# **Reports for the Stated Meeting**

# of the Presbytery of Geneva Saturday, November 17, 2012

# held at the First Presbyterian Church of Watkins Glen

520 North Decatur Street, Watkins Glen, NY 14891 (607) 535-2377

The Rev. Beverly Karr-Lyon, Host Pastor

## The Presbytery in Worship

The Rev. Cynthia O'Leary and the Rev. Beverly Karr-Lyon will lead our worship service.

## 1.00 Update on Camp Whitman on Seneca Lake

Ruling Elder Idelle Dillon, Camp Director, will share information about the 2012 camping season with the presbytery and describe changes to the program for the 2013 season.

## 2.00 The Report of the Stated Clerk

- \*2.01 The Clerk moves that the minutes of the September25, 2012 Stated Meeting be received. (The minutes are posted online with the September meeting materials.)
- \*2.02 The Clerk moves that the presbytery approve the sale of the First Presbyterian Church of Ontario Center Manse located at 2113 Evergreen Circle, Ontario, NY, in concurrence with a congregational meeting to approve this sale held on October 28, 2012. Monies from the sale of the manse will be held and used in concurrence with current presbytery policies regarding the use of such funds.
- \*2.03 The Clerk moves that the presbytery grant the General Council and the Committee on Ministry authority to act on timely and necessary business of the presbytery for the period following this meeting until the next stated meeting of the presbytery and to report all such actions to the presbytery at the next stated meeting.
- 2.04 The Clerk reports that all communications have been forwarded to the appropriate committees.

# 3.00 The Report of the Executive Presbyter

- **3.01** The Executive Presbyter, the Rev. Dr. Joelle S. Davis, will share greetings with the presbytery and celebrate the ordination and church anniversaries in the presbytery.
- **3.02** The Executive Presbyter welcomes the Rev. Sam Edwards, H.R., to share reflections on the ministry of several of our colleagues.

## 4.00 The Report of the Committee on Ministry

\*4.01 The committee moves that the presbytery approve the contract between the Session of the Presbyterian Church of Shortsville and the Rev. Thomas Montgomery to serve as the ½ time Stated Supply Pastor for the period of 1/1/2013 – 12/31/2013. The terms of the agreement include cash salary of \$5,000, housing allowance of \$10,267, full pension and medical benefits, a retirement savings plan contribution of \$7500, all mileage reimbursed at the current IRS rate,

- book allowance of \$50, vacation of one month per year (4 Sundays), and study leave of \$500 and two weeks per year (2 Sundays).
- \*4.02 The committee moves that the presbytery adopt the Minimum Pastoral Compensation Guidelines for Teaching Elders and Certified Christian Educators for 2013 as found in Addendum A (p.4).
- **4.03** The Committee on Ministry **moves** that the Presbytery recognize the post-retirement service of the *Rev. Robert Rochelle* with thanks and invites the presbytery to join us in a service to recognize this ministry as found in **Addendum B (p.5)**.
- **4.04** The Committee on Ministry **moves** that the Presbytery recognize the post-retirement service of the *Rev. Dean Bembower*, who has served the Andover congregation for 22 years, and invites the presbytery to join us in a service to recognize this ministry as found in **Addendum B (p.5)**.
- **4.05** The Committee on Ministