waiver through November 2025, as noted in G-2.0404, for Westminster (Warner Robins).

<u>Finance Committee (FIN) – Frazer Loomis, moderator</u>

- 22. Approved \$16,500 from the Harry Halpert Fund for building repairs at First (Valdosta).
- 23. Approved \$20,000 from the Harry Halpert Fund for a new roof at Second (Thomasville).
- 24. Approved \$2,000 from the Harry Halpert Fund to assist with insect infestation at Dawes.
- 25. Noted with gratitude that The Center at VSU tithed a portion of their grant for property repairs to the Jerry Lee Watts Campus Ministry Endowment Fund.
- 26. Noted that the 2021 and 2022 audits are underway. The 2021 audit, although not complete, has been shown that our presbytery is acting in conformity with generally accepted accounting practices.
- 27. Changed the name of the Real Property Maintenance Fund to the Property Maintenance Fund to better reflect the purpose of this special fund.
- 28. Discussed at length the various special funds that have been entrusted to our presbytery's care in order to bring recommendations to the presbytery in the future. (See Attachments, pages 33-37)

Per Capita for 2023 is \$16.50

General Assembly - \$9.61
Synod of the South Atlantic - \$2.50
Flint River Presbytery -\$4.39

The Finance Committee extends its deep gratitude to our congregations and their generous commitment.

2022 Per Capita Report (as of December 2022)
2022 Pledge Giving Report (as of December 2022)
Balance Sheet (as of December 2022)
Operating Budget Performance Report (as of December 2022)
Special Funds Report (as of December 2022)
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Committee on Mission and Evangelism (CME)

-- Beth Jarrell, moderator, and Pam Moye, volunteer staff associate

- 29. Enjoyed a Zoom meeting, the "Great Christmas Gathering" with our sisters from the UNMP Guatemalan Women to receive updates on their work and celebrate their successes together. Our annual donations go to support 16 students studying theology and 5 others enrolled in secular studies. A potential joint mission trip to Guatemala with the Presbytery of Florida is in the discussion stage.
- 30. Voted to allocate \$1000 to the UNMP Guatemala Ministry and \$1000 to the Haugens' validated ministry overseas. These gifts came from the National/International Mission Giving line item in our operating budget.
- 31. Designated offerings for our presbytery meetings in 2023:

February Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA)

May Presbyterian Homes
August International Mission
October TBD at a later date

32. \$165,000 was available in grants from the Walter Flint Fund (WFF) and eleven churches applied. Several of the items requested in the WFF applications were eligible for Tech Grant funding. After careful consideration, the following determinations were made:

CHURCH	Al	location from WWF	Allocation from Tech Funds	
Beth Salem	\$	20,000.00	\$	550.00
Camilla	\$	9,000.00	\$	1,920.00
Cuba	\$	17,500.00		0
Edgewood		0	\$	904.00
Forsyth	\$	27,500.00		0
New Hope	\$	3,000.00		0
St. Andrews	\$	30,000.00		0
Thomaston	\$	5,000.00		0
1st Warner Robins	\$	29,000.00	\$	3,733.00
Washington Ave	\$	10,000.00		0
Westminster	\$	14,000.00		0
TOTALS	\$	165,000.00	\$	7107.00

33. Noted that the next Rise Against Hunger (RAH) event will take place on World Communion Sunday, October 1, 2023. Host churches are needed from each cluster. Please reach out directly committee members to express your interest.

We have packed 457,776 meals since we began this annual event in 2014!

We have raised more than \$125,000 for world-wide hunger.

Our meals went to Haiti and Niger in 2021.

Our meals went to Somaliland and the Dominican Republic in 2022.

Our totals are enough to feed cities the size of Baton Rouge or Pittsburgh for a day!

