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PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE

April 11, 2015----------Oakland Church, Telford, TN

STANDING RULES

Presbytery of East Tennessee
Cumberland Presbyterian Church
(October, 2014)

I – MEETINGS

A. DATES

1. Regular Meetings – The Presbytery of East Tennessee will meet on the first Saturday in April, beginning at 9:00 A.M. and on the first Saturday in October, beginning at 9:00 A.M. (When the April meeting comes during Holy Week, the meeting will be one week later.)
2. Called meetings – Additional meetings of Presbytery may be called according to the procedures outlined by the Constitution of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

B. PLACES

All regular meetings shall be held with the congregations in alphabetical order so far as possible. The host congregation shall provide the noon meal.

C. ATTENDANCE

All ordained ministers (unless retired and have requested a standing excuse), licentiates, candidates, and representatives from all church sessions shall attend all meetings of Presbytery and are expected to stay for the whole meeting from opening through closing roll call unless excused, or if absent, send an acceptable reason for their absence.

1. If an ordained minister (unless retired and have requested a standing excuse), licentiate or candidate is absent without an acceptable excuse from a meeting of Presbytery, the Committee on the Ministry shall counsel with them concerning their responsibility as a minister and recommend to Presbytery action to be taken.
2. If a church fails to send a representative or furnish an acceptable excuse for not having a representative at a meeting of Presbytery, the Board of Missions shall counsel with the Session concerning their responsibility as a church and recommend to Presbytery action to be taken.
3. Each church session shall report the name of their representatives(s) and alternates(s) on forms provided by the Stated Clerk of the Presbytery.

D. AGENDA

The agenda for each meeting of Presbytery will be planned by the Moderator, Stated Clerk, and the Pastor Host.

1. The Spring meeting will include the following: A Worship Service including the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, a memorial service, an audit report from the Board of Finance, a report from the Committee on the Ministry and other necessary business.
2. The Fall meeting will include the following: A Worship Service including the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, reports from all Boards and Committees of the Presbytery including projected plans for the coming year, a report of the Commissioners to the General Assembly, an introduction of the Theme of the General Assembly, the report of the Committee on Nominations, a report from

the Committee on Judicial Concerns regarding the examination of Session records and any other necessary business..

3. The Stated Clerk of the Presbytery shall mail copies of the agenda and Board and Committee reports to each Session Clerk, minister, licentiate, and candidate of the Presbytery not later than two weeks in advance of a regular meeting.

II – MEMBERSHIP

MEMBERSHIP of the Presbytery shall be according to the Constitution of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

III – OFFICERS

The officers of the Presbytery shall be:

A. MODERATOR – The Moderator shall be elected at the beginning of each meeting of Presbytery for a term of six months. The Moderator shall be knowledgeable of parliamentary law and be familiar with the Standing Rules.

B. STATED CLERK – The Stated Clerk shall be elected at the Fall meeting for a term of three years. The term of office shall begin on January 1 following election. The Stated Clerk may or may not be a member of Presbytery.

C. TREASURER – The Treasurer shall be elected in the Fall meeting for a term of three years. The term of office will begin on January 1 following election. The Treasurer may or may not be a member of Presbytery. The Treasurer shall be an ex-officio member of the Board of Finance.

D. TRUSTEES – The Trustees shall consist of three members who shall be elected on a permanent basis. New members shall be elected when vacancies occur. The Trustees shall elect their own officers in compliance with the laws of the states in which the congregations of the Presbytery are located.

IV – AGENCIES

A. The Standing Boards and Committees of the Presbytery shall be as follows:

1. Board of Finance
2. Board of Missions
3. Board of Christian Education
4. Committee on the Ministry
5. Committee on Nominations
6. Committee on Judicial Concerns
7. Committee on Theology and Social Concerns
8. Heritage Committee
9. Personnel Committee
10. Camp Chilhowee Board of Directors
11. Camp John Speer Board of Directors
12. Commission on Discipline

STANDING RULES CONTINUED

B. Each of the Boards and Committees of Presbytery shall consist of nine members [with the exception of Personnel (3) and Heritage (6)] who shall be elected at the Fall meeting of Presbytery for a three-year term and shall assume office immediately. All unexpired terms shall be filled at the fall meeting of Presbytery. Each person shall be eligible to be re-elected twice, serving for a maximum term of nine consecutive years. The terms of office shall be so arranged that one-third of the terms shall expire each year. Membership shall include both ministers and laypersons in approximately equal numbers, and should also generally reflect the male-female ratio in the constituency it serves. Members missing two consecutive meetings without correspondence with the Board or Committee about their absence may be recommended by the Board or Committee for replacement. The Commission on Discipline shall consist of 6 members (3 ministers; 3 elders) as a permanent commission. New members shall be elected as vacancies occur.

C. SPECIAL BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

1. The Coordinating Committee:
   The Coordinating Committee shall consist of eleven voting members which include the chairpersons of the Board of Finance, Board of Christian Education, Board of Missions, Committee on the Ministry, Committee on Theology and Social Concerns, Committee on Judicial Concerns, Committee on Nominations, Heritage Committee, Camp Chilhowee Board of Directors, Camp John Speer Board of Directors and Personnel Committee. The Moderator and Clerk shall be ex-officio members.
2. The Moderator may appoint other special committees or commissions as may be required at each meeting of Presbytery.

V- PRESBYTERIAL PERSONNEL

A. PRESBYTERIAL CLERK/COORDINATOR
This part-time position shall provide administrative support for the work of the Presbytery by assuming duties of Stated Clerk, and also serve as a resourcer, trainer, and coordinator for the agencies of the Presbytery.

B. PRESBYTERIAL PASTORS
The Presbyterial Pastors, serving within the Presbyteries two distinct geographic areas, shall encourage the ministers of the Presbytery. They also shall help ministers and their families connect with resources of support and counsel available to them within and outside of the Presbytery. These are part-time positions.

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STANDING RULES CONTINUED

VI – OPERATING GUIDELINES

A. EXAMINATION OF RECORDS

Each congregation of Presbytery shall submit its session records for examination annually. Records from Beaver Creek, Bethesda, Casa de fe y Alabanze, Cedar Hill, Clark's Grove, Corntassel, Dover, Fairview, Faith Fellowship, Gass Memorial, Greeneville, Knoxville, Lebanon, Lenoir City, Loudon, Marietta, Maryville, Mercy, and Mohawk would be due at the spring meeting.

Records from Mt. Carmel, Mt. Pleasant, New Bethel, New Hope, Oakland, Oak Ridge, Oliver Springs, Philadelphia, Pilot Knob, Pleasant Hill, Pleasant Vale, Salem, Shiloh, Talbott, Union, Virtue, Willoughby, and Young's Chapel would be due at the fall meeting. This committee will report at each meeting of Presbytery as to its findings.

B. AGENCY MEETINGS, REPORTS AND BUDGET REQUESTS

Each Board and Committee reporting to Presbytery shall have met thirty (30) days prior to the meeting of Presbytery. Reports to Presbytery shall be made available to the clerk four (4) weeks prior to the meeting of Presbytery. Boards and Committees shall submit budget requests to the Board of Finance six (6) weeks prior to the Spring meeting of Presbytery.

C. ELECTION OF DELEGATES AND COMMISSIONERS TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND SYNOD

Commissioners and Youth Delegates to the General Assembly and Delegates to Synod shall be elected in October. They shall submit a written report to the meeting of Presbytery following the meeting of General Assembly or Synod. It is the policy of Presbytery that the Commissioners and Youth Advisory Delegates to the General Assembly and the Delegates to Synod be allowed actual expenses on the basis of travel, food, and lodging. The treasurer is authorized to forward funds to Commissioners and Delegates to General Assembly and Synod on their estimated cost.

D. PRESBYTERIAL MINUTES

Within thirty (30) days following a regular meeting of Presbytery, the Stated Clerk of Presbytery shall distribute copies of the minutes as follows: one copy to each minister, licentiate, candidate, and session clerk and additional copies on request to each congregation of the Presbytery. The Presbyterial C.P.W. shall be provided with such copies of the minutes as they may request.

Annually, copies of the minutes shall be sent to the Stated Clerk of General Assembly, Synod of the Southeast, Cumberland Presbyterian Historical Foundation, and Presbyterian Historical Foundation, Montreat, North Carolina.

STANDING RULES CONTINUED

E. PRESBYTERIAL SHARES

According to the apportionments recommended by the Board of Finance and adopted by Presbytery, each congregation shall forward to the Presbyterial Treasurer a monthly contribution toward its total share of the annual budget. Any difficulties incurred in meeting an obligation shall be directed to the Board of Finance, with any changes in shares being recommended by the Board to Presbytery. Monies appropriated from New Church Development to be used for any reason other than new church development must be reimbursed from the Presbyterial budget the following budget year. Presbytery shall keep a reserve fund equal to 15% of the total budget.

F. FINANCIAL AUDIT

All financial records of authorized agencies of the Presbytery shall be presented to the Board of Finance at the end of the calendar year for audit. The financial year shall be January 1 through December 31. All treasurers shall be bonded at the expense of the Presbytery.

G. TRAVEL POLICY

The travel policy for boards and committees will be in conformity with current IRS mileage with meals covered in working meetings. Lodging will be covered if necessary. Boards and committees are encouraged to consider travel in their budget requests.

VII – GENERAL

A. Ministers shall be ordained in regular or called meetings of Presbytery or by a Commission when appointed by Presbytery.

B. CONCERNING PASTORAL RELATIONSHIPS:

Whenever a church faces a change of pastors, or is for any reason without a pastor, the Board of Missions shall:

1. Recommend the dissolution of the pastoral relationship when necessary
2. Appoint a Moderator for the church session
3. Provide assistance for a self-study to re-evaluate its mission in the community
4. Assist the church in securing a supply for its pulpit, or grant the church permission to arrange for such supply
5. Maintain contact with ministers who may move and aid the church in making contact with a suitable prospective pastor
6. Recommend approval of the proposed pastoral relationship
7. Accept and transmit to Presbytery the request of the church for the newly approved pastor's installation.

STANDING RULES CONTINUED

C. MINISTERS WHO PLAN TO RETIRE are asked to notify the stated clerk of Presbytery in writing so that they may be duly recognized for their years of service. The letter should include the minister's desires concerning a worship service to recognize the retirement. The Committee on the Ministry is charged with the responsibility of assisting with arrangements for such worship services.

