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June 19-23, 2017
Tampa, FL

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PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE

April 1, 2017----------Shiloh C. P. Church

STANDING RULES

Presbytery of East Tennessee
Cumberland Presbyterian Church
(October, 2015)

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, a report from the Committee on Judicial Concerns regarding the examination of Session records 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 be a member of Presbytery or an active member of a church in the Presbytery of East Tennessee.

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 be a member of the Presbytery or an active member of a Church in the Presbytery of East Tennessee. 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. Heritage Committee
8. Personnel Committee
9. Camp Chilhowee Board of Directors
10. Camp John Speer Board of Directors
11. Commission on Discipline

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, COMMITTEES and COMMISSIONS

1. The Coordinating Committee:
   The Coordinating Committee shall consist of ten voting members which include the chairpersons of the Board of Finance, Board of Christian Education, Board of Missions, Committee on the Ministry, 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. Commission on Discipline:
   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.
3. The Moderator may appoint other special committees as may be required at each meeting of Presbytery.
4. Presbytery may elect other commissions as may be required at each meeting of Presbytery.

V- PRESBYTERIAL PERSONNEL
(All Presbyterial Personnel Positions are Part-time)

A. PRESBYTERIAL CLERK/COORDINATOR
The Presbyterial Clerk/Coordinator 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.

C. TREASURER

The Presbyterial Treasurer shall provide administrative support, bookkeeping and reports for all financial transactions of the Presbytery. Management of income, cash-flow, fund distribution, bank deposits, and budget planning shall be provided in consultation with the Presbytery's Board of Finance and the other Boards and Committees.

D. PLANNED GIVING COORDINATOR

The Presbyterial Planned Giving Coordinator through the cooperation of the Presbytery and the General Assembly Board of Stewardship, shall be available to communicate a deeper understanding of Christian stewardship and to educate members and churches concerning the opportunities for increased financial support through planned gifts of accumulated assets.

E. PRESBYTERIAL YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S DIRECTOR

The Presbyterial Youth and Children's Director, through the Board of Christian Education, shall coordinate Presbyterial youth and children's ministry by working with both camp boards, selecting camp and retreat directors, making sure camps and retreats are staffed, and notifying churches of Presbyterial and Denominational youth and children's events. The Director should also make sure that all adults at events have had a background check and that the Presbyterial Safe Sanctuary Policy is properly followed.

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, Walkertown, 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, and board/committee chair persons. The Presbyterial C.P.W.s 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.

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.

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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Ronald Longmire, Clerk, 2041 Eckles Dr., Maryville 37804	Maryville	865-984-1647
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Committee on Ministry		

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Term Expires (Term currently serving)	Name & Address	Church	Phone

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PROGRAM
PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE
OCTOBER 1, 2016
Pleasant Vale Church
Chuckey, TN

Registration----------8:30 a.m.
Call to Order, Elder Gwen Roddye----------9:00 a.m.
Roll Call and Declaration of Quorum
Constituting Prayer----------Dr. Larry Blakeburn
Adoption of Program
Opening Worship & Communion----------Rev. Chris Bains & Rev. Jim McGuire

Welcome and Announcements----------Rev. Chris Bains

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. **Commission to Ordain** **(White)**
4. **Commission to Install** **(White)**
5. **Synod Reports** **(White)**
6. **GA Comm. Reports** **(White)**
7. **Heritage** **(White)**
8. **Camp John Speer** **(White)**
9. **Camp Chilhowee** **(White)**
10. **Planned Giving** **(White)**
11. **Bd. Christian Education** **(Cream)**
12. **Co-ordinating Committee** **(Turq.)**
13. **Comm. On Ministry** **(Pink)**
14. **Missions** **(Goldenrod)**
15. **Nominations** **(Canary)**
16. **Treas. And Finance** **(Green)**
17. **Task Force**

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

18. **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, 2016

MINISTERS

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

LICENTIATES

Brockman, Anna	PP
Broyles, Byrd	PP
Craig, Aaron	PE
Peach, John	PP

CANDIDATES

Johnson, Kris	EE
Shelton, Duncan	PP

LAY PREACHER

Snowden, Richard	PP

PROVISIONAL MINISTERS

Bains, Chris	PP
Hadden, John	AA
McAmis, Kevin	AA
Smith, Sam	AA

ROLL CALL OF CHURCHES – October, 2016

Beaver Creek	Marty Cooke	PP
	Gwen Roddye	PP
Bethesda	Johnny Starnes	PP
Casa de fey		EE
Cedar Hill	Melvin Renner	PP
Clark's Grove	Pete Carter	PP
Corntassell		EE
Dover	Linda Marshall	PP
Fairview	Robert L. Balding	PP
Faith Fellowship	R. Andrew Davidson	PP
Gass Memorial	Ben F. Mays	PP
Greeneville	Michael French	PP
	Linda Hjertquist	PP
Heartland Worship Center	Kathy McReynolds	PP
Knoxville	Thomas Witmer	PP
Lebanon	Mary McCarter	PP
Loudon	Russ Newman	PP
Marietta	Bruce Fortune	PP
Maryville	Jean Rubin	PP
Mercy	Antonio Castillo	PP
Mohawk	Velta Rhea Riley	PP
Mt. Carmel	Donald Bird	PP
Mt. Pleasant	Roberta Gass	PP
New Bethel	Mary Blazer	PP
New Hope		EE
Oakland		AA
Oak Ridge	Ward Marsh	PP
Oliver Springs		AA
Philadelphia	Larry Dayton	PP
Pilot Knob	Lloyd Ward	PP
Pleasant Hill	Stacy Bolton	PP
Pleasant Vale	Tommy Sams	PP
Salem		AA
Shiloh	Jewell Laws	PP
Talbott	Lonnie Knight	PP
Union	Jim Greene	PP
Virtue	Herman Waddell	PP
Walkertown	Melissa Candelaria	PP
Willoughby	Charles Clowers	PP
Young's Chapel	Eric Goedeke	PP

MINUTES
PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE
OF THE
CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
OCTOBER 1, 2016

The Presbytery of East Tennessee of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church met in regular session with the Pleasant Vale Church, Chuckey, TN, on October 1, 2016. The Moderator, Elder Gwen Roddye called the Presbytery into session at 9:00 a.m. The roll call showed 27 Ministers; 5 Licentiate; 33 Elders; 1 Lay Minister, Planned Giving Coordinator; and 9 Visitors.

Declaration of Quorum and Constituting Prayer – A quorum was declared present and the Moderator called on Dr. Larry Blakeburn to pray the constituting prayer.

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

Nominations Committee Report – Report #1 of the Committee on Nominations was given by Rev. Abby Keller. The name of Rev. Casey Nicholson was placed in nomination for Moderator for a six month term. The Moderator called for other nominations, there being none, we proceeded to elect. Marked "A" and filed. At this point, Rev. Nicholson assumed the Chair and spoke words of greeting and appreciation.

Committee on Ministry Report – The report of the Committee on Ministry was presented by Rev. Fran Vickers. On motion, the report will be considered Seriatim. Recommendation # 2 Eun Sang (Sean) Choi was invited to the front. Moderator Nicholson explained the process of ordination. Opportunity was given for questions and comments from the floor. On motion, recommendation #2 of the Committee on Ministry was adopted.

Welcome and Announcements – Elder Tommy Sams welcomed the Presbytery of East Tennessee and necessary announcements were made.

Opening Worship – The Worship Service was led by Rev. James McGuire. Rev. Chris Bains delivered the message, his text was Jeremiah 6:16-17. Rev. James McGuire presided at the Lord's Table.

Ordination - Rev. Thomas Sweet called Sean Choi to the front. The constitutional questions were ask and proper answers given. All ministers and elders were invited to participate in the Laying on of Hands. Rev. Sweet led in prayer and made the pronouncement of Ordination. A charge was given by Rev. Sweet and Sean Coi's name was added to the roll of Ministers. The worship service was closed by singing "Amazing Grace" and prayer by Rev. McGuire.

Recess – Recess was declared at 10:15 a.m.

Recess Out - Recess was declared out at 10:40 a.m.

Announcement - Rev. Randall Mayfield announced that Elder Cleo Norman, Marietta Church, had died in an ATV accident. The Moderator led a prayer for Cleo Norman and family and Presbytery expressed condolences for the family.

Recognition of Visitors – The following visitors were recognized: Rev. Chuck Brown, Dr. J Earheart-Brown, Rev. Richard Brown, Rev. Cliff Hudson, and Rev. Phillip Layne. Elder Gwen Roddye introduced the Moderator of the General Assembly, Rev. Dwayne Tyus and his wife Gwen to the body. Rev. Tyus addressed the body. On motion, the C. P. Ministers were seated as Advisory Members.

Hearing of Denomination Representatives –

A. Dr. J. Earheart Brown – Memphis Theological Seminary
B. Rev. Richard Brown – CP Children's Home
C. Rev. Chuck Brown – Pastoral Development Ministry Team
D. Rev. Cliff Hudson - OUO

Request to be excused – The following ministers requested to be excused from this meeting of Presbytery: Jennifer Creamer, distance and cost; Bill Middleton, health; Lisa Peterson, other commitment; Jeff Wood, travel; Kenneth Johnson, travel; David McBeth, training; Johnny Shipley, work; Nick Coker, out of town; Leonard Turner, funeral out of town; Jeff Sledge, work; T. J. Malinoski, other commitment; Dale Watson, health; Jerry Scott, out of town; David Koopman; Martha Marquez; Patrick Wilkerson; Billy Fly, distance; Randall Mayfield at noon; Aaron Craig at noon; Josefina Sanchez at 3:00 p.m. Elder from New Hope, out of town; Elder from Corntassel; Elder from Pilot Knob; Elder from Casa de fey, distance. On motion, they were excused.

Communications - Letter of resignation from the Board of C. E. from Debra Scott, on motion, resignation accepted. Thank you note from Rev. Thomas Sweet and family. Rev. T. J. Malinoski concerning New Hopewell Presbytery of the CPCA and report on Pilgrim Church, Boston. Rev. Carlton Harper requesting retired status, on motion, request granted. Rev. Wayne Brooks's letter of transfer from Cumberland Presbytery, on motion, received.

Reports - On motion, reports 2-10 were concurred in (none contain recommendations, except to dissolve the Commissions to ordain and install). Ms. Robyn Murray spoke to the Heritage report and Rev. Tammy Greene spoke to the Camp John Speer report. Marked "B-J" and filed.

Board of Christian Education Report – On motion, the Board of Christian Education report was concurred in and its recommendation adopted, Marked "K" and filed.

Coordinating Committee Report – The report of the Coordinating Committee was presented by the Stated Clerk. On motion, the report was concurred in and its recommendation adopted by unanimous vote (This required a 2/3 vote). Marked "L" and filed.

Committee on Ministry Report – The Committee on Ministry report was presented (a continuation) by Rev. Fran Vickers. Anna Sweet Brockman was invited to the front for questions and comments from the floor. On motion, recommendation #1 was adopted.

Byrd Broyles was invited to the front, the floor was opened for discussion and questions. On motion, recommendation #3 was adopted.

John Peach was invited to the front, the floor was opened for questions and comments. Rev. Vickers ask the constitutional questions and proper answers given. On motion, recommendation #4 was adopted. Rev. Vickers led in prayer. His name was added to the roll of licentiates.

Lunch – At 12 noon recessed for lunch. Rev. Jamie Lively prayed the prayer for the blessing of the meal and for the newly licensed and ordained by the Presbytery. A bounteous lunch was provided by the Pleasant Vale Church.

Presbytery Resumes – The Presbytery was called back into session by the Moderator at 1:05 p.m.

Chris Caldwell was invited to the front and opportunity was given for questions or comments. A motion was made that Chris Caldwell's ordination be restored. On motion, this was tabled until the Committee on Judicial Concerns could meet with him during recess.

Recess – Recess was declared at 1:35 p.m.

Recess Out – Presbytery called into session at 2:26 p.m.

Elder Barbara Britton read a statement from the Committee on Judicial Concerns – "To the Presbytery of East Tennessee in Session with the Pleasant Vale Church, October 1, 2016. We affirm the work done by the Committee on the Ministry and defer to their judgement on the matter of restoring the ordination of Chris Caldwell." Submitted by: Judiciary Committee, Barbara Britton, Chair.

A motion was made to take the previous motion from the table. The motion passed and the Presbytery voted to restore the ordination of Chris Caldwell and his name added to the roll of ministers.

Elder Barbara Britton read a statement from the Committee on Judicial Concerns concerning Bruce Potter – "To the Presbytery of East Tennessee in Session with the Pleasant Vale Church, October 1, 2016. We affirm the work of The Committee on the Ministry in regards to Bruce Potter and recommend his ordination be restored." Submitted by: Judiciary Committee, Barbara Britton, Chair.

On motion, the Presbytery voted to restore the ordination of Bruce Potter and grant a Letter of Transfer to Tennessee-Georgia Presbytery.

Rev. Vickers presented Duncan Shelton to the body to become a candidate for Ministry, opportunity was given for questions and comments. The constitutional questions were ask and proper answers given. On motion, Duncan was received as a candidate. Rev. Vickers led in prayer for Duncan and others. His name was placed on the roll of candidates.

Elders trained to serve communion – Bethesda – Jeff Hayes and Roger Thornburg; Cedar Hill – Diane Gibson; Oakland – Jeff Aiken; Talbott – Terry Sanders and Richard Snowden; Walkertown – Melissa Candelaria and John Long. On motion, these trained elders were approved.

On motion, the report of the Committee on Ministry was concurred in and its recommendations adopted as a whole, as edited. Marked "M" and filed.

Board of Missions – The report of the Board of Missions was presented by Rev. Jamie Lively. On motion, editorial changes were made, concurred in and its recommendations adopted. Marked "N" and filed.

Nominations Committee – The report #2 and #3 of the Committee on Nominations was presented by Rev. Abby Keller. A motion was made to accept the resignation of Rev. Carlton Harper from the Committee on Ministry. The report was edited. The floor was opened for other nominations. On motion, the report was concurred in and the nominees were elected. Marked "O" and filed.

Treasurer and Board of Finance Reports – The report of the Treasurer and the Board of Finance, including the budget for 2017 were presented by the Stated Clerk. On motion, the report was amended to add $8,000.00 to the budget for Mercy Church for 2017. On motion, the report was concurred in as amended. Marked "P" and filed.

Task Force – The report of the task force was presented by Dr. Larry Blakeburn. On motion, the report was concurred in and its recommendation adopted. Marked "Q" and filed.

Personnel Committee Report #2 – Report #2 of the Personnel Committee was presented by Elder Gwen Roddye. On motion, the report was concurred in and its recommendation adopted. Marked "R" and filed.

Judicial Concerns – The report of the Committee on Judicial Concerns was presented by Barbara Britton. On motion, the report was concurred in. Marked "S" and filed.

Next Meeting – The invitation to meet with the Shiloh Church in the Spring, April 1, 2017, and with Camp John Speer in the Fall, October 7, 2017 was accepted.

Thank you – On motion, the Presbytery expressed its gratitude to the Pleasant Vale Church for hosting this meeting.

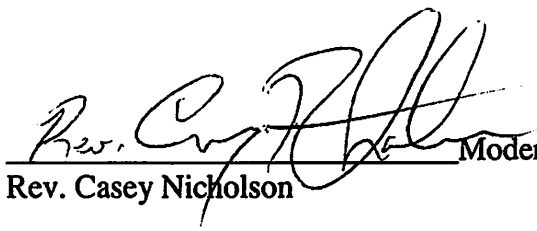
Announcement – It was announced that the Rev. Leonard Turner will celebrate 44 years this month as pastor of the Union Congregation.

Prayer – Prayer was requested for Rev. Dale Watson, Rev. Jeff Wood and Rev. Bill Middleton because of health issues.

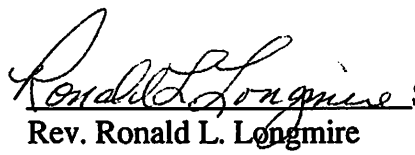
On motion, granted Sean Choi to serve outside the bounds of Presbytery.

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

Adjourn – On motion, this meeting was adjourned at 3:42 p.m. to meet with the Shiloh Church on April 1, 2017, at 9:00 a.m. The closing prayer was led by Rev. Chuck Brown.



Moderator
Rev. Casey Nicholson



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 Pleasant Vale congregation, October 1st, 2016.

Your committee nominates the Rev. Casey Nicholson 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 the Pleasant Vale congregation, October 1st, 2016.