34. Technology Grants are available and applications can be found online at www.flintriverpresbytery.org under our CME committee page. **Deadline for applications is Monday, June 19, 2023.**

ACTION ITEMS

From the Nominating Committee and Representation Committee

Fay Isele and Ruth Stonestreet, Nominating co-moderators and Linda Gunn, Representation moderator

1. Recommends the approval of the following slate of nominees along with the endorsement of the Representation Committee.

Advisory Board (AB)

Don West, Southern Cluster

Synod Permanent Judicial Commission

Virgil Marshall, NW Cluster

From the Advisory Board (AB)

- Fields Varner, moderator

2. Recommended that the presbytery consider the *Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)* as an omnibus motion during our February meeting. An opportunity will be given for any voting member to pull an amendment out for debate and vote on that particular amendment. All amendments not pulled out for individual consideration will be voted on as one.



Litany of Preparation

Fill us with your holy love, O Lord,

And open the treasures of Your wisdom to us.

You alone know all that we desire.

So perfect what You have begun in us,

and instill in us patient hope and calm courage, through the stirring of your Holy Spirit.

Even as we seek Your face, turn to us and show us Your glory.

Then our longings will be satisfied and our peace will be complete..... (*silence)

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN

*based, in part, on a prayer of Augustine of Hippo (354-430)

Reflective Music offered by Percy Johnson, pianist at First (Americus)



Closing Litany

God,

good beyond all that is good,

fair beyond all that is fair,

In You is calmness, peace, and concord.

For Your life-stirring presence and Your life-giving power, we thank you.

Heal the dissensions that divide us from one another

and bring us back to a unity of love bearing some likeness to Your divine nature.

Through the embrace of love and the bonds of godly affection,

make us one in the Spirit by Your peace which makes all things peaceful.

We this through the grace, mercy and tenderness of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN *based, in part, on a prayer of Dionysius of Alexandria (d.264)

Hymn #307 "God of Grace and God of Glory" (verses 1, 3 and 4)

Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the PC(USA) Approved by the 225th General Assembly (2022)

22-A	F-1.0302c THE CATHOLICITY OF THE CHURCH (POL-16 1a)
	Expands inclusive language with reference to gender identity
22-AA	W-5.0204 PASTORAL CARE (TWE-05 7)
	Adds "particular specialized pastoral care" rather than adding to an existing list of such specialties
22-B	F-1.0404 OPENNESS (POL-16 1b) Expands inclusive language with reference to gender identity
22-BB	W-5.0204 PASTORAL CARE (TWE-05 8)
	Adds clarifying language in a section on "services of wholeness" to better express a Reformed understanding of those services
22-C	G-1.0501 MEETINGS (ROD-06 2)
	Establishes Robert's Rules of Order (RONR) as the default parliamentary authority for congregational meetings, and authorizes electronic congregational meetings
22-CC	D-3.0106 WHEN JURISDICTION ENDS (ROD-05)
	Allows a disciplinary process to continue after an accused has renounced jurisdiction
22-D	G-1.0503 BUSINESS PROPER TO CONGREGATIONAL MEETINGS (ROD-06 1)
	Adds receiving a disciplinary decision against a church member (as opposed to a minister) to the list of proper business at a congregational meeting
22-DD	D-10.0302 IF CHARGES ARE TO BE FILED (ROD-04 3)
	Grammatical change to an existing provision of the Rules of Discipline
22-E	G-2.0503 CATEGORIES OF MEMBERSHIP (POL-07)
	Removes "honorably" before "retired" as the category for retired ministers
22-EE	D-10.0303 PETITION FOR REVIEW (ROD-04 1)
	Amends the current Rules of Discipline to include notifying the person accused if no charges will be filed (instead of just the person(s) who made the accusation)
22-F	G-2.0505a(1) TRANSFER OF MINISTERS OF OTHER DENOMINATIONS (POL-15)
	Adds the requirement to consult with the other denomination when receiving immigrant pastors without otherwise acceptable PC(USA) ordination educational requirements

22-FF AMENDING THE USE OF "THE ACCUSED" IN THE CURRENT RULES OF DISCIPLINE (ROD-04 2)