D. THE STANDING RULES shall be printed in the minutes of each regular meeting of Presbytery.

E. THE STANDING RULES may be amended or suspended as the need arises by two-thirds majority vote of Presbytery.

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MODERATOR

Rev. James McGuire
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15 (3)	Amy Brandon, 2926 Wind Sock Ln., Knoxville 37924	Beaver Creek	865-465-3640
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17 (2)	Richard Russell, P. O. Box 205, Rockford 37852	Clarks Grove	865-659-5061
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PROGRAM
PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE
OCTOBER 4, 2014
NEW HOPE CHURCH
MADISONVILLE, TN

Registration----------8:30 a.m.
Call to Order, Elder Kimberly Walls----------9:00 a.m.
Roll Call and Declaration of Quorum
Constituting Prayer----------Rev. Mark Hester
Adoption of Program
Opening Worship & Communion----------Worship Leader: Rev. David Koopman, Speaker: Rev. Mike Wilkinson

Welcome and Announcements----------Rev. David Koopman

1. **Report #1 Nominations Committee**
   Election of Moderator
   Recognition of Visitors
   Communications

Hearing of Representative of Agencies and other Judicatories

Recess – 10:30 a.m.

Hearing of Board/Committee Reports:

2. **Personnel (White)**
3. **Heritage (White)**
4. **Theology & Soc. Concerns (White)**
5. **Commissions to Ordain (White)**
6. **Synod Reports (White)**
7. **GA Comm. Reports (White)**
8. **GA Comm. Report (Cream)**
9. **Christian Education (Canary)**
10. **Finance (Pink)**
11. **Missions (Goldenrod)**
12. **Comm. on Ministry (Salmon)**
13. **Co-ordinating Committee (Blue)**

12:00 ----------Noon Recess
(A noon meal will be provided by the Host Church for a donation)

1:00 p.m. – Presbytery re-convenes

Committee Reports Continue

14. **Committee on Judical Concerns**

Selection of Next Place of Meeting

Other Business
Reading & approval of Minutes – Final Roll Call

Closing Prayer - Adjournment

ROLL CALL – October, 2014

MINISTERS

Acton, Donald	PP
Blakeburn, Roy	EE
Brown, Rex	EE
Carter, James	PP
Choi, Ezra	AA
Coker, Nick	PP
Dobson, H. Wallis	EE
Duncan, Ronnie	PP
Fly, Billy	EE
Franco, Ricardo	PP
Franklin, Chris	PP
Freeman, Dan	EE
Gillis, Ernest	AA
Gonzales, Miguel	PP
Greene, Tammy	PP
Greenwell, J.C.	EE
Harper, Carlton	PP
Hartman, Gary	PP
Hester, Mark	PA
Hubbard, Don	PP
Ivey, Bill	EE
Johnson, Beverly	EE
Johnson, Ken	EE
Johnson, Rocky	EE
Keller, Abby	PP
Kelly, Patrick	PP
Keown, Gale	EE
Koopman, David	PP
Lively, James W.	PP
Longmire, Ronald	PP
Malinoski, T. J.	PP
Marquez, Alfonso	PP
Marquez, Martha	PP
Mayfield, Randall	PP
McConnell, Donald	EE
McGuire, James	PP
Middleton, Bill	PP
Nicholson, Casey	PP
Ortiz, Milton	PP
Phillips, Kenneth	PP
Pickard, Ron	EE
Prenshaw, Rebecca	EE
Richardson, W. Jean	EE
Sanchez, Josefina	EE
Scott, Jerry	PP
Shipley, Howard E.	EE
Sledge, Jeff	EE
Spurling, Jr., Robert	EE
Sweet, Don	EE
Sweet, Thomas	PP
Turner, Leonard	PP
Vickers, Fran	PP
Watson, Dale	PP
West, Jr., Fred	EE
Wilkerson, Patrick	EE
Wilkinson, Mike	PP
Wood, Jeffrey P.	PP

LICENTIATES

Brockman, Anna	EE
Broyles, Byrd	PP
Choi, Sean	PP
Craig, Aaron	AA

CANDIDATES

Brown, Whitney	EE
Creamer, Jennifer	EE
Crocker, Ben	EE
Hamby, Gary	AA

LAY PREACHER

Snowden, Richard	AA

PROVISIONAL MINISTERS

Swatzell, Gene	AA

ROLL CALL OF CHURCHES – OCTOBER, 2014

Beaver Creek	Gary Cunningham	PP
	Robert A. Leach	PP
Bethesda	Roger Thornburg	PP
Casa de fey	Eric Aldana	PP
Cedar Hill	Terry J. Laws	PP
Clark's Grove	Pam Ivens	PP
Corntassell		AA
Dover	David Sauceman	PP
Fairview	Terry Murray	PP
Faith Fellowship	Walter Soloman	PP
Gass Memorial	George Mays	PP
Greeneville	Mary Ellen Honeycutt	PP
	Mary Beth McGuire	PP
Heartland Worship Center	Sue Phillips	PP
Knoxville	James L. Curtis	PP
Lebanon	Barbara Kirk	PP
Loudon	Russ Newman	PP
Marietta		EE
Maryville		EE
Mercy	Antonio Castillo	PP
Mohawk	Nancy A. Blake	PP
Mt. Carmel	Kimberly Walls	PP
Mt. Pleasant	Lynn Foshee	PP
New Bethel	Bonnie K. Hartman	PP
New Hope	Yvonne Wolfe	PP
Oakland		EE
Oak Ridge	Jim Menefee	PP
Oliver Springs		EE
Philadelphia	Tim Hammer	PP
Pilot Knob		AA
Pleasant Hill		AA
Pleasant Vale		AA
Salem		EE
Shiloh	Debbie Chapman	PP
Talbott	Jim Rolen	PP
Union	Jim Greene	PP
Virtue	Rob Boles	PP
*Walkertown	John M. Long	PP
Willoughby	Karen Hammitt	PP
Young's Chapel	Ken Gilliam	PP

*Provisional Church

MINUTES
PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE
OF THE
CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
OCTOBER 4, 2014

The Presbytery of East Tennessee of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church met in regular session with the New Hope Church in Madisonville, TN on October 4, 2014. The Moderator, Elder Kimberly Walls, called the Presbytery into session at 9:00 a.m. The roll called showed 32 Ministers; 2 Licentiates; 31 Elders; and 6 Visitors.

Declaration of Quorum and Constituting Prayer – A quorum was declared present and the Moderator called on Rev. Mark Hester to pray the constituting prayer.

Adoption of Program – On motion, the program was adopted subject to necessary change.

Welcome and Announcements: The Pastor of New Hope Church, Rev. David Koopman, welcomed the Presbytery of East Tennessee and made necessary announcements.

Opening Worship – The Worship Service was led by Rev. David Koopman. Rev. Mike Wilkinson delivered the sermon, "Understanding Our Purpose". The scripture was Ephesians 1:11-12. Following the sermon, Rev. David Koopman presided over the Sacrament of Holy Communion.

Recess – Recess was declared at 10:00 a.m.

Recess Out – Recess was declared out at 10:05 a.m.

Nominations Committee Report – Report # 1 of the Committee on Nominations was given by Rev. Abby Keller. The name of Rev. Jim McGuire was placed in nominations for Moderator for a six month ter. The Moderator called for other nominations, there being none, we proceeded to elect. Marked "A" and filed. At this point, Rev. McGuire assumed the Chair and spoke words of greetings and appreciation. He reminded us of the life and service of Dr. J. David Hester and called on Rev. Tammy Greene for a prayer in remembrance of Dr. Hester.

Recognition of Visitors – The following visitors were recognized: Rev. Lisa Anderson, Moderator of the General Assembly; Rev. Richard Brown, Children's Home; Dave Roberts, Bethel University; Rev. Steve Graham; Jennifer Smith, Heartland; Carolyn Harmon, Planned Giving Coordinator. On motion, the C. P. Ministers were seated as advisory members.

Communications – The following requested to be excused from this meeting of Presbytery: Rev. Rocky Johnson, family obligations; Rev. W. Jean Richardson; Rev. Billy Fly, distance; Rev. Billy Moore and Salem elder; Dr. Ron Pickard, out of town; Rev. Rex Brown, conflict of schedule; Rev. Rebecca Prenshaw, wedding; Rev. Howard Shipley, conflict of schedule; Dr. Jeff Sledge, out of town; Anna Brockman, work; Whitney Brown, distance; Jennifer Creamer,

distance; Elder from Oliver Springs; Rev. Ken Johnson, family obligations; Rev. Patrick Wilkerson, birth of child; Elder from Maryville, death in family; Elder from Marietta; Rev. Bobby Spurling and Ben Crocker. For the afternoon session, Rev. Jim Carter.

Other Communications – received from the following: Rev. Ken Johnson concerning Oliver Springs session records – referred to the Board of Mission. The Dover session concerning Pastoral relationship and search – referred to the Board of Missions. The Presbyterian Council for Chaplains letter concerning promotional materials. Mt. Pleasant Cumberland Presbyterian Youth Program being held today. A letter of Dismission and recommendation from TN-GA for Rev. Carlton Harper. On motion, received Rev. Harper into our Presbytery. Read letter of request from Rev. James Buttram for a letter of dismission and recommendation to TN-GA Presbytery. On motion, letter granted. Heard letter from Andes Presbytery endorsing Rev. Michele Gentry for Moderator of General Assembly in 2015.

Hearing of Denominational Representatives –

A. Moderator of the G.A., Rev. Lisa Anderson spoke on the work of the Church.
B. Rev. Milton Ortiz, Missions Ministry Team.

Recess – Recess was declared at 10:30 a.m.

Recess Out – Recess was declared out at 10:50 a.m.

Hearing of Denominational Representatives Continued –

C. Rev. Richard Brown, C. P. Children's Home
D. Dave Roberts, Bethel University

Woosley Endowment Fund – Rev. Tammy Greene made a motion to contribute to the Louisa Woosley Endowment fund $750.00, with the Treasurer to take the gift from available funds. Motion passed.

Reports – A motion was made that reports 2-7 and the Camp John Speer and the Planned Giving Coordinators Report be concurred in (none contain recommendations, except to dissolve the Commissions to Ordain). The Moderator ask for discussion on each of these. Mrs. Jane Hubbard spoke to the Heritage Report. Rev. Casey Nicholson spoke to the Theology and Social Concerns Report. The Synod Report was referred to the Nominating Committee. Rev. Tammy Greene spoke to the Camp John Speer Report. Motion passed. Marked B-I and filed.

Commissioners Report – On motion, the report from Commissioner Rev. Gary Hartman was referred to the Committee on Theology and Social Concerns. Marked "J" and filed.

Christian Education – The report of the Board of Christian Education was presented. On motion it was concurred in and its recommendations adopted. Marked "K" and filed.

Board of Finance – The report of the Board of Finance and the proposed budget for 2015 were presented by Rev. Randall Mayfield. On motion, the report was concurred in with editorial changes to Recommendation #1 to read (This Committee to include the Chair of the Board of

Finance, Treasurer's of the two Camp Boards, Presbytery Treasurer and the Stated Clerk. (The convener is Chair of the Board of Finance) and its recommendations adopted. Marked "L" and filed.

Board of Missions – Report #1 of the Board of Missions was presented by Rev. Jerry Scott. On motion, the report was concurred in and its recommendations adopted. Marked "M" and filed.

Committee on Ministry – The Committee on Ministry report was presented by Rev. Tammy Greene, on motion the report was concurred in and its recommendations adopted. Marked "N" and filed.

Coordinating Committee – The report of the Coordinating Committee was presented by Mrs. Jane Hubbard. On motion, the report was concurred in and its recommendation adopted. The Committee appointed Barbara Britton as the Chair of the Committee on Judicial Concerns. Marked "O" and filed.

Committee on Nominations – Reports #2 & #3 of the Nominating Committee were presented by Rev. Abby Keller. The slate of names were put in nomination – other nominations were called for. There being none, we proceeded to elect. Marked "P" and filed.

Coordinating Committee Review – Given the persistent difficulty in finding persons to fill vacancies on Committees, Rev. Jamie Lively made a motion that the Coordinating Committee review the current Committee structure of the Presbytery, and if need be, recommend changes to it by the Fall 2015 meeting. In its work, the Coordinating Committee will pay special attention to the number serving on Committees, how those persons are or might be recruited, what Committees the Presbytery does or doesn't need and necessary changes to the Standing Rules should its recommendations require them. Motion passed.

Board of Missions #2 – Report #2 of the Board of Missions was presented by Rev. Jerry Scott. On motion, the report was concurred in and its recommendations adopted. Marked "Q" and filed.

Lunch – At 12 noon recessed for lunch. Mrs. Carolyn Harmon prayed the prayer for the blessing of the meal. A bounteous lunch was provided by the New Hope Church.

Presbytery Resumes – The Presbytery was called back into session by the Moderator at 1 pm.

Announcement – An announcement was made that the mother of Rev. Mike Justice had passed away.

Judicial Concerns – The report of the Committee on Judicial Concerns was presented by Rev. Bill Middleton. On motion, the report was concurred in and its recommendation adopted. Marked "R" and filed.

Next Meeting - The invitation to meet with the Oakland Church was accepted. The meeting will be held April 11, 2015, at 9 a.m.

Thank You – The Presbytery expressed appreciation to New Hope Church for hosting this meeting.

Minutes Read – The minutes of this meeting were read and on motion approved.

Adjourn – On motion, this meeting was adjourned at 1:30 pm to meet with the Oakland Church on April 11, 2015. The closing prayer was led by Rev. Miguel Gonzales.

James McGuire Moderator
Rev. James McGuire

Ronald L. Longmire Stated Clerk
Rev. Ronald L. Longmire

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Committee on Nominations: Report No. 1

To: The Presbytery of East Tennessee in session with New Hope congregation, October 4th, 2014.

Your committee nominates the Rev. James McGuire as moderator for the term of six months.

Respectfully submitted,

The Committee on Nominations

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Committee on Nominations: Report No. 2

To: The Presbytery of East Tennessee in session with New Hope congregation, October 4th, 2014.

We commend the following individuals for their faithful and diligent service to our presbytery and church for the last nine years. They are no longer eligible to serve another term on their respective board/committee:

Board of Missions: Jerry Scott
Committee on Judicial Concerns: Rex Brown
Committee on the Ministry: Thomas Sweet
Committee on Nomination: Howard Shipley
Camp John Speer Board: Stacey Bolton

We also commend J. David Hester for his many faithful and loyal years serving the Presbytery of East Tennessee and especially the Board of Missions.

We further commend the following individuals for their faithful service who at their own request are no longer able to serve another term on their respective board/committee:

Board of Christian Education: David Marshall
Committee on Nominations: Frances McCarter
Theology and Social Concerns: Ronald Pickard, Tony Kerns

Respectfully submitted,

The Committee on Nominations

Committee on Nominations
2015-2017 term

Board of Christian Education

1. Debra Scott, 2310 Sentell Dr, Maryville, 37803, Beaver Creek, 865-681-6939
2. Roger Thornburg, 13760 Kinsport hwy, Chuckey, 37641, Bethesda, 423-234-2483
3. Nancy Blake, 310 Yellow Springs Rd., Midway, 37809, Mohawk, 423-972-3547
4. Rebecca Prenshaw, (16, to fill unexpired term)
   1100 Albemerle Ln., Knoxville, 37923, Loudon, 865-531-1954

Board of Finance

1. Ronnie Duncan, 146 Desiree Broyles Rd., Chuckey, 37641, Fairview, 423-552-0321
2. Jeff Hayes, 155 Old Shiloh Rd., Greeneville, 37743, Bethesda, 423-639-8404
3. Randall Mayfield, 12470 Daiseywood Dr., Knoxville 37932 Marietta, 865-769-4756

Board of Missions:

1. Alfonzo Marquez, 389 Bethel Dr., Lenior City, Mercy, 865-660-7579
2. Jamie Lively, 201 N. Main St, Greeneville, 37745, Greeneville, 423-638-4119
3. Mary Sue Balding, 695 Doty Chapel Rd., Afton, 37616, Fairview, 423-639-1454
4. Dale Watson (16, to fill unexpired term), 124 Mossy Creek Dr., Kington, 37763, 865-399-4500

Personnel Committee:

1. Jimmy Rolen

Committee on Judicial Concerns:

1. Mike Wilkenson, 6900 Nubbin Ridge Dr., Knoxville, 37919, 205-533-2001
2. Martha Marquez, 389 Bethel Dr., Lenior City, Mercy, 865-603-4800
3. Vacant

Committee on the Ministry

1. Fran Vickers, 3618 Preston Ln., Knoxville, 37921, Beaver Creek, 865-310-8203
2. Carolyn Harmon, 4435 Newport Hwy., Greeneville, 37743, Cedar Hill, 423-639-3037
3. Jack Watson, 12309 Turkey Creek Rd., Knoxville, 37934, Virtue, 865-966-5998

Committee on Nominations

1. Richard Snowden, 640 Jim Kirk Rd., Midway, 37809, Pilot Knob, 423-736-3818
2. Amy Brandon, 2926 Windsock, Ln., Knoxville, 37824, Beaver Creek, 865-465-3640
3. Velta Rhea Riley, 235 Easy St., Mohawk, 37711

Committee on Theology and Social Concerns

1. Lori Ann Renner, 85 Cimarron Tr., Afton, 37616, Cedar Hill, 423-639-7802
2. Vacant
3. Vacant

Camp Chilhowee Board of Directors

1. James L. Curtis, 8405 Meklenburg Ct., Knoxville, 37923, Knoxville, 865-357-0441
2. Richard Russell, P.O. Box 205, Rockford, 37852, Clarks Grove, 865-659-5061
3. Vacant

Camp John Speer Board of Directors

1. Tammy Greene, 109 Armitage Dr., Greeneville, 37745, Shiloh, 423-9725525
2. Jean Barnes, 392 Viking Place, Greeneville, 37745, Greeneville, 423-636-1979
3. Kelli Reed Rose, 7689 Abbey Ln, Talbott, 37877, Talbott, 423-552-4252

Heritage Committee

1. Jane Hubbard, 2128 N. Campbell Station Rd., Knoxville, 37932, Marietta, 865-693-0264
2. Peggy West, 4885 Dulaney Rd., Greeneville, 37743, Cedar Hill., 423-638-8478

Clergy commissioners to GA

1. Jeff Wood
2. Ricardo Franco
3. Chris Franklin

Alternate Clergy Commissioners to GA

1. Ronnie Duncan
2. Robert Spurling
3. Martha Marquez, 389 Bethel Dr., Lenior City, Mercy, 865-603-4800

Elder Commissioners to GA:

1. Larry Byars, 1412 Dempsey Road,Knoxville, TN 37932 HM: (865) 531-9259,CELL: (865) 850-2925
2. Nancy Blake, 310 Yellow Springs Rd., Midway, TN 37809, (423) 972-3547. Mohawk
3. Leopoldo Sagastume, 204 Webster St., Malden, MA 02148 Casa de Fey 617-650-7333 Leopoldojr42@hotmail.com

Alternate Elder Commissioners to GA

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3.

Clergy Delegates to Synod

1. Thomas Sweet
2. Chris Franklin
3. Robert Spurling
4. Patrick Wilkerson

Alternate Clergy Delegates to Synod

1. Martha Marquez
2. Josephina Sanchez-Camargo
3. Rocky Johnson
4. Ron Pickard

Elder Delegates to Synod:

1. New Hope
2. Beaver Creek
3. Youngs Chapel
4. Mt. Pleasant

Alternate Elder Delegates to Synod:

1. George Mays, 935 Fox Mays Rd., Greeneville, TN 37744 Gass 423-638-8624
2. Marietta
3. Lebanon
4. Coriece Baxter, New Bethel 423-638-4089

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Report of
The Personnel Committee
To the Presbytery of East Tennessee
Meeting in session at New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church
Madisonville, Tennessee
October 4, 2014

The Committee welcomed the opportunity to meet with the Presbytery Stated Clerk/Coordinator Rev. Ronald Longmire, Treasurer George C. Mays, and Planned Giving Coordinator Carolyn Harmon earlier this year. We continue to be pleased with the dedication and gifts these individuals bring to their work. The Presbytery of East Tennessee is fortunate to have such experienced and capable staff.

The Committee has worked with the Presbytery Board of Christian Education in the search for a Presbytery Youth and Children Director and we hope to bring a recommendation to approve the hiring of a new Director at this meeting of Presbytery. We are grateful to Rev. Patrick Wilkerson who is serving as Interim Director, making it possible for a fall retreat.

We note with sadness the passing of Dr. J. David Hester, former Stated Clerk and Presbytery Pastor. We wish to express our gratitude for his years of service to the Presbytery.

Respectfully submitted,
The Personnel Committee

REPORT OF THE HERITAGE COMMITTEE C

To the Presbytery of East Tennessee in session with the New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church, October 4, 2014

The Heritage Committee met August 12, 2014.