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:

Committee on the Ministry: Nick Coker
Committee on Nomination: Don Hubbard
Camp Chilhowee Board of Directors: Jack Watson
Camp John Speer Board of Directors: Chris Franklin

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: Ron Pickard, Rebecca Prenshaw
Board of Finance: David Hale
Board of Missions: Dale Watson, Jeff Wood
Camp Chilhowee Board of Directors: Paul McCallie
Committee on the Ministry: Joe Malloy
CAM: Annette Watts

We also give thanks for Jean Barnes and her years of service on the Camp John Speer Board. We express our deepest sorrow about her death.

Respectfully submitted,

The Committee on Nominations

Committee on Nominations: Report 3

To: The Presbytery of East Tennessee in session with Pleasant Vale congregation on October 1st, 2017. We summit the following names:

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS
FALL 2016

Board of Christian Education:

19 (1) Larry Weems, 8995 Baileyton Rd., Afton 37616	Mt. Pleasant	423-963-8945
19 (1) Greg Tucker, 173 Confederacy CR, Knoxville 37932	Faith Fellowship	865-242-2086
19 (1) Linda Diggs, 315 Laurel Hollow Rd., Clinton 37716	Oak Ridge	865-457-5355
17 (1) Byrd Broyles, 509 Snapp Bridge Rd., Limestone, 37681	Philadelphia	423-257-4578

Board of Finance:

19 (2) Woody Hamm, 184 Barbara Dr., Talbott 37877	Lebanon	423-318-7114
19 (2) Gerald Brandon, 7937 Castlecomb Dr., Powell 37849	Beaver Creek	865-947-8821
19 (1) Debbie Gibson, 109 Disston Dr, Oak Ridge 37830	Oak Ridge	
18 (1) Mark Hester, 763 Finn Long Rd., Friendsville, 37737		865-995-1541

Board of Missions:

19 (2) Bill Harmon, 1735 Phillipi Rd. Mohawk 37810	Mohawk	423-235-5813
19 (1) Marty Cooke, 7900 Blueberry Rd, Powell, 37849	Beaver Creek	865-938-7225
19 (1) Casey Nicholson, 1020 Tusculum Blvd., Greeneville, 37745	Clark's Grove	423-276-0822

Personnel Committee:

19 (3) Gwen Roddye, 3728 Wittenham Dr., Knoxville 37921	Beaver Creek	865-938-2415

Committee on Judicial Concerns:

19 (2) Barbara Britton, 146 Richland Rd., Greeneville, 37745	Greeneville	423-638-3716
19 (2) Abby Keller, 162 Owen Ln., Greeneville, 37745	Greeneville	423-863-6565
19 (2) Jim Greene, 200 Way Station Tr., Knoxville 37934	Union	865-966-4355

Committee on the Ministry:

19 (3) James Carter, 6155 Hummingbird Ln, Whitesburg 37891	Mt. Pleasant	423-587-8423
19 (1) Larry Blakeburn, 790 Emory Valley Rd., Apt 714, Oak Ridge, 37830	Oak Ridge	865-483-8433
19 (1) Steve Graham, 11108bThornton Dr., Knoxville 38934	Virtue	865-206-0012

Committee on Nominations:

19 (2) Ernestine Haun, 4242 Stansberry Rd, Morristown 37813	Dover	423-586-5524
19 (3) Ken Phillips, 6419 Town Creek Rd., E., Lenoir City 37772	Heartland	865-986-7344
19 (1) Chris Franklin, 310 Yellow Springs Rd., Midway 37809	Willoughby/Mohawk	423-972-3609

Camp Chilhowee Board of Directors:

19 (2) Ann Shipley, 117 Smith Rd., Knoxville 37922	Virtue	865-966-5115
19 (1) Tom DeLozier, 9419 Telford Rd., Knoxville 37922	Knoxville	865-256-5403
19 (1) Steve Graham, 11108 Thronton Dr., Knoxville 37934	Virtue	865-206-0012

Camp John Speer Board of Directors:

19	(3) Rick Taylor, 175 Stone Dam Rd., Chuckey 37641	Fairview	423-639-1049
19	(2) Tammy Hayes, 155 Old Shiloh Rd., Greeneville 37743	Bethesda	423-639-8404
19	(1) Alyssa Broyles, 295 Davy Crockett Rd, Limestone 37681	Philadelphia	423-943-5768
17	(1) James Carter, 6155 Hummingbird Ln, Whitesburg 37891	Mt. Pleasant	423-587-8423

Heritage Committee:

19	(2) Mary McCarter, 804 West Jefferson St., Jefferson City 37760	Lebanon	865-475-6572
19	(2) Robyn Murray, 290 Holder Rd., Afton 37616	Fairview	423-639-4446
18	(2) Jean Richardson, 7533 Lancashire Blvd., Powell 37849		865-947-3111

CAM Board:

1. Vacant

Elder Delegates to Synod:

1.	Mary McCarter, 804 West Jefferson St., Jefferson City, TN 37760	Lebanon	865-475-6572
2.	Nancy Franklin, 310 Yellow Springs Rd., Midway 37809	Mohawk	423-972-3547
3.	Josh King, 1001 Whites Mill Rd., Maryville, TN 37803	Maryville	
4.	Judy Norman, 7727 Jenkins Dr., Knoxville, 37931	Marietta	865-806-5272

Alternate Elder Delegates to Synod:

1.	Roberta Gass, 104 Mayor Ave., Greeneville, 37745	Mt. Pleasant	

Clergy Delegates to Synod:

1.	Leonard Turner, 400 Everett Rd., Knoxville, 37934	Union	865-966-9040
2.	Randall Mayfield, 12470 Daisywood Dr., Knoxville 37932	Marietta	865-769-4756
3.	Nick Coker, 721 Lakeview Dr, Loudon, TN, 37774	Loudon	865-458-8791
4.	Howard Shipley, 3800 Dan Dr., Morristown, TN, 37814	Lebanon	423-581-1092

Alternate Clergy Delegates to Synod:

1.	Tammy Greene, 109 Armitage Dr., Greeneville, TN 37745	Shiloh	423-972-5525
2.	Don Hubbard, 2128 N. Campbell Station Rd., Knoxville, TN 37932		865-693-0264
3.	T.J. Malinoski, 9087 Fenmore Cove, Cordova, TN, 38016		423-972-1239

Elder Commissioners to GA:

1.	Steve Hay, 283 Creekwood Cove Ln, Apt 1A, Lenoir City, 37772	Heartland	865-789-0565
2.	Mary A. McCarter, 804 W. Jefferson St., Jefferson City, 37760	Lebanon	865-475-6572
3.	Tom Longmire, 630 Garfield St., Alcoa, TN 37701	Maryville	

Alternate Elder Commissioners to GA

1.	Mary Kay Buckner, 12209 Doncaster dr., Knoxville, TN37932	Marietta	865-803-2913
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Clergy Commissioners to GA:

1.	Nick Coker, 721 Lakeview Dr, Loudon, TN, 37774	865-458-8791
2.	Patrick Wilkerson, 7719 S. Whispering Oak Cr., Powell 37849	470-970-8654
3.	Thomas Sweet, 7225 Old Clinton Pike, Knoxville, TN, 37921	865-806-1900

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3. Jerry Scott, 2310 Sentell Dr., Maryville, TN, 37803 865-803-3669

Youth Advisory Delegates to GA:

1. Duncan Shelton, 686 Oakley Glen Ln., Lenoir City, TN 37773 Oak Ridge 865-635-1338
2. Shelby Stover, 7707 Gill Rd., Powell, TN 37846 Beaver Creek 865-552-1574

Alternate Youth Advisory Delegates To GA:

1. Kennedy Holloway, 145 Brian Circle, Afton, TN 37616 Shiloh 423-552-1574
2. David Rendon Wong, davidrendon001@gmail.com Casa De Fey

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Report of the Commission to Install the Reverend Greg Tucker To the Presbytery of East Tennessee Meeting with the Pleasant Vale Cumberland Presbyterian Church October 1, 2016

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In accordance with the actions of Presbytery on April 2nd, 2016, the Commission to Install the Reverend Greg Tucker as the Pastor of the Faith Fellowship Cumberland Presbyterian assembled at 7:00 p.m. Sunday evening, April 17, 2016 at the Faith Fellowship Cumberland Presbyterian Church for worship and installation of Reverend Tucker as pastor.

Your Commission consisted of Reverend Randall Mayfield (chair), Reverend Mike Wilkinson, Reverend Don Hubbard, Elder Randy Stevens, and Elder Andy Davidson.

Having discharged its duties decently and in order, the Commission to Install the Reverend Greg Tucker requests that it be dissolved.

Respectfully Submitted,
Reverend Randall Mayfield

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Report of
The Personnel Committee
To the Presbytery of East Tennessee
Meeting in Session at Pleasant Vale Cumberland Presbyterian Church
October 1, 2016

At the present, the position of Youth and Children's Director is again vacant, upon the resignation of Cindy Bales effective June 7, 2016. No search is currently being conducted, as the Board of Christian Education is re-evaluating the position at the request of the 2016 Camp Evaluation committee.

We wish to commend Stated Clerk Rev. Ronald Longmire, Presbytery Treasurer George Mays, and Planned Giving Coordinator Carolyn Harmon for their faithful service to the Presbytery of East Tennessee.

Respectfully submitted,
The Personnel Committee

REPORT OF THE COMMISSION TO ORDAIN WHITNEY BROWN TO THE PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE

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To the Presbytery of East Tennessee
Meeting with Pleasant Vale Church
Oct. 1, 2016

This letter is to inform you that the commission consisting of Rev. Abby Cole Keller, Elder Linda Diggs, Rev. Billy Fly, and Elder Becky Shanton met on Saturday, July 30, 2016 at Beaver Creek Cumberland Presbyterian Church and fulfilled the task of ordaining Whitney Brown. The worship service was a time of celebration and encouragement in the Lord with a reception following.

Having completed our task, we request to be dissolved.

Billy Fly

Billy Fly
Chair of commission

To the Presbytery of East Tennessee of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church :

Attention: Rev. Ron Longmire, Stated Clerk

I wish to express my thanks to the Presbytery of East Tennessee for sending me as a clergy delegate to the Synod meeting on May 5, 2016 at the Red Bank Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Chattanooga, TN. This was my first Synod meeting, and the experience was very meaningful to me. The outgoing moderator, Rev. Cliff Hudson gave a devotional, and Rev. Mike Wilkinson was elected moderator. Susan Parker gave a brief report concerning OUO, Our United Outreach. Presbyterial minutes were reviewed and approved. The financial records of the Synod were examined and approved, as was the 2017 budget of $2600. Our presbytery's apportionment to Synod for 2017 is $800. Forest Prosser led a discussion entitled "Let's talk about Synod," which was very informative to me regarding various viewpoints of the purpose and effectiveness of the Synod meetings in general. The next Synod meeting was scheduled at Red Bank Cumberland Presbyterian Church on May 4, 2017.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve in this way.

Respectfully,

Rev. Rebecca Prenshaw

To: The Presbytery of East Tennessee in session at Pleasant Vale Church Chuckey TN, October 1 2016

I would like to say Thank you. It was a pleasure to serve as a Commissioner to the Synod of the Southeast, which met at the Red Bank Church in Chattanooga in May 5 2016. As a delegate from the East Tennessee Presbytery I participated in all discussions and vote on motions. I participated on the examination of Grace presbytery minutes an everything was found in good order. East Tennessee presbytery minutes were found in good order.

Thank you for the opportunity.

Rev. Miguel Gonzalez

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August 16, 2016

TO: The Presbytery of East Tennessee
Rev. Ronald Longmire
2041 Eckles Drive
Maryville, Tennessee 37804

Just wanted to say thanks for the privilege of attending the 186th General Assembly in Nashville on June 20-24, 2016.

Rev. Dewayne Tyus was nominated by Elder Carol Warren of Nashville Presbytery for the office of moderator. Rev. Tyus was elected by unanimous vote. Rev. Nobuko Seki, Japan Presbytery, was elected Vice-Moderator.

The joint worship service let by young adults and youth of the CPCA and CPC was wonderful. I was truly blessed. They sang and delivered several inspiring messages.

I served on the Mission/Ministry Committee and attended all the meetings. It was encouraging to hear about the progress being made in the mission fields and the emphasis being placed on evangelism.

Thanks again for a wonderful experience.

Sincerely,

Ronnie Duncan

Ronnie Duncan

Report of my participation in the General Assembly

From: Rev. Josefina Sanchez, Clergy commissioner to the 186 General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church held in Nashville Tennessee, on June 19-24, 2016

To: Presbytery of East Tennessee.

I was asked by the denomination to serve Communion in the opening worship service of the GA, which was an honor.

Unfortunately, because my flight was delayed I couldn't attend to the orientation of ministers and elders. For some reason I didn't receive neither the GA minutes by email or mail, there was confusion also about what committee I needed to serve. I requested in my application to be part of the Missions/ministry or Theology and Social Concerns and for some reason in the distribution I was assigned to the Chaplains and Historical Foundation Committee. Fortunately, after a conversation with the secretary of the GA, I was allowed to change to the Theology and Social Concerns Committee (CTSC). These changes I think make my experience in the General Assembly very pleasant and meaningful.

To serve on the Theology and Social concerns committee was a great honor and experience. This committee was chaired by Rev. Tom Campbell and co-chaired by Rev. Cardelia Howell-Diamond. Being this my first time participating in a GA, I learned a lot.

The CTSC worked among other things on:

-The papers on "Homelessness as a Justice Issue -A theological response" and "confessional response to discrimination," "A Memorial from Covenant Presbytery regarding homosexuality," " A Resolution adopted by Japan presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian church" and "Resolution of Repentance, Apology, and Resolve." These documents will be available to presbyteries in the near future.

- There were two suggestions to add two dates to the church calendar: a Sunday for churches to be focused in prayer for the Unification and the national domestic violence awareness month.

- We heard in our work meetings from Rev. Mitchell Walker (CPCA) and Reverend Joy Warren (CPC) from the Unification Task Force about the revised plan for union. These conversations were very informative and made me about the complex issues and challenges involved in this matter.

- We also discussed our partnerships with denominations that have a liberal approach to Scripture especially in the issue of homosexuality.

As I said at the beginning, it was a very educational experience to have the privilege to participate and to consider the challenges that our church denomination faces in the world today.

As a cross-cultural person, this has been very insightful to participate in the GA and to realize that our denomination has a very political focus. The experience at the GA opened my curiosity about the Kingdom of God and human politics. The tension is always present and this led me to more in deep thinking about this theme.

We also had the opportunity to present, along my daughter Joana the *Building Promising Futures* ministry during the Women Convention on Tuesday afternoon. Even though we were given only 10 minutes, it was a blessing for us to see that people were interested in supporting this ministry initiative

of bringing a voice of peace, which is the essence of the Kingdom of God, to the violent context of the public schools in Central America.

I was encouraged in my ministry with the theme of the GA "Go outside where Jesus is" especially with the ideas that some speakers presented about how uncomfortable is sometimes to go where Jesus is.

I was able to attend to every worship service, and I really enjoy these times specially the youth and the new ministries worship services. These services were very moving services. I was impacted by new ministries from local churches and individuals: Still Waters, Urban Bicycle, Sacred Sparks, Burrito ministry, New day in Christ. It was refreshing to see that there are brothers and sisters with the perspective of just being a blessing in their contexts.

Finally, I had many opportunities to share with brothers and sisters from the CPCA and learn more about their experience of faith. I attended the women on ministry reception and I shared numerous times with the delegate from the churches in Popayan, Colombia.

I felt blessed as a cross cultural minister for having the opportunity to participate in the GA. I came back home with a confirmation of the voice of God, with hope that the Lord is moving among us and around us, breaking down ethnic, cultural, generational and religious walls. And with courage to continue serving our amazing God, in our loved denomination, even though, I have a very different experience of faith, culture, language and approach to life.

Businesses conclude Thursday afternoon with a worship service.

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

Grace and Hope,

Respectfully Submitted

Rev. Josefina Sanchez

Clergy Commissioner for General Assembly

August 2016

To the Presbytery of East Tennessee

Report of Elder Commissioner to the 186th General Assembly in Nashville, Tennessee,
June 20-24, 2016.
Elder Terry Murray
Fairview Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Thank you for the privilege and honor of representing the Presbytery of East Tennessee at the 186th General Assembly in Nashville, Tennessee. It was a busy and interesting week. It was a joint meeting between the CPC and CPCA assemblies. The opening ceremony, first worship service and the second worship (musical services performed by combined CPC and CPCA youth groups) were joint services.

The Wednesday evening worship of modern day parables was conducted by six community volunteer ministries. A special offering of $ 3,485.00 was collected and is to be equally distributed between the six ministries.

The closing ceremony was blessed with an OUO note burning celebration of the total elimination of denominational debt in April 2015. This will result in over $120,000.00 per year now going to ministry rather than OUO debt services.

I was assigned to the Missions & Ministry Committee.

This being my second General Assembly it is abundantly clear that my fellow elders, ministers and youth delegates are totally committed to God's work and the CPC.

Respectfully submitted,

Terry Murray
Elder, Fairview C.P. Church

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REPORT OF THE HERITAGE COMMITTEE

To the Presbytery of East Tennessee in session with Pleasant Vale Cumberland Presbyterian Church, October 1, 2016

2017 DENOMINATION DAY CELEBRATION

The 2017 Denomination Day Celebration will be at the Knoxville First Church on Sunday, January 29, 2017 at 3:30 p.m. The service being planned will be "Music of the Church" with a focus on the musical instruments that were played as part of our heritage. There have been several churches contacted about groups or individuals that are willing to participate. Lonnie Knight has agreed to lead the Presbyterial Choir again this year with practices being held in January. The Committee will contact churches when dates have been set.

The offering will go to the Historical Foundation of the CPC and CPCA.

A fellowship meal will follow the program for a nominal cost.

The Committee appreciates the support that you have given the Denomination Day Programs.

BUDGET

The Committee proposes the following budget for 2017:

Denomination Day Celebration and Special Projects	$ 1,000.00
Board Expenses	300.00
TOTAL	$ 1,300.00

Respectfully submitted,

Heritage Committee

Report of the
Camp John Speer Board

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to the Presbytery of East Tennessee meeting in session
at Pleasant Vale Cumberland Presbyterian Church
October 1, 2016

The Camp John Speer Board met on 8/11/16 in the lobby of the General Morgan Inn.

The Camp Board mourns the sudden death of Jean Barnes, Camp John Speer Board member since 2012. Our continued prayers and deep appreciation are given to the families of Jean Barnes, Jane Greene, Harold Dean Hartman, and Ray Needham, for choosing Camp John Speer as a memorial designation.

Danny Scott, Dennis Elwell and Tammy Greene represented the camp for the first time at the Parenting Fair in March. Plastic cups with the camp logo were given away with a camp brochure and camping registration form. A 2 hour water slip 'n slide party for the winner and 20 friends was given away in hopes of getting new people to CJS.

Thank you to all who helped with our Work Day on Sat. April 16th and to all the individuals and churches who continue to support the ministry of Camp John Speer by sending your kids to camps and retreats and giving of your time, talent, and money!

2nd Annual Fresh Fraser Fir Fundraiser for Camp John Speer

- Orders will be taken until Monday, October 17
- Pickup Date is the 1st Saturday in December (Dec. 3) from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. at Shiloh CPC
- Price List & Order Forms are available on the campjohnspeer.com website and are on other side of this report

Retreat & Camp Information

Presbyterial Spring Retreat at Camp John Speer was cancelled by the Christian Education committee.
Summer Camps: Junior Camp had 21 campers and Middle School Camp had 16 campers. The focus for both camps was the "Fruits of the Holy Spirit".

Completed Repairs and Improvements

- After 3 bids were received for re-plumbing Shelton Hall the board chose C & L Plumbing with a bid of $4,317.00. All supply lines were replaced and shut-offs provided inside the building. Also, four toilets were replaced with taller more efficient ones.
- Four wet weather ceiling fans have been purchased and the addition of electrical outlets and fans to the chapel should be completed by fall. Thank you to Stacy Bolton for installing the electrical to the chapel.
- Cedar Hill CPWM donated new tablecloths for Shelton Hall Dining Room.
- Mt. Pleasant CPC donated 18 new folding chairs.

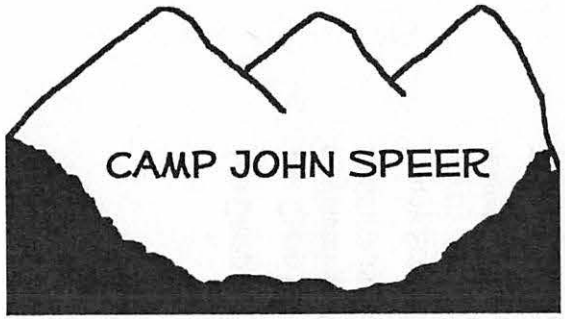
Needed Repairs, Equipment, Additions

- Camp John Speer signage at Asheville Hwy is in the process of being purchased – Julie Weems is in charge.
- A rental agreement to be used for all groups renting the camp is being drafted.
- Indoor clotheslines in Manos Hall bathrooms needed.
- New basketball backboards & goals are needed and concrete poured along the base line. New goals are being made to fit the existing metal poles. Also fencing around basketball court will need to be replaced soon.
- Shelton Hall Painting – 2 rooms & Dining room painted – 6 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, kitchen & 2 halls left.
- Manos Hall needs to be re-plumbed.
- Grading work and possibly additional dirt needed on playing field.

Reminder: Camp John Speer is available for rent by anyone, CP related or not, for weddings, family reunions, birthday parties, etc. The camp may be reserved by contacting Dennis Elwell at **423-636-1366** or emailing him at **dpelwell@gmail.com**. Available dates may be viewed at www.campjohnspeer.com.

Respectfully submitted,

Camp John Speer Board



Does the smell of a fresh Christmas tree or wreath warm your heart? Your selection of evergreens from Camp John Speer will help support the ministries the camp provides. Camp John Speer is offering fresh cut Fraser Fir trees and greenery from nearby Frosty Mountain Tree Farm in Madison County. Our trees will be cut just before delivery ensuring a fresh tree that will last throughout the holiday season. Ordering is easy! Simply complete this order form and return it with your payment. Your order will be ready for **pick up on Saturday, December 3rd from 9:00 - 11:00 am at Shiloh C.P. Church parking lot,** 1121 Shiloh Rd. Greeneville. **If you cannot pick up your order by 11 am,** you must notify us at (423) 972-5525 or we will sell it on Sunday.

All items must be paid for in advance.

Thank you for supporting Camp John Speer!

Price List and Order Form

Fresh Cut Fraser Fir Trees	Quantity
5-6' at $35.00 each	
6-7' at $40.00 each	
7-8' at $50.00 each	
*Larger trees available upon request	
Wreaths – Heavy, Fraser Fir **Ring Size (Actual size of wreath add 12")**	
10" at $18.00 each	
12" at $20.00 each	
14" at $25.00 each	
16" at $30.00 each	
20" at $45.00 each	
24" at $50.00 each	
*Larger wreaths available upon request	
Roping – Fraser Fir, Very Heavy	
10' Roll at $25.00 each	
25' Roll at $40.00 each	
Crosses at $30.00 each	
Arches at $25.00 each	
Straights at $18.00 each	

Personal Information

Name_____
Print Please

Home Phone_____

Cell Phone_____

Church Name_____

Payment Information

Amount Enclosed $_____

Cash ☐ Check ☐

Please make checks payable to Camp John Speer. Give form & payment to your Church's Camp Contact or Mail to:

Shiloh C.P. Church
1121 Shiloh Road
Greeneville, TN 37745

Remember to include order form with payment

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For Office Use Only

Date payment received_____

Check #_____ Amount_____

Cash Amount_____

Initial_____

DEADLINE for orders is Monday, October 17th.

Updated 8/11/16

Report of the Board of Directors of Camp Chilhowee
To the Presbytery of East Tennessee
October 2016

Camp Chilhowee had a successful camping season in 2016. There were Presbytery Youth camps for Junior, Junior High, and High School youth. A total of approximately 75 youth plus adult staff attended these 3 camps. The camp was also used by a number of other groups, including church groups, boy scouts, and families.

During the year a representative of the board attended a Camp Taskforce meeting and the Camp Follow-up Evaluation meeting. A number of suggestions from the evaluation meeting will be considered by the board and where possible will be implemented before the next camping season.

The board is constantly considering ways to improve Camp Chilhowee. To this end, some trees were removed from the area around the swimming pool and near the parking area. We are also planning to replace the roof on the mess-hall. We are continuing our renovation to convert Cabin 6 from a bunkhouse area into a "guest house". One other concern is a leak in the swimming pool. At the end of the current camping season, we will determine where the leak is and what repairs need to be made.

We do not have any recommendations to present to Presbytery but we would like to see more churches take an active role in sending their youth to camp, as it is our belief that church camp can play an important part of their development as Christians. We would also encourage more churches or church members to make donations to the camp.

Respectfully Submitted,

James Curtis
Chairman
Camp Chilhowee Board of Directors.