Changes "the accused" to "the person accused" wherever it occurs in the current rules of Discipline

22-G G-2.0603 PURPOSE OF INQUIRY (HSB-05 2)

Adds the requirement of boundary training during the inquiry phase of preparation for ordination as a minister of the Word and Sacrament

22-GG REPLACING THE CURRENT "RULES OF DISCIPLINE" WITH A NEW "CHURCH DISCIPLINE" SECTION (ROD-03)

Proposed a complete revision of the Rules of Discipline,

22-H G-2.0605 OVERSIGHT (HSB-05 1)

Adds a requirement of sessions to "report to the presbytery of any matters of sexual misconduct" of their members who are enrolled as inquirers or candidates

22-I G-2.0804 TERMS OF CALL (HSB-06)

Adds the requirement of a minimum of twelve weeks of paid family leave in terms of call for all installed pastors/associate pastors

22-J G-2.1001 FUNCTIONS (MC-08)

Adds language allowing Commissioned Pastors to be commissioned to more than one validated ministry at a time

22-K G-2.1002 TRAINING, EXAMINING, AND COMMISSIONING (HSB-05 3)

Adds the requirement of boundary training for those elders seeking to be Commissioned Pastors

22-L G-2.1103 CHRISTIAN EDUCATORS (HSB-05 4)

Adds the requirement of boundary training for those elders seeking to be certified as Christian Educators

22-M G-3.0104 OFFICERS (MC-05)

Adds language that "it is appropriate" to adopt procedures for electronic session meetings

22-N G-3.0105 MEETINGS (ROD-06 3)

Adds provision that all councils and their commissions and committees may meet electronically

22-O G-3.0106 ADMINISTRATION OF MISSION (HSB-05 9)

Adds language regarding boundary training, including sexual abuse to the requirement for sexual misconduct policies required of councils

22-P G-3.0106 ADMINISTRATION OF MISSION (POL-10)

Adds the requirement of an antiracism policy to the required policies of councils, and clarifies other language in that list

22-Q G-3.0303c RELATIONS WITH SESSIONS (MC-03)

Authorizes presbyteries to establish minimum requirements for severance packages in terms of call

22-R G-3.0401 COMPOSITION AND RESPONSIBILITIES (MC-06)

Authorizes synods to enroll those serving terms in elected offices of the synod as additional members of the synod as a way to fulfill principles of participation and representation

22-S G-4.0301 TRUST AND CONFIDENTIALITY (ROD-07)

Expands and clarifies "confidentiality" requirements for ministers and commissioned pastors

22-T W-3.0205 CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS (TWE-05 1)

Adds administration of the sacrament of Baptism to the list of appropriate actions following the proclamation of forgiveness in a service of worship

22-U W-3.0409 THEOLOGY OF THE LORD'S SUPPER (TWE-05 2)

Adds "when appropriate" to the recommended act of providing an invitation to baptismal preparation for those who come to the table who are unbaptized

22-V W-3.0414 COMMUNION (TWE-05 4)

Removes the current requirement that a minister of the Word and Sacrament lead the prayer of thanksgiving that concludes the Lord's Supper liturgy

22-W W-4.0403 ORDER OF WORSHIP (TWE-06)

Adds a sentence about "signs and symbols of blessing" to the section on ordination and installation services

22-X W-5.0104 HOUSEHOLD WORSHIP (TWE-05 5)

Adds a sentence on the importance of household worship in faith formation in the Reformed tradition

22-Y W-5.0104 HOUSEHOLD WORSHIP (TWE-05 6)

Adds an additional paragraph to the existing section on household worship

22-Z W-5.0201 THE CHURCH'S MINISTRY WITHIN THE COMMUNITY OF FAITH (TWE-05 9, 1 & 2)

Adds "discipleship" to a list of the Church's ministries that are connected to its worship, and adds references to statements in the Foundations of Presbyterian Polity