DENOMINATION DAY CELEBRATION

The Denomination Day Celebration will be held on Sunday, January 25, 2015 at 3:30 p.m. at the Oak Ridge Cumberland Presbyterian Church. The program will explore "The Effects of the Civil War on the Cumberland Presbyterian Churches of the Presbytery of East Tennessee". Even though this period of our history was devastating for the churches, it is a part of our history of which we need to be aware.

Please place this event on your church calendar and announce it.

CIVIL WAR PROJECT

Don Hubbard, Presbyterial Historian, has completed the manuscript of "The Effects of the Civil War on the Cumberland Presbyterian Churches of the Presbytery of East Tennessee". Hard copies of the manuscript will be distributed on Denomination Day, January 25, 2015 at the Denomination Day program.

BUDGET

The Committee proposes the following budget for 2015:

Denomination Day Celebration and Special Projects	$1000.00
Board Expenses	300.00
Total	$1300.00

Respectfully Submitted,

Heritage Committee

Report of the Committee on Theology and Social Concerns
to the Presbytery of East Tennessee, In Session October 4, 2014
New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church
Madisonville, Tennessee

The Committee on Theology and Social Concerns has met regularly since our last report to presbytery in the fall of 2013. That work resulted in the committee feeling led toward a new theme for future workshops, "Being the Church in the 21st Century". The concept behind this idea has been that the presbytery might explore areas of practical ministry that are pertinent to congregational ministry in the present day that were not on the horizon some decades ago.

The committee held its first workshop in this series this past May with a "Safe Sanctuaries" workshop held at Talbott CPC. Susan Groce and Elinor Brown from the CP Center in Memphis joined us as guest speakers and workshop facilitators, along John McInturff, Jr. of the Greeneville church and Terry Cannon from Cedar Hill who served as small group facilitators. Topics ranged from church security and safety issues to insurance and liability issues to policies for youth group volunteers and Sunday School classes.

The committee polled those in attendance at the Safe Sanctuaries workshop and found that those in attendance were unanimously pleased with the workshop, having offered very favorable marks on feedback forms.

However, it should be noted that there were only a total of thirteen individuals who came to the workshop who were not either part of the committee itself or one of the aforementioned workshop speakers/facilitators.

Taking this latter fact into consideration, the committee feels that it would be appropriate to attempt to get feedback from the larger body of the presbytery in an effort to learn what sort of changes we could make to improve our attendance turnout for future workshops. A questionnaire has been included in the preliminary minutes for this meeting, and we're asking each member of the presbytery to fill out the form and to submit it to Casey Nicholson at our meeting in Madisonville on October 4. Those who are not able to attend the meeting may mail their questionnaire to:

Casey Nicholson
1020 Tusculum Blvd.
Greeneville, TN 37745

It is our hope that getting feedback from the presbytery as a body at large will aid us in providing the presbytery with topics of interest and formats of study that will serve this body in a way that is both meaningful and fruitful.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. Casey Nicholson, Chairman

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REPORT OF THE COMMISSION TO ORDAIN AND INSTALL REBECCA PRENSHAW TO THE PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE

Fall Meeting October 4, 2014

Reverend Rebecca Prenshaw was duly ordained to the office of the gospel ministry with a commitment to full authority to preach the word, administer the sacraments and to bear rule in the church. She was installed as the Associate Pastor of Music at the Loudon Church.

The Loudon congregation and visitors met on Sunday, April 27, 2014 at 4:00. Worship was led by Rev. Nick Coker. The Scriptures were read by selected family members of Rev. Prenshaw. The Sermon was delivered by Rev. Mark Hester. The Laying on of Hands was led by Rev. Hester. The Installation was led by Rev. Coker. Elders Carolyn Harmon and Joe Malloy shared in the questions, charges, prayers and installation with Revs. Coker and Hester. Special Music was presented by a host of volunteers: The Loudon CP Choir, Beth Brakebill, Rebecca Prenshaw, Rebecca's husband, Rick and their three sons (John, David and Eric) along with a number of other special musical guests. It was a wonderful and powerful celebration of worship and praise to the Lord.

Following the worship, those in attendance enjoyed a "Barbeque and Bluegrass" in the Fellowship Hall as the spirit of the Lord continued to bless everyone for some time.

Having faithfully completed our duties, we request the commission be dissolved.

Respectfully submitted:
Mark Hester, Nick Coker, Joe Malloy and Carolyn Harmon

Union Cumberland

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865-966-9040

To: Presbytery of East Tennessee
From: Commission to Order and Install
Date: September 10, 2014
Re: Meeting at New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church – Madisonville, TN

This letter is to inform you that the Commission to Ordain and Install Licentiate Miguel Gonzalez consisting of Rev. Leonard Turner, Elder Jim Greene, Rev. Tammy Greene, Rev. Alfonso Marquez, Rev. Martha Marquez and Sylvia Guzman met on May 18, 2014 at Mercy Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Lenoir City and fulfilled the Presbyterian Commission assigned to ordain Miguel and install him as Associate Pastor at Mercy Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

We recommend that this action be recorded and the Commission be dissolved.

Blessings,

Leonard E. Turner

Leonard E. Turner, Jr.
Pastor

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REPORT OF

DELEGATES TO SYNOD OF THE SOUTHEAST

May 1, 2014
to the Presbytery of East Tennessee meeting in session at
New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church
October 4, 2014

We the undersigned attended and represented the Presbytery of East Tennessee at the May 1, 2014 meeting of the Synod of the Southeast.

Rev. Jim Buttram of East Tennessee Presbytery was elected moderator and Martha Fisher of Robert Donnell Presbytery was elected vice-moderator.

Representatives from East Tennessee, Grace, Hope, Robert Donnell, and Tennessee/Georgia Presbyteries were present. Visitors included the moderator, vice-moderator, stated clerk and several representatives from the Alabama Synod of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in America.

The following items were considered and adopted:

1. Accepted the Alabama Synod's invitation to attend a two-day meeting of the Alabama Synod of CPCA in July 2015. Voted to instruct presbyteries to send at least three members to the July CPCA meeting.
2. Heard a resolution concerning the proper procedure for ministers to obtain permission to operate, serve and/or live outside the bounds of the presbytery in which he/she holds membership. By approved motion the resolution will be sent to Mike Sharp, stated clerk of the General Assembly, for clarification and recommendations before adoption.
3. Examined presbytery minutes and Committee on The Ministry reports.
4. Reviewed and accepted the report from the Committee to Audit the Treasurer's Report.
5. Approved the 2015 Budget.
6. Set the next meeting on May 7, 2015 at Red Bank Church.

Respectfully submitted,

Rev. James Buttram, Jr.
Rev. Milton Ortiz
Rev. Robert Spurling
Rev. Dale Watson
Elder Stacy Bolton
Elder George Mays
Elder Steve Summers

Rev. Bill Middleton
12826 Union Rd.
Knoxville, Tennesseee
37934

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Presbytery Of East Tenessee:
October 4, 2014

Wish to thank you for the priveledge and the responsibility of representing the Presbytery of East Tennessee at the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, June 16-20, in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

I served as chairman of the Condentual Committee. It was responsible for certifying each of the delegates from all the presbyteries. I also served on the Teological and Social Concerns committee. It dealt with the proosed union with the CPC and the CPCA. This item was sent to each presbytery for discussion and being informed about the proposed union.

The General Assembly was mmoved by the powerful worship services and the special groups that were present and their presentations.

Thank you for the opportunity and the experience.

Sincerely:

Bill Middleton

Bill Middleton.

Dear Mr. Longmire,

I enjoyed my stay at the Chattanooga Choo Choo. I thought it was interesting at Presbytery while being a Y.A.D. I liked how our votes and decisions actually mattered. While I was there, I participated as part of the Judiciary Board.

Thank you,
Pryor Summitt

July 14th 2014

To the Presbytery of East Tennessee

Report of Elder Commissioner to the 184th General Assembly in Chattanooga, Tennessee.
Elder Cliff Fluharty
Cedar Hill Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Thank you for the privilege of representing the Presbytery of East Tennessee at the 184th General Assembly in Chattanooga. It was a busy and exciting week.
I would also like to say a special thank you to Reverend Abby Cole Keller. As Worship Director, her leadership and organizational skills were reflected in the Worship and Devotional services.

I was assigned to the Committee on Theology and Social Concerns.
Referrals to this committee were:

- The Report of the Unified Committee on Theology and Social Concerns.
- The Report of the Unification Task Force.
- The Resolution from Commissioner Reverend Sherrlyn Frost, Grace Presbytery, concerning the Exclusivity of Saving Faith in Jesus Christ.

During the committee meetings we discussed the proposed plan for the Union of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church and the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in America. Seven recommendations were sent to the General Assembly for consideration and all were accepted.

The Resolution from Commissioner Reverend Sherrlyn Frost stirred much debate. The Resolution stated : "Be it resolved that the 184th General Assembly meeting in Chattanooga, Tennessee in 2014 would officially rule that the Cumberland Presbyterian Confession of Faith affirms the exclusivity of saving faith in Jesus Christ as an essential doctrine of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church and that this ruling be recorded and passed to presbyteries to uphold." This resolution was denied by the General Assembly. The committee made the following recommendation concerning this resolution. That the Unified Committee on Theology and Social Concerns be directed to study the scripture references for Section 3.08 of the 1984 Confession of Faith to see if it could be further clarified or strengthened by the addition of John 14:6 or other scripture references. This recommendation was accepted by the General Assembly.

This, being my first General Assembly, was a learning experience. I met many wonderful people during this time, and learned much about the workings of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Thank you for this opportunity.

Respectfully submitted,
Cliff Fluharty

To the Presbytery of East Tennessee:

Thank you for the opportunity to serve as Elder Commissioner to the 184th General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church June 16-20, 2014. My highlights:

- Retiring Moderator, Rev. Forest Prosser, preached on "What's wrong with the Middle? Nothing!" Excellent message. I also enjoyed the Korean Pastor's Choir.
- Rev. Lisa Anderson was elected Moderator. I thought it very fitting that a woman was elected during the 125th year of Women in Ministry celebration.
- Joint Communion Service with CPCA at Chattanooga First Church. Very moving service. Music by InSpirit, all male choir from First Church (mostly acapella)...they were awesome. Rev. Roosevelt Baugh brought an inspirational message. East Tennessee's own Rev. Abby Cole Keller did a great job as Worship Director.
- Served on Chaplains/Missions/Pastoral Development Committee. Enjoyed very much hearing from Rev. Lowell Roddy and Rev. Larry Greenslit from the Presbyterian Council for Chaplains. Also heard Rev. Lynn Thomas and Rev. Milton Ortiz speak on Missions.
- Business session was on Thursday with a brief presentation about the 2015 host, Colombia, South America.

It was a very good week for this first-time commissioner. I was honored to represent our presbytery.

Respectfully submitted,

Dianne Pipkin
Elder, Knoxville First

From: Rev. Abby Cole Keller, Clergy Commissioner to 184th General Assembly

To: Presbytery of East Tennessee

I would like to thank the Presbytery of East Tennessee for allowing me to serve as a Clergy Commissioner on behalf of the our presbytery for the 184th General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church held in Chattanooga, Tennessee on June 15-19, 2014. I was asked by the denomination to serve as worship director for General Assembly, which was a huge honor and a great experience.

On Sunday afternoon I attend the Orientation of Ministers and Elder Commissioners to prepare us for the work that was to come. On Monday morning I was able to attend a pre-assembly workshop lead by Troy Green on servant leadership in the church entitled "Behavior, Identity and Re-Envisioning Individual and Community Ministry".

While at General Assembly, I served on the judiciary committee. My committee was chaired by Elder Ladd Daniel and Co-Chaired by Rev. Larry Blakeburn. Being my first experience with General Assembly, I learned a lot about the church government in action. After consulting with many parties who were directly involved with this motion and lengthy discussion, the motion that was set before us dealing with Presbyteries and foreign missions was denied. We recommended that the Permanent Judiciary Committee work with the Ministry Council to come up with a change to the Constitution that would include the overseeing of mission work on foreign ground.

I was able to attend a unification workshop in which we looked over the Plan of Unification in small groups. During the General Assembly we were encouraged to look over this document as presbyteries and as congregations. In doing so, the hope of the Denomination is that we would supply them with input on the plan for unification with the CPCA church. I would encourage each church to look over this document both to educate yourself and yourself congregations about the plan for unification and to supply input for improving the plan.

I had many opportunities to worship with both other CPs and CPCAs. These opportunities included a Monday evening joint worship service at which both bodies, the CPC and CPCA members, came together at First Chattanooga to hear the Word proclaimed by Rev. Roosevelt Baugh and to partake together at the communion table. Another opportunity was when we celebrated 125 years of women in ministry, which as a woman in the ministry was a very moving service put together by Rev. Tiffany Hall McClung. This service included two probationers from our Presbytery, Anna Sweet Brockman and Whitney Brown, who did a wonderful job of which I am extraordinarily proud. I feel blessed to having had the opportunity to watch them both grow into such lovely, bright and competent ladies who represent our denomination so well and give me great hope for the future of the church.

Business concluded Thursday afternoon and closed with a worship service lead by myself and Rev. Jennifer Newell, Host Pastor for General Assemble and Pastor at Cleveland CPC in Cleveland, Tennessee.

I would like to thank the Presbytery again for allowing me this wonderful opportunity to serve both our Presbytery and our Denomination.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Abby Cole Keller
Clergy Commissioner for General Assembly

Report of Planned Giving Coordinator -- Presbytery of East Tennessee

By: Carolyn Harmon

2014

Mar. 6	Met with Cliff Hudson, OUO Development Director, regarding Endowments and other ways charitable gifts can be made to benefit OUO and shared some publications with him.
Mar. 8	Attended Nolachuckey Region CPWM at Fairview CPC in Afton, TN and encouraged presentations on planned giving to benefit their local churches.
Mar. 13-15	Attended the Board of Stewardship Meeting in Cordova, TN.
Apr. 5	Attended Presbytery of East Tennessee at New Bethel CPC in Greeneville, TN and made myself available to schedule presentations on planned giving.
Apr. 27	Participated in Ordination Service of Rebecca Prenshaw at Loudon CPC and spoke to some folks about planned giving.
June 16-19	Attended General Assembly and CPWM Convention in Chattanooga, TN.
Aug. 31	Visited with Cliff Hudson, OUO Development Director, at lunch following his message to our congregation.
Sept. 22	Prepared semi-annual report to the Board of Stewardship, Foundations and Benefits and emailed it to their office.
Sept. 22	Emailed semi-annual report to Stated Clerk of Presbytery of East Tennessee to be included in packets for Elder delegates and Clergy.
Sept. 22	Emailed semi-annual report to Personnel Committee of Presbytery of East Tennessee.

This program is a vital part of our church's future and I remain available and willing to share the information with any interested group. The church can and is benefitting greatly from this information. The Presbytery of East Tennessee and the Board of Stewardship, Foundations and Benefits of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church remain optimistic and supportive of this program's availability to congregations throughout the denomination.

Thanks for your continued support,
Carolyn

9/2014

Report of the Camp John Speer Board
to the Presbytery of East Tennessee
meeting with New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church
Madisonville, Tennessee
October 4, 2014

Since the last meeting of presbytery the camp board has met one time on August 27 and conducted business as follows:

- After discussion on whether we needed a finish mower, authorized the purchase of a finish mower for $1,700;
- Discussed two bids received in May for a new roof for Manos Hall. The need to replace the roof is immediate and cannot wait until next spring. Therefore, contractors will be asked to update their bids and two more bids will be sought. Approved a fundraiser to raise money for these needed repairs to Manos Hall to be held:

Saturday, November 1, 2014
Spaghetti Dinner and Silent Auction Fundraiser
for Camp John Speer - Manos Hall roof
5:00 - 8:00 pm
Cost: Donations
at Greeneville Cumberland Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall

The camp board humbly requests that our area churches help with this fundraiser by working 30 minute shifts and providing desserts and auction items.

Summer Camps at Camp John Speer - studied the Parables of Jesus
Junior Camp - 21 campers, 6 counselors, 2 CIT's (counselor-in-training)
Middle School Camp - 22 campers, 5 counselors, 1 CIT (counselor-in-training)

Repairs or Additions at Camp since last report include:

- purchased a used tractor for $9,000
- painted 2 bedrooms in Shelton Hall (on the boys side nearest outside door)
- repaired air hockey game and a ping pong table
- additional work completed on the project of adding electrical to the chapel

Thank you:

- to **Stacy Bolton**, for serving as camp treasurer and board member for nine years, and all his hard work at the camp for all those years;
- to all who attended the April 12 work day;
- to the family and friends of Jerry Malone who made memorial contributions to CJS in his memory;
- to the churches and individuals who continue to support the ministry of CJS by:
  - sending or sponsoring youth to attend church summer camps and retreats,
  - bringing your church to CJS for worship and church outings and picnics,
  - renting the camp for your reunions and family outings,
  - talking about the availability of the camp for rent to your co-workers and friends,
  - praying for Dennis Elwell, our camp caretaker, and his wife Ruth, and the board members to be good stewards and faithful witnesses to the glory of God.

Respectively Submitted,
Camp John Speer Board of Directors

To: The Presbytery of East Tennessee meeting at the New Hope Church Oct. 4, 2014.

Thank you for the privilege of representing our presbytery as a fill-in delegate for Jerry Scott to the 184th General Assembly meeting in Chattanooga, TN.

I served on the Committee of Higher Education. Our committee was led by Rev. Sam Wayman. We were challenged a few times but all ended with blessings to all. Here is a summary of the actions approved by the GA from our committee:

MEMPHIS THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

1. Emphasized the importance of constructing a new chapel at Memphis Theological Seminary.
2. Encouraged churches and members to give to the capital campaign, which will work toward fully funding the Baird-Buck Chair of Cumberland Presbyterian Studies.
3. Expressed gratitude to Reverend Doctor Tom Bell and Reverend Doctor Doy Daniels for their faithful service on the Board of Trustees.
4. Urged all probationers to consider Memphis Theological Seminary or the Program of Alternate Studies as their first options for meeting the educational requirement for ordained ministry.
5. Affirmed the constitutional role of a presbytery to confer or acknowledge ordination within constitutional boundaries and the role of the Program of Alternate Studies to evaluate in consultation with the Committee on Ministry of a presbytery and determine the precise course requirements for all students sent to them by a presbytery.
6. Encouraged Memphis Theological Seminary to hire Cumberland Presbyterian Faculty.

BETHEL UNIVERSITY

1. Commended Board of Trustees for their hard work and for the future plans at Bethel.
2. Encouraged congregations and members of the CPC to support the building of the Cumberland Chapel with their prayers and offerings.

A complete copy of the 2014 GA Summary of Actions can be viewed at:

https://mail.google.com/mail/ca/u/0/#inbox/14769a55dcb2bc2e

I attended all the meetings and several of the worship services and was blessed to have done so.

I also attended the pre-assembly workshop on Hospitality led by: T. J. Malinoski - Director of Evangelism - New Church Development (901) 276-4572 x232. He did such an excellent job that I make the following recommendation:

Recommendation 1

Rev. T. J. Malinoski should conduct an extended workshop for our Presbytery on the subject of Church Hospitality. All clergy and elders need to be invited. The workshop needs to be done at least twice: Once for Knoxville-area and once for Greenville-area.

NOTE: It could be the very best 2-4 hours invested for your church's growth.

Respectively Submitted,

Rev. Gary Hartman

Board of Christian Education Report to Presbytery Fall 2014

Resignation

Whitney Brown submitted her resignation and it was received. Whitney resigned from her position of Youth and Children's director of the Presbytery effective August 1st she has moved to Memphis, TN to complete her studies.

Interviews

Under the direction of the Personnel Committee we are in the process of interviewing for the position of Youth and Children's director Patrick Wilkerson is serving interim to the position. We will interview and make a recommendation to the Personnel Committee and they will make the final decision on hiring the candidate.

Fall Retreat at Camp John Speer

Middle School and High School is November 7th-9th. Patrick Wilkerson will direct.

Adult Retreat Surveys

Don't forget to ask your session clerk about the surveys that have went out to you by mail.

Recommendation

1.) That the deadline for Bethel Scholarships will be April 5th continually .

To the Presbytery of East Tennessee meeting with the New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church on October 4th, 2014.

The Board of Finance continues to monitor the financial position of the presbytery.

The treasurer reported to the board that the income flow has been improved with respect to presbyterial apportionment giving and health insurance premium payments. As a result this has allowed for some monies to be applied to building up the reserve funds that had become depleted.

The board commends the churches for their continuing support of the ministries and programs of presbytery through their financial giving.

The board has been informed that over the past few years the Presbytery's Liability, Property Damage and Worker' Compensation Insurance Coverage premiums paid by the presbytery and the camps have had significant increases. The current policy with Church Mutual is to renew April of 2015. The board believes that we should explore insurance options before the renewal of the current policy.

Recommendation 1: That the presbytery appoint a committee to review the Presbytery's Liability, Property Damage and Worker' Compensation Insurance Coverage for 2015 and future years and report their findings and recommendations for presbytery's approval at the Spring 2015 meeting – prior to the next policy renewal in mid-April. This committee to include a member of Board of Finance, Camp John Speer Board, Camp Chilhowee Board, Presbytery Treasurer, and Presbytery Stated Clerk.

The board has reviewed the proposed budget for 2015 and finalized this budget document and church apportionments for presentation to this meeting of presbytery. (Documents available in packet for review.)

Recommendation 2: That the 2015 budget and church apportionments be approved by presbytery.

Respectively submitted,
Board of Finance

PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE

2015 PROPOSED BUDGET ALLOCATION TO CHURCHES

The presbytery's annual budget is allocated to the churches of the presbytery based on the active members and total church income reported in the latest Annual Congregational Report. One-half of the budget is assessed equally for each church member reported and one-half is assessed equally for each dollar of church income reported.

CHURCH	ACTIVE MEMBERS at end of 2013	TOTAL INCOME RECEIVED DURING 2013	ANNUAL ALLOCATION for 2015	MONTHLY PAYMENT for 2015
Beaver Creek	500	497,997.00	**22,578.93**	1,881.58
Bethesda	35	47,480.00	**1,810.76**	150.90
Casa de Fe y ALABANZA	45	61,671.00	**2,339.52**	194.96
Cedar Hill	53	78,442.00	**2,861.38**	238.45
Clark's Grove	36	55,045.00	**1,975.75**	164.65
Corntassel	22	25,158.00	**1,052.69**	87.72
Dover	64	75,034.00	**3,096.07**	258.01
Fairview	54	98,555.00	**3,255.29**	271.27
Faith Fellowship	86	249,454.00	**6,871.76**	572.65
Gass Memorial	3	8,887.00	**243.09**	20.26
Greeneville	407	470,207.00	**19,562.08**	1,630.17
Heartland Worship Center	60	98,450.00	**3,415.30**	284.61
Knoxville First	97	242,108.00	**7,034.61**	586.22
Lebanon	19	32,930.00	**1,113.51**	92.79
Loudon	151	210,491.00	**7,915.17**	659.60
Marietta	100	220,786.00	**6,726.60**	560.55
Maryville First	90	101,632.00	**4,282.99**	356.92
Misericordia (1)	16	8,778.00	**591.94**	49.33
Mohawk	24	19,777.00	**1,008.50**	84.04
Mount Carmel	55	50,721.00	**2,409.64**	200.80
Mount Pleasant	28	28,473.00	**1,275.10**	106.26
New Bethel	16	24,316.00	**875.40**	72.95
New Hope	36	20,523.00	**1,345.97**	112.16
Oak Ridge First	141	283,620.00	**8,979.39**	748.28
Oakland	10	27,906.00	**778.97**	64.91
Oliver Springs (1)	7	9,851.00	**368.63**	30.72
Philadelphia	27	19,339.00	**1,081.48**	90.12
Pilot Knob (1)	9	14,275.00	**503.31**	41.94
Pleasant Hill	25	29,947.00	**1,221.02**	101.75
Pleasant Vale (1)	11	36,748.00	**967.26**	80.61
Salem (1)	7	35,071.00	**828.72**	69.06
Shiloh	119	146,871.00	**5,890.93**	490.91
Talbott	69	99,748.00	**3,681.87**	306.82
Union	193	365,099.00	**11,869.18**	989.10
Virtue	67	159,170.00	**4,711.94**	392.66
Walkertown Presbyterian (2)	[21]	[38,171.00]	**[1,263.14]**	[105.26]
Willoughby (1)	13	9,722.00	**528.20**	44.02
Young's Chapel	115	192,699.00	**6,619.03**	551.59
Totals	**2810**	**4,156,981.00**	**151,672.00**	12,639.33

(1) – The 2012 Annual Congregational Report for these churches was not received by the Office of General Assembly. Their allocation is based on the latest figures on file with the Presbytery.

(2) - The report from Walkertown was received after the allocation formula and table had been prepared. Their allocation was figured manually and inserted in the table. Their membership and income are not included in the totals.

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A Proposed Budget was submitted by the Board of Finance at the April 2014 Meeting of Presbytery. It was available for review by Boards/Agencies during the Spring and early Summer. Requests for changes--additions were submitted to the Board of Finance through August 15, 2014. The changes--additions were reviewed by the Board of Finance at their August 18, 2014 meeting. This Revised Budget is submitted for adoption at the Fall Meeting of Presbytery.

BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Line Item	*2013 Budget*	*2013 Spent*	*2014 Budget*	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
BOARD EXPENSE	1,000.00	1,214.43	1,000.00	**1,000.00**
YOUTH RETREATS - YOUTH COUNCIL				**500.00**
YOUTH TRIENNIUM	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00	**3,000.00**
CAMPS -- MATERIALS and SUPPLIES	3,700.00	3,128.49	3,700.00	**3,700.00**
SENIOR ADULT RETREAT and PLANNING (1)				**3,000.00**
PRESBYTERY C.E. COORDINATORS SALARY*	5,500.00	5,449.96	5,610.00	*
PRESBYTERY C.E. COORDINATORS EXPENSES*	1,500.00	607.95	1,500.00	*
Total -- Board of Christian Education	**$ 15,200.00**	**$ 13,900.83**	**$ 15,310.00**	**11,200.00**

* Presbytery CE Coordinators Salary and Expenses moved to Personnel Listing (page 3)

(1) New Program Being Planned For Senior Adults

BOARD OF FINANCE

Line Item	*2013 Budget*	*2013 Spent*	*2014 Budget*	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
BOOKEEPING *	5,050.00	5,049.96	5,151.00	*
BOOKEEPER OFFICE ALLOWANCE *	365.00	365.00	365.00	*
OFFICE SUPPLIES and POSTAGE *	800.00	644.55	800.00	*
AUDIT			1,500.00	**1,500.00**
TRAVEL	350.00	-	350.00	**350.00**
Total -- Board of Finance	**$ 6,565.00**	**$ 6,059.51**	**8,166.00**	**1,850.00**

* Treasurer's Salary and Expenses moved to Personnel Listing (page 3)

BOARD OF MISSIONS

Line Item	*2013 Budget*	*2013 Spent*	*2014 Budget*	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
TRAVEL and BOARD EXPENSE	750.00	1,007.25	400.00	**400.00**
BOSTON - TRAVEL and BOARD EXPENSE	2,500.00	2,152.48	2,500.00	**5,000.00**
BOSTON - PASTORAL ASSISTANCE	12,000.00	12,000.00	9,000.00	**6,000.00**
MERCY HISPANIC MINISTRY	12,000.00	12,000.00	8,000.00	**4,000.00**
MISSIONS PROBE	2,500.00	239.00	2,500.00	
Total -- Board of Missions	**$ 29,750.00**	**$ 27,398.73**	**22,400.00**	**15,400.00**

HERITAGE COMMITTEE

Line Item	*2013 Budget*	*2013 Spent*	*2014 Budget*	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
COMMITTEE EXPENSE	300.00	220.06	300.00	**300.00**
DENOM.DAY CELEBRATIONandSPECIAL PROJECTS	1,000.00	-	1,000.00	**1,000.00**
Total -- Heritage Committee	**$ 1,300.00**	**$ 220.06**	**$ 1,300.00**	**1,300.00**

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COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL CONCERNS

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
TRAVEL	150.00	-	150.00	150.00
Total -- Judicial Concerns	$ 150.00	$ -	$ 150.00	150.00

COMMITTEE ON THE MINISTRY

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
TUITION -- SEMINARY	15,000.00	5,196.00	11,000.00	11,000.00
TUITION -- PROGRAM OF ALTERNATE STUDIES	5,000.00	3,300.00	6,500.00	6,500.00
BOOKS/OTHER LEARNING RESOURCES	500.00	-	500.00	500.00
COMMITTEE TRAVEL -- MEETINGS	400.00	304.54	450.00	450.00
OFFICE SUPPLIES	100.00	-	50.00	50.00
Total -- Committee On The Ministry	$ 21,000.00	$ 8,800.54	$ 18,500.00	18,500.00

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
MEETING EXPENSES and POSTAGE	350.00	122.29	350.00	350.00
Total -- Committee On Nominations	$ 350.00	$ 122.29	$ 350.00	350.00

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
BUDGET ALLOCATION	250.00	-	250.00	250.00
Total -- Personnel Committee	$ 250.00	$ -	$ 250.00	250.00

COMMITTEE ON THEOLOGY and SOCIAL CONCERNS

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
ALLOCATION FOR PROGRAMING	500.00	-	500.00	500.00
TRAVEL and MEETING EXPENSE	250.00	-	250.00	250.00
OFFICE EXPENSE	250.00	-	250.00	250.00
Total -- Theology and Social Concerns	$ 1,000.00	$ -	$ 1,000.00	1,000.00

CHURCH CAMP COMMITTEES

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
CAMP CHILHOWEE Budget Allocation	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00
CAMP JOHN SPEER Budget Allocation	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00
Total -- Church Camp Committeees	$ 12,000.00	$ 12,000.00	$ 12,000.00	12,000.00

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OFFICE OF STATED CLERK COORDINATOR

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
SALARY	16,161.00	16,161.00	16,485.00	**16,485.00**
RETIREMENT	840.57	840.60	857.00	**857.00**
TRAVEL	2,200.00	1,126.61	2,200.00	**2,200.00**
OFFICE EXPENSE	700.00	387.89	700.00	**700.00**
POSTAGE	1,500.00	1,225.70	1,500.00	**1,500.00**
TELEPHONE/COMMUNICATIONS	700.00	22.25	700.00	**700.00**
EQUIPMENT SERVICE CONTRACT	2,000.00	508.65	2,000.00	**2,000.00**
MISCELLANEOUS	500.00	149.95	500.00	**500.00**
Total -- Office of Stated Clerk/Coordinator	**$ 24,601.57**	**$ 20,422.65**	**$ 24,942.00**	**24,942.00**

OFFICE OF TREASURER

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
BOOKEEPING	5,050.00	5,049.96	5,151.00	**5,151.00**
BOOKEEPER OFFICE ALLOWANCE	365.00	365.00	365.00	**365.00**
OFFICE SUPPLIES and POSTAGE	800.00	644.55	800.00	**800.00**
TREASURER'S TRAVEL	-	-	-	**400.00**
Total -- Office of Treasurer	**$ 6,215.00**	**$ 6,059.51**	**$ 6,316.00**	**6,716.00**

PLANNED GIVING COORDINATOR

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
SALARY	1,000.00	1,000.02	1,020.00	**1,020.00**
Denominational Board of Stewardship Salary Supplement*		1,000.00	1,000.00	**1,000.00**
PRESENTATIONS -- $200.00 per presentation	1,000.00		1,000.00	**1,000.00**
SOCIAL SECURITY TAX - Coordinator's Salary	103.00	169.09	156.00	**156.00**
OFFICE EXPENSE	250.00	-	250.00	**250.00**
Total -- Planned Giving Coordinator	**$ 3,253.00**	**$ 2,169.11**	**$ 3,426.00**	**3,426.00**

* The Denominational Board of Stewardship provides $1,000 annually to be applied to the Planned Giving Coordinator's Salary.