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Report of Planned Giving Coordinator -- Presbytery of East Tennessee

By: Carolyn Harmon

2016

Feb. 26	Spoke with Cliff Hudson, OUO Director for the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, regarding planned giving.
Mar. 3	Prepared and emailed semi-annual report to Board of Stewardship, Foundation and Benefits.
Mar. 4	Spoke with Richard Brown, of Cumberland Presbyterian Children's Home, regarding endowments and planned giving.
Mar. 12	Attended Nolachuckey Region CPWM at Pleasant Hill C P Church.
Mar. 14	Emailed semi-annual report to Stated Clerk and Personnel Committee of Presbytery of East Tennessee.
Mar. 18-19	Attended the Board of Stewardship, Foundation and Benefits meeting in Cordova, TN.
Apr. 2	Attended Presbytery of East Tennessee at Pleasant Hill C P Church.
May 4	Spoke with Cliff Hudson, OUO Director of CPC, regarding planned giving and OUO.
June 20-23	Attended General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church and the Cumberland Presbyterian Women's Ministry in Nashville, TN.
Sept. 10	Attended Nolachuckey Region CPWM at Shiloh C P Church.
Sept. 11	Prepared and emailed semi-annual report to the Board of Stewardship, Foundation and Benefits. Also emailed report to Personnel Committee of Presbytery of East Tennessee and the Stated Clerk 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

Report of
The Board of Christian Education
To the Presbytery of East Tennessee
Meeting in Session at Pleasant Vale Church
October 1, 2016

The Board of Christian Education met August 1, 2016, with a quorum present for the meeting.

The Board accepted Morgan Ingram's application for the scholarship to Bethel University. Morgan was awarded a $1,000.00 scholarship.

Camps were held at Camp John Speer, Junior Camp June 5-9, 2016 and Middle School Camp June 26-30, 2016.

Camps were held at Camp Chilhowee, Junior Camp June 5-9, 2016, Middle School Camp June 12-17, 2016, and High School Camp June 19-24, 2016.

The Presbytery Youth and Children's Director Cindy Bales turned in her resignation and the Board accepted the resignation.

A decision to disable the presbytery Youth web page was made in light of recent hacking of the site. The Board will look into the possibility of utilizing the presbytery web site (PETN) for a Youth page.

The report of the 2016 Camp Evaluation Committee was reviewed, and its recommendations discussed. In response to the committee's report, the Board took the following actions, effective immediately:

* Camp directors will be given a projected planning budget allowance from BCE in December, and camp directors will provide their camp budget to the BCE by January 31 each year.

* Social security numbers will be added as optional information on the background check form.

* Parental permission for medical treatment will be added to all camper forms.

The Camp Evaluation Committee asked for a clarification of the term "camp nurse" in the ***East Tennessee Presbytery Camping Ministry Safe Sanctuaries Policy,*** noting that this term implies a professional nurse will be on site, while in fact this role is filled by non-professionals (who ideally have first aid and CPR training.) Since one of the main responsibilities of this role is to dispense campers' medications as prescribed by their personal physicians and keep the medical log, the committee asked that the section referring to camp nurse be rewritten to better reflect the actual responsibilities and the person in that role. Because the ***Safe Sanctuary Policy*** has been approved by presbytery, we recommend the following:

Recommendation I: That the term "Camp Nurse" be replaced in the *East Tennessee Presbytery Camping Ministry Safe Sanctuary Policy* with the term "Administrator of Medication."

Additional recommendations from the report of the Camp Evaluation Committee will be considered at future meetings. The vacant Youth and Children's Director position will be discussed at the November BCE meeting.

Two BCE members are completing their terms on the board. We wish to thank Rev. Rebecca Presnshaw and retiring chairperson Rev. Ron Pickard for their faithful service.

Respectfully submitted,
The Board of Christian Education

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REPORT OF THE COORDINATING COMMITTEE

To: The Presbytery of East Tennessee, in session with the Pleasant Vale Cumberland Presbyterian Church on Saturday, October 1, 2016.

The Coordinating Committee met on September 1, 2016.

We reviewed reports from the following Boards and Committees:
1. Treasurer's Report including 2017 Proposed Budget and Church Allocations
2. Heritage
3. Personnel
4. Camp Chilhowee
5. Board of Christian Education
6. Nominations
7. Camp John Speer

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

Elected Rev. Randall Mayfield Chair of the Committee.

Recommendation: That the Nominating Committee nominate names for Clerk, Treasurer and Assistant Treasurer in a staggered pattern so the three positions will be elected one each year. (This will require that Standing Rule IV-B be set aside for this meeting.)

Respectfully submitted,
The Coordinating Committee

REPORT OF
THE COMMITTEE ON THE MINISTRY
to the Presbytery of East Tennessee meeting with Pleasant Vale Cumberland Presbyterian Church Chuckey, Tennessee October 1, 2016

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 the Beaver Creek church. She graduated from Memphis Theological Seminary in May 2016. She is sending her PIF to churches who are seeking ministers, and will interview with them when requested. This summer she preached at CPYC and Triennium. She is writing a new curriculum with Nathan Wheeler called "Spark." Her mentor is Gwen Roddye, and her COM contact is Jack Watson. Her e-mail address is annasweetbrockman@gmail.com. We approved Anna for ordination pending a call. The COM has received a call letter to Anna Sweet Brockman from the Winchester C. P. Church to the ministry of Associate Pastor and Anna has accepted this call and will begin work on November 1.

RECOMMENDTION 1. THAT ANNA SWEET BROCKMAN BE INTERVIEWD AND APPROVED FOR ORDINATION AT THIS MEETING OF PRESBYTERY, AND THAT A COMMISSION CONSISTING OF DR. THOMAS SWEET, REV. FRAN VICKERS, REV. PATRICK WILKERSON AND ELDER GWEN RODDYE BE ELECTED AND THAT ANNA BE ORDAINED AT THE BEAVER CREEK CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ON NOVEMBER 26, 2016 AT 2:00 P.M.

B. **Lon Byrd Broyles III:** A member of Philadelphia Church, Byrd was received as a candidate in October 2005 and was 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 has completed the PAS requirements for ordination, has received a call from the Philadelphia CP Church, and has entered into contract with them. His mentor is Rex Brown and his COM contact is Jim Carter.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 2: THAT BYRD BROYLES BE INTERVIEWED AND APPROVED AT THIS MEETING OF PRESBYTERY, AND THEN BE ORDAINED AT THE PHILADELPHIA CHURCH ON OCTOBER 30, 2016 BY A COMMISSION CONSISTING OF PASTORS JIM CARTER, REX BROWN, AND RONNIE DUNCAN, AND ELDERS GREG STAFFORD AND LARRY DAYTON.

C. **Eun Sang (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 " Walking With God CP Church" of Atlanta, where he has been appointed the leader of the Ministry in Praise and Worship Team. He preaches for Rev. Yu as needed, is involved with the youth program of the church, and gives guitar lessons for future praise team

leaders. He works at Costco. This Committee last interviewed him in February 2016. His COM contact is Jack Watson. His mentors have been Missy Rose and Yoong Kim.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 3: THAT EUN SANG CHOI BE INTERVIEWED, APPROVED, AND ORDAINED AT THIS MEETING OF PRESBYTERY.

D. Aaron Craig: A member of the 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 expects to graduate in the spring of 2017, and is currently serving (since February 2014) as English Minister of Acts Korean CP Church in Memphis. Thomas Sweet is Aaron's mentor; his COM contact is Joe Malloy.

CANDIDATES:

A. **JOHN PEACH:** This committee interviewed John Peach, an ordained Baptist minister who is seeking to affiliate with the Cumberland Presbyterian denomination. He is ministering at the Union church as a minister of visitation, Sunday School teacher, associate to the pastor in conducting the Sunday AM truck stop ministry, and leading a weekly prayer meeting. He has a Certificate of Completion from PAS dataed 6/8/2016, thereby meeting all stipulations given him by the Committee on the Ministry for ordination. His COM contact is Don Winn and his mentor is Rev. Leonard Turner. His last interview was 8/6/16.

RECOMMENDATION NO. 4: THAT JOHN PEACH BE INTERVIEWED AND APPROVED AS A LICENTIATE.