PRESBYTERY CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COORDINATOR

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
SALARY-- Presbytery Youth and Children's Director	5,500.00	5,449.96	5,610.00	**5,610.00**
RETIREMENT--Presbytery Youth and Children's Director				**360.00**
EXPENSES-- Presbytery Youth and Children's Director	1,500.00	607.95	1,500.00	**1,500.00**
Total -- Presbytery Christian Ed Coordinator	**$ 7,000.00**	**$ 6,057.91**	**$ 7,110.00**	**7,460.00**

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Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
CHURCH FACILITY USE -- *Talbott CPC*	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00
FIDELITY BOND	700.00	750.00	700.00	800.00
LIABILITY INSURANCE	3,000.00	2,307.98	3,000.00	3,000.00
BETHEL UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
HEALTH INSURANCE DEDUCTIBLE*	1,500.00		-	-
MEMORIALS	300.00	-	300.00	300.00
MISCELLANEOUS	1,000.00	-	1,000.00	1,000.00
Total -- Presbytery Expenses	**$ 7,750.00**	**$ 4,307.98**	**$ 6,250.00**	**6,350.00**

SYNOD OF SOUTHEAST

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
APPORTIONMENT	803.00	803.00	803.00	803.00
SYNOD COMMISSIONERS EXPENSES	325.00	103.96	325.00	325.00
Total -- Synod of Southeast	**$ 1,128.00**	**$ 906.96**	**$ 1,128.00**	**1,128.00**

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
GENERAL ASSEMBLY COMM. EXPENSES (2)	8,800.00	9,902.76	12,000.00	17,000.00
G.A. MODERATOR'S TRAVEL	300.00	-	500.00	500.00
Total -- General Assembly	**$ 9,100.00**	**$ 9,902.76**	**$ 12,500.00**	**17,500.00**

COOPERATIVE PROGRAMS

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
COALITION FOR APPALACHIAN MINISTRY (CAM)	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
DELEGATES TO CAM EXPENSES	500.00	-	500.00	500.00
PRESBYTERIAN COM. CHAPLAINS and MILITARY	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Total -- Cooperative Programs	**$ 6,500.00**	**$ 6,500.00**	**$ 6,500.00**	**6,500.00**

OTHER

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
DELINQUENT HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUMS	30,000.00			-
Reimburse NCD for 2013 Mercy Health Insurance Premiums			15,160.00	-
SPECIAL NEEDS FUND				15,650.00
Total -- Other	**$ 30,000.00**	**$ -**	**$ 15,160.00**	**15,650.00**

TOTAL BUDGET

Line Item	2013 Budget	2013 Spent	2014 Budget	2015 PROPOSED BUDGET
TOTAL ALL LINE ITEMS	172,997.57	112,211.42	150,832.00	151,672.00
AMOUNT PAID FROM RESERVES	12,000.00		-	-
AMOUNT APPORTIONED TO/PAID BY CHURCHES	160,997.57	156,841.73	150,832.00	151,672.00

Approved by Board of Finance
August 18, 2014

Report of the Board of Missions

To: Presbytery of East Tennessee, in session with the New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church, October 4, 2014.

Your Board of Missions submits the following report:

1. Current Officers: Chairman Jerry Scott
2. Contracts:
   a. Rev. James Buttram and the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Oak Ridge both requested the dissolution of the pastoral relationship.
   b. Reviewed the contract between Rev. Jean Richardson and First Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Oak Ridge.

   Recommendation 1: That the pastoral relationship between Rev. James Buttrum and the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Oak Ridge be dissolved.

   Recommendation 2: That the interim pastoral relationship between Rev. Jean Richardson and the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Oak Ridge be approved and that Rev. Jean Richardson be appointed as the moderator.

3. Walkertown PCUSA Church: The Board did not receive an update about this situation.
4. Seymour Mission Probe: It was noted that the task force for the Seymour Mission Probe was not dissolved. The Board would like permission to continue to look into various communities, including Seymour, about places that might look promising for a new Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

   Recommendation 3: That the Seymour Task Force be dissolved and that the Board of Missions be authorized to continue looking into places for a Mission Probe.
5. Quarterly Reports: At the time of our meeting, the Board had not received any quarterly reports. Later the Board received a report from Casa de Fe y Alabanza. They report having an average attendance of 55 for worship and 30 for Sunday School. This is at least the third meeting of presbytery that the Board has not been able share a report from Misericordia. These reports are due no later than the 10th of April, July, September, and January for the previous quarter.
6. Discussed the 2015 budget requests.
7. Noted that Oliver Springs was the only church that did not send a representative or an excuse to the April 2014 meeting of presbytery.
8. Moderators: Bethesda-Tammy Greene; Clark's Grove-Ronald Longmire; Oakland-James McGuire; Philadelphia-Ronnie Duncan; Pilot Knob-Howard Shipley; Pleasant Vale-James McGuire; Salem-Chris Franklin; Talbott-Howard Shipley; Virtue-Don Acton. The moderators are the same as they have been, with the exception of Rev. Jean Richardson, who will be the moderator of First Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Oak Ridge if Recommendation 2 is approved.

Respectfully submitted
The Board of Missions

REPORT OF
THE COMMITTEE ON THE MINISTRY
to the Presbytery of East Tennessee meeting with New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church Madisonville, Tennessee October 4, 2014

Licentiates under the care of Presbytery:

A. Anna Sweet Brockman: Anna was received under care of presbytery in April 2010 and licensed in April 2012. She is a member of Beaver Creek Church and is continuing her studies at Memphis Theological Seminary. She is serving First United Methodist Church in McKenzie in children's ministry. Anna was married in June 2013. Her mentor is Gwen Roddye, and her COM contact is Jack Watson.

B. Byrd Broyles: A member of Philadelphia Church, Byrd was received as a candidate in October 2005 and licensed in April 2012. He is a graduate of East Tennessee State University and is employed as a special education teacher in the Johnson City school system. Byrd is participating in the Program of Alternate Studies and has attended several summer sessions, most recently in 2014. He hopes to complete the PAS classes he lacks in the near future and has expressed a willingness and eagerness to begin fulltime ministry as soon as possible. He is presently serving Philadelphia Church. The committee last interviewed him in February 2014. His mentor is Rex Brown and his COM contact is Jim Carter.

C. Sean Choi: Received as a candidate in October 2008, he was licensed in October 2010. Sean was granted the M.Div. degree by Memphis Theological Seminary in May 2012. He attends the Korean CP Church of Memphis where he participates in various leadership roles; he also takes part in the life of Faith Church, Memphis. In September 2011, Sean and his wife, Ji, welcomed the birth of twin daughters. A third daughter was born in the fall of 2013. He would gladly consider a call to full time service in the United States in either a Korean language church or an English-speaking congregation. His youth makes difficult his acceptance in the Korean community as an ordained minister, as the cultural expectation among Korean Christians is that ordained ministers will be older than Sean. Presently Sean has taken secular employment while awaiting a satisfactory call. The Committee interviewed Sean in February 2012. His Committee contact is Jack Watson. His mentors have been Missy Rose and Yoong Kim.

D. Aaron Craig: A member of Young's Chapel Church, Aaron was received as a candidate in April 2008. He was licensed in October 2013. The Committee last interviewed Aaron during its February 2013 meeting. He graduated from Bethel University in May 2013 and is enrolled in Memphis Theological Seminary. Aaron and his wife have two children. He is currently serving ACTS (Korean) Presbyterian Church in the Bartlett suburb of Memphis in the English Ministries Department. Thomas Sweet is Aaron's mentor; his COM contact is Joe Malloy.

Candidates under the care of Presbytery:

A. Whitney Brown: Received as a candidate in April 2008, Whitney is a graduate of Maryville College and received the M.A.R. degree from Memphis Theological Seminary in May 2011. She is a member of Beaver Creek Church where she completed a one-year part time internship in young adult ministries. She has worked part-time with Oak Ridge Church and has also served as part-time coordinator for presbytery's Board of Christian Education. The committee last interviewed Whitney in August 2013. At this time she is again enrolled in Memphis Seminary seeking to complete the requirements to be ordained. Her mentor is Thomas Sweet, and her Committee contact is Nick Coker.

B. Jennifer Creamer: A member of Casa de Fe congregation, she was received as a candidate in April 2014. Reared in various independent churches in California, Jennifer has been associated with Pilgrim congregation, a union church of the Presbyterian Church and the Congregational Christian Church, in the Boston area, where she has done some preaching and has served as an elder. She holds two master's degrees, one in Old Testament and one in New Testament, and is currently pursuing a PhD at Gordon-Conwell Seminary. She has worked in overseas missions and foresees a personal future in theological education. In July 2013, she attended PAS classes in required Cumberland Presbyterian studies. She is involved in the life of Casa de Fe Church as time and opportunity allow. Her committee contact is Tammy Greene.

C. Ben Crocker: A member of Faith Church, Ben was received as a candidate at the April 2013 meeting of presbytery. He and his wife, Sarah, have been active in youth leadership and in other areas of the life of Faith Church, and he has been doing occasional supply preaching in several congregations. He completed a graduate degree at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville in May of this year and has moved to Birmingham to attend Beeson Theological School, a graduate program of Samford University. He is investigating ways to complete the required studies in Cumberland Presbyterian history, polity, and theology. The Committee is impressed with his serious approach to preparation for ministry and interviewed him in August 2014. His mentor is Jeff Sledge, and the Committee contact is Carolyn Harmon.

D. Gary Hamby: Gary was received as a candidate in April 2010. A member of Union Church, he has a bachelor's degree in business from Maryville College and has been approved to attend Asbury Seminary. He lives in Lenoir City and has worked in the field of electronics. In recent years Gary has had primary care of his parents. His father has passed away, but his mother still requires his regular attention, forcing him to delay seminary studies indefinitely. Our recent attempts to contact Gary have been unsuccessful; he has, however, indicated in the past his desire to continue his candidacy. We urge presbytery to be in prayer for Gary and for his mother. His mentor is Leonard Turner; his COM contact is Joe Malloy.

Other

A. Dale Carey: We have interviewed Garland Dale Carey, an ordained Southern Baptist minister, who has indicated interest in transferring membership to the Cumberland Presbyterian denomination. He has studied the Confession of Faith and other church documents and finds himself in accord with Cumberland Presbyterian teachings. Presently living in the Morristown area and serving a Baptist congregation, he would consider relocating if a Cumberland Presbyterian Church should issue a call. He has a college degree and two graduate degrees. He is

married but has no children. The Committee expects to maintain contact with Dale and can put any church interested in his services in touch with him.

B. David McBeth: All efforts of this Committee and of the Stated Clerk to communicate with David McBeth over a period of years have been unfruitful. At last contact, he was serving as a chaplain in the United States Navy. We have learned from the Navy's chief of chaplains that McBeth's service as chaplain ended in November 2012, and that office has no further record of him.

> **Recommendation: We recommend that David McBeth be dropped from the roll of ordained ministers effective with this meeting of presbytery.**

C. Chris Caldwell: Chris Caldwell, who was dropped as an ordained minister by presbytery in October 2002, has contacted the Committee chair asking that he be considered for reinstatement. We are investigating the circumstances of his termination and his desire for future service in this presbytery. We have no recommendation in this regard at present.

Meetings and Membership

The Committee met on August 2, 2014. The next anticipated meeting will be November 1, 2014. Tammy Greene is the committee chair and James McGuire is secretary.

Thomas Sweet has completed eligibility for service on this Committee at this time and we note with appreciation his faithful service.

Continuing Education

General Assembly requires ministers to complete six units of continuing education every three years on a cycle that began in 2000. One CEU credit is earned for every approved ten hours of instruction/study. Ministers are responsible for providing information regarding CEUs they have earned to the Committee on the Ministry.

CEU's can be tracked on the presbytery web page. Please contact James McGuire with any additions or corrections.

Respectfully submitted,
Committee on the Ministry

REPORT OF THE COORDINATING COMMITTEE

To: The Presbytery of East Tennessee, in session with the New Hope Church, October 4,2014.

The Coordinating Committee met on September 4, 2014.

We reviewed reports from the following Boards and Committees:

1. Board of Christian Education
2. Board of Finance
3. Board of Missions
4. Personnel
5. Committee on Ministry
6. Nominations Committee
7. Heritage Committee

We appreciate the work that is performed by all of the Boards and Committees of the Presbytery.

The committee heard three (3) proposals concerning the Committee on Judicial Concerns. After discussion the Coordinating Committee makes the following recommendation:

A chairperson be appointed for the Committee on Judicial Concerns, by the Coordinating Committee, at this meeting of Presbytery and training be provided for the Chair and the Committee by the Stated Clerk of the Presbytery.

Respectfully submitted,
The Coordinating Committee

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Report #2 of the Board of Missions to the Presbytery of East Tennessee in session at New Hope CP Church on October 4. 2014

The Board has received several communications since our last meeting. All of this information will be pasted on for the next Board Meeting.

1. Received communication from Josefina Sanchez requesting financial assistance on a mission project she has started. This will be discussed at the next Board meeting.
2. Received communication from George Mays with an update about Walkertown Presbyterian Church. The church has been dismissed from Holston Presbytery and is ready to proceed as a provisional church in the Presbytery of East Tennessee of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Contact information is included. This will be discussed at the next Board meeting.
3. Received a letter from Clarks Grove requesting that the pastoral relationship be dissolved between Rev. Danny Davis and Clark's Grove Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Rev. Davis is a Baptist minister and therefore the church already has an appointed moderator.

Recommendation 1: That the stated supply relationship between Rev. Danny Davis and Clarks Grove Cumberland Presbyterian Church be dissolved.

4. Received a request from Rev. Rocky Johnson and also a letter from Dover Cumberland Presbyterian Church to dissolve the pastoral relationship.

Recommendation 2: That the pastoral relationship be dissolved between Rev. Rocky Johnson and Dover Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Also that Rev. Jerry Scott be appointed as moderator of the Dover Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Respectfully submitted,
The Board of Missions
Jerry Scott, Chair

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL CONCERNS

We have received the session records from 11 congregations and reviewed their records and found them to be in order. We have not received records from: Mt. Carmel; Oakland; Oliver Springs; Pilot Knob; Pleasant Hill; Pleasant Vale; Salem; Walkertown.

Bill Middleton-Committee on Judiciary Concern

THE PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE

Meeting with the Congregation of
The New Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church

October 4, 2014

Pastor: David L. Koopman – Phone 865-977-6998
Work Phone: 865-379-8878 Cell Phone: 865-660-2440
Pianist: Donna Koopman

PRELUDE

WELCOME.....The Rev. David Koopman

*CALL TO WORSHIP:

Leader: O come, let us sing unto The Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the Rock of Our Salvation.

People: **Let us come before His Presence with Thanksgiving; Let us make a joyful noise until Him with Psalms.**

Leader: O come let us worship and bow down;

People: **Let us kneel before The Lord our Maker; for He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture and the Sheep of His Hand.**

*OPENING HYMN.....Red Book 277, Green Book 164
"The Church's One Foundation"

*UNISON INVOCATION:

Loving God, You ever delight to reveal Yourself to the childlike and humble of heart; grant that we may count the wisdom of the world as foolishness and know only Jesus Christ and Him crucified, who is alive and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

HYMN.....Red Book 66, Green Book 241
"To God Be The Glory"

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Ephesians 1:11-12

SERMON.....The Rev. Mike Wilkinson
"UNDERSTANDING OUR PURPOSE"

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION
(Please hold elements until all have been served.)

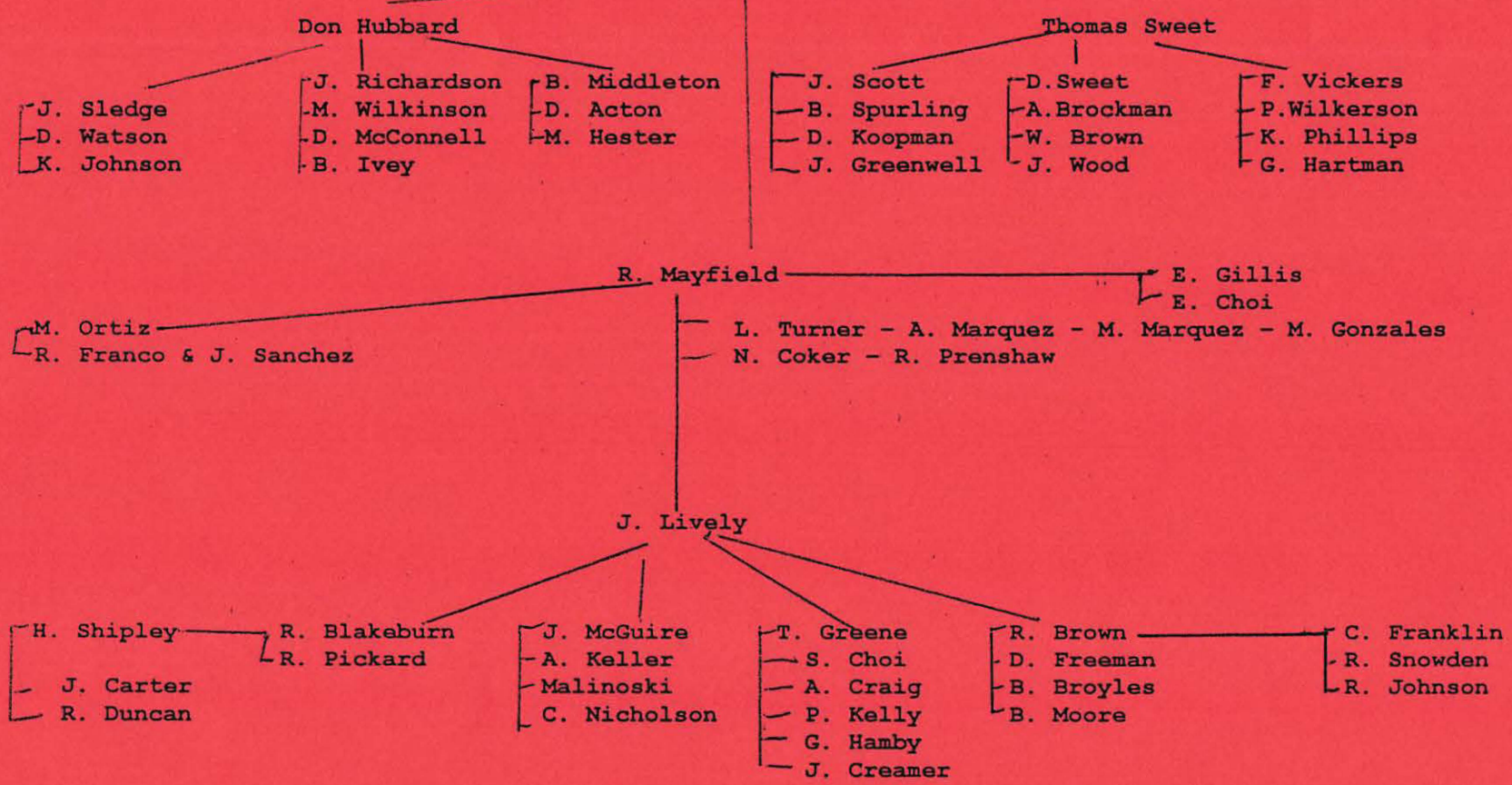
*CLOSING HYMN.....Red Book 210, Green Book 59
"Jesus Paid It All"

*THE BENEDICTION.....The Rev. David Koopman

POSTLUDE

*All rise who are able.

Presbytery of East Tennessee
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM
Ronald L. Longmire - Stated Clerk calls ...



Stated Clerk calls 7

Others call 4 - 3 - 2 - 1 - 0

Phone numbers are in Presbyterial Minutes

All are reminded: when a call is identified as a "Presbytery Party Line" call - call those for whom you are responsible immediately. If they fail to answer, skip them and make their calls, returning to your original call later.