B. **CHRIS CALDWELL:** Chris is seeking to restore his ordination and was first interviewed on 5/15. He was questioned at presbytery on 10/15, proper answers were given, and his name was added to the list of candidates. Chris was an ordained Cumberland Presbyterian minister and a member of the presbytery until 2003 when he felt led to do ministry in a nondenominational church. At that time, Chris was deposed by presbytery. Since then, as summarized in the report, Chris has reestablished a relationship with Union CPC, is doing ministry there and has met with the Committee on Ministry in an effort to reconcile with the presbytery. Per the instructions in the Rules of Discipline portion of the CP Constitution, section 3.415, the Committee on Ministry makes the following recommendation:

RECOMMENDATION NO. 5: THAT CHRIS CALDWELL BE RESTORED TO THE OFFICE OF MINISTER OF WORD AND SACRAMENT OF THE CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Kris Johnson: She is a member of the Casa de Fe y Alabanza and is recommended for ministry by their session. She was interviewed by COM and attended presbytery in 10/15, at which time

she was questioned, gave proper answers, and was added to the list of candidates. Her COM contact is Tom Witmer and her mentor is Josefina Sanchez.

OTHERS INTERVIEWED:

- **A. Bruce Potter:** He was ordained in the CP church in 1983. He surrendered his ordination in 2001 because of personal reasons. He currently serves the Richard City church in South Pittsburg as a lay minister. He wishes to renew ordination in the CP church. In being dropped from the roll of ministers of the presbytery, Bruce falls under the category of a minister whose ordination has been suspended. Bruce has since felt led to once again purse ministry, and is seeking to have his ordination credentials restored. The Committee on Ministry has met with Bruce and supports his request. At the time of our meeting, the recommendation that is in the report was the way we presumed we had to handle this request via the Constitution.

  RECOMMENDATION NO. 6: THAT BRUCE POTTER BE RESTORED TO THE OFFICE OF MINISTER OF WORD AND SACRAMENT OF THE CUMBEERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AND A LETTER OF TRANSFER TO TENNESSEE/GEORGIA PRESBYTERY BE GRANTED.

- **B. Christopher "Duncan" Shelton:** Duncan is a rising senior (home-schooled) 17-year old member of the Oak Ridge Church. He is very active in the Oak Ridge church, and likes church camps a lot. He began to feel the call at about age 15, being much influenced by camp workers like Whitney Brown. In preparation for youth ministry he is considering Maryville College or Bethel University. He was accompanied by and highly recommended by Rev. Larry Blakeburn. Duncan requests candidacy in the Presbytery of East Tennessee.

  RECOMMENDATION NO. 7: THAT DUNCAN SHELTON BE RECEIVED AS A CANDIDATE.

  His mentor and committee contact will be Rev. Larry Blakeburn.

<u>BUSINESS OF THE MEETING OF AUGUST 6, 2016</u>

EZRA CHOI AND ERNEST GILLIS: Efforts to contact these two individuals have failed. On motion, Rev. Harper will consult with Mike Sharp and then send a registered letter to both, advising them that unless they contact the Committee on the Ministry they will be dropped from the roll of ministers of the Presbytery of East Tennessee.

Discussed how this committee should function in the support of ordained ministers and spouses. No action was taken.

The clerk of the presbytery will make Certificates of Ordination available for presentation to ordained ministers. Also, this committee will seek to obtain home communion sets for presentation to ordained ministers.

Presbytery of East Tennessee
2017 BUDGET

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
MEETING EXPENSE and POSTAGE	375.00
Total -- Committee on Nominations	**375.00**

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
BUDGET ALLOCATION	250.00
Total -- Personnel Committee	**250.00**

CHURCH CAMP COMMITTEES

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
CAMP CHILHOWEE Budget Allocation	8,000.00
CAMP JOHN SPEER Budget Allocation	8,000.00
Total -- Church Camp Committees	**16,000.00**

OFFICE OF STATED CLERK COORDINATOR

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
SALARY	16,815.00
RETIREMENT	875.00
TRAVEL	2,200.00
OFFICE EXPENSE	700.00
POSTAGE	1,500.00
TELEPHONE/COMMUNICATIONS	700.00
EQUIPMENT SERVICE CONTRACT	2,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS	500.00
Total -- Office of Stated Clerk/Coordinator	**25,290.00**

OFFICE OF TREASURER

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
TREASURER's BOOKKEEPING	9,180.00
TREASURER's OFFICE ALLOWANCE	365.00
OFFICE SUPPLIES and POSTAGE	800.00
TREASURER's TRAVEL	400.00
Total -- Office of Treasurer	**10,745.00**

PLANNED GIVING COORDINATOR

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
SALARY	1,040.00
Denominational Board of Stewardship Salary Supplement	[1,000.00]
PRESENTATIONS -- $200.00 per presentation	1,000.00
SOCIAL SECURITY TAX - Coordinator's Salary	175.00
OFFICE EXPENSE	250.00
Total -- Planned Giving Coordinator	**2,465.00**

PRESBYTERY YOUTH and CHILDREN's DIRECTOR

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
SALARY -- Presbytery Youth and Children's Director	7,400.00
RETIREMENT -- Presbytery Youth and Children's Directror	600.00
EXPENSES -- Presbytery Youth and Children's Director	1,500.00
Total -- Youth and Children's Director	**9,500.00**

Presbytery of East Tennessee
2017 BUDGET

PRESBYTERY of EAST TENNESSEE

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
CHURCH FACILITY USE -- Talbott CPC	400.00
FIDELITY BOND	1,100.00
LIABILITY INSURANCE	5,000.00
BETHEL UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS	1,000.00
Presbytery's WEB SITE DEVELOPMENT and MAINTENANCE	1,722.00
MEMORIALS	300.00
MISCELLANEOUS	1,000.00
Total -- Presbytery Expenses	**10,522.00**

SYNOD OF SOUTHEAST

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
APPORTIONMENT	803.00
SYNOD COMMISSIONERS EXPENSES	400.00
Total -- Synod of Southeast	**1,203.00**

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
GENERAL ASSEMBLY COMMISSIONERS EXPENSE	8,000.00
GENERAL ASSEMBLY YOUTH ADVISORY DELEGATES STIPEND	2,000.00
Current GENERAL ASSEMBLY MODERATOR'S ET Presbytery TRAVEL	500.00
Total -- General Assembly	**10,500.00**

COOPERATIVE PROGRAMS

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
COALITION FOR APPALACHIAN MINISTRY (CAM)	5,000.00
CAM DELEGATES EXPENSE	500.00
PRESBYTERIAN COMMISSION for CHAPLAINS and MILITARY	1,000.00
Total -- Cooperative Programs	**6,500.00**

BUDGET TOTAL

Line Item	2017 BUDGET
TOTAL ALL LINE ITEMS In Original Budget	**180,000.00**
Amount Paid from Reserve Accounts (1)	**(10,000.00)**
Amendment to Budget Approved At Presbytery 10-01-2016	**8,000.00**
AMOUNT ALLOCATED TO CHURCHES	**178,000.00**

(1) $10,000 of the 2017 budget will be paid from General Fund Reserves

PRESBYTERY OF EAST TENNESSEE

2017 BUDGET ALLOCATION TO CHURCHES

Revised 10-01-2016 by an Amendment to the Motion To Adopt The Budget Approved By Delegates at the Meeting of Presbytery.

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 2014	TOTAL INCOME RECEIVED DURING 2014	ANNUAL ALLOCATION for 2017	MONTHLY PAYMENT for 2017
Beaver Creek	500	511,810.00	**27,201.78**	2,266.82
Bethesda	46	59,368.00	**2,759.08**	229.92
Casa de Fey ALABANZA	40	54,402.00	**2,457.21**	204.77
Cedar Hill	56	96,826.00	**3,871.67**	322.64
Clark's Grove	42	50,005.00	**2,431.42**	202.62
Corntassel	16	28,987.00	**1,133.81**	94.48
Dover	35	51,816.00	**2,238.08**	186.51
Fairview	48	107,677	**3,834.11**	319.51
Faith Fellowship	60	232,984	**6,847.58**	570.63
Gass Memorial	3	9,423	**295.88**	24.66
Greeneville	401	502,829	**23,744.82**	1,978.73
Heartland Worship Center	69	133,127	**5,059.17**	421.60
Knoxville First	109	241,631	**8,646.36**	720.53
Lebanon	16	36,224	**1,284.96**	107.08
Loudon	124	202,743	**8,329.50**	694.13
Marietta	70	202,411	**6,539.27**	544.94
Maryville First	85	112,600	**5,158.83**	429.90
Misericordia	16	8,874	**713.73**	59.48
Mohawk	22	15,549	**1,051.29**	87.61
Mount Carmel	58	48,510	**2,928.58**	244.05
Mount Pleasant	26	28,191	**1,447.43**	120.62
New Bethel	13	15,242	**747.66**	62.30
New Hope	36	35,975	**1,940.25**	161.69
Oak Ridge First	124	181,705	**7,890.10**	657.51
Oakland	15	80,918	**2,185.42**	182.12
Oliver Springs (1)	7	9,851	**436.92**	36.41
Philadelphia	25	14,450	**1,127.41**	93.95
Pilot Knob (1)	9	14,275	**595.37**	49.61
Pleasant Hill	22	31,048	**1,375.00**	114.58
Pleasant Vale (1)	11	36,748	**1,130.79**	94.23
Salem	31	29,947	**1,649.22**	137.44
Shiloh	107	127,263	**6,191.61**	515.97
Talbott	54	124,735	**4,388.53**	365.71
Union	221	436,005	**16,404.78**	1,367.07
Virtue	53	153,334	**4,952.83**	412.74
Walkertown Presbyterian (1)	21	38,171	**1,490.75**	124.23
Willoughby	11	16,068	**698.86**	55.49
Young's Chapel	93	179,482	**6,819.92**	534.60
Totals	**2695**	**4,261,204**	**178,000.00**	14,796.86

(1) – The 2014 Annual Congregational Report for these churches had not been received when this document was prepared (10-01-2016). Their allocation is based on the latest figures on file with the Presbytery.

Approx. every 13 yrs
26 – Last time Shiloh hosted

Fall 2003 – Shiloh
Sp 2004 – Talbott
F 2004 – Union

The Amendment to the Motion To Adopt The Budget increased the Budget Total To Be Allocated to the Churches by $8,000.

Report Number Two of
The Personnel Committee
To the Presbytery of East Tennessee
Meeting in Session at Pleasant Vale Cumberland Presbyterian Church
October 1, 2016

In light of the vacant Youth and Children's Director position, and in order for the planning of 2017 spring retreats and summer camps to be accomplished, we have developed recommendations with input from the Board of Christian Education, both camp boards, and the Task Force assigned to review the presbytery camping program. These recommendations are intended to ensure those duties that fall within the Youth and Children's Director job description are accomplished in the interim until the position is filled.

Recommendation I: That the Board of Christian Education identify spring retreat and summer camp directors as soon as possible, so that planning for the retreat and camp dates can be done with input from the camp directors. All 2017 retreat and camp directors would need to be identified by December 31, 2016.

Recommendation II: That spring retreat and camp directors for the year 2017 (only) be assigned additional duties of promotion, budget-planning and reporting, staff recruitment, Safe Sanctuary training and compliance, record keeping, and other duties normally assigned to the Youth and Children's Director, with an honorarium paid in recognition of the additional duties. Retreat directors would receive an honorarium of $300; camp directors would receive $500. Directors would report to the Board of Christian Education.

The honorariums could be paid from the money budgeted for Youth and Children's Director's salary. An honorarium of up to $500 per person would not require a report to the IRS.

Respectfully submitted,
The Personnel Committee

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL CONCERNS

To the Presbytery of East Tennessee in Session at Pleasant Vale Church, October 1, 2016.

All session records were read and found to be in order. The committee expresses a thank you to each Session clerk for placing tabs making it easier to find items. We thank you in advance for continuing to do so.

Records were not found for New Hope, Oakland, Oliver Springs, Pilot Knob, Pleasant Vale, Salem and Young's Chapel.

Corntassel's record was read from the Spring meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Britton

Judicial Committee

The Presbytery of East Tennessee

Meeting with the Pleasant Vale Congregation

Saturday, October 1, 2016

ORDER OF WORSHIP

OPENING PRAYER — Elder Howard Collins

* OPENING HYMN — *Page 284*

"Tis So Sweet to Trust In Jesus"

* PLEDGES — *In Unison*

American Flag

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America,
and to the Republic for which it stands,
one Nation under God, indivisible,
with liberty and justice for all.

Christian Flag

I pledge allegiance to the Christian flag
and to the Saviour for whose kingdom it stands;
one brotherhood, uniting all mankind in service and in love.

Bible

I pledge allegiance to the Bible, God's Holy Word,
I will make it a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path
and will hide its words in my heart
that I might not sin against God. Amen.

* THE LORD'S PRAYER — *In Unison*

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.
Amen.

MESSAGE — Pastor Chris Baines

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

* CLOSING HYMN — *Page 161*

"Amazing Grace"

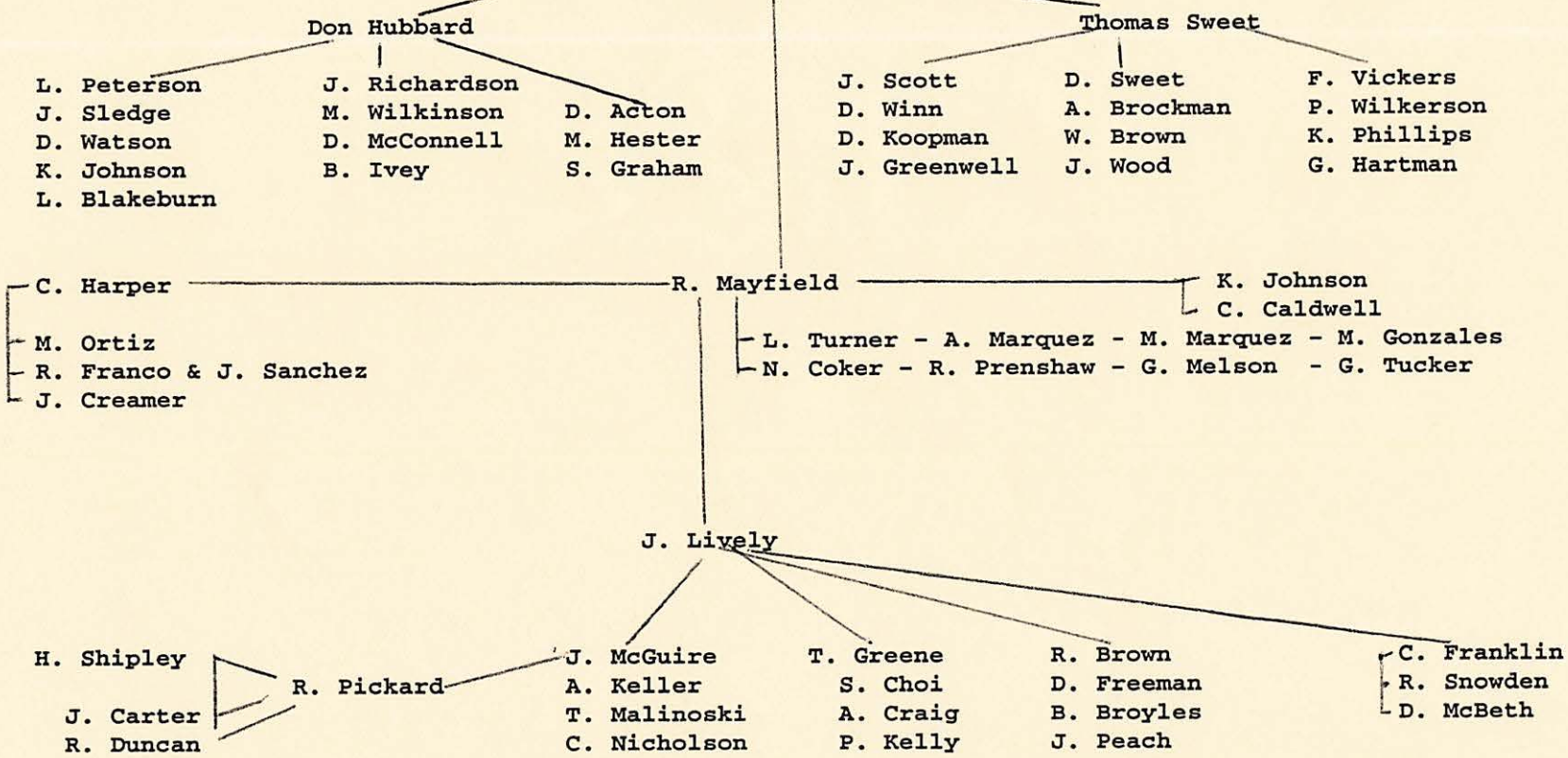
The congregation speaks bold type

*The asterisk * indicates all who are able may stand.*

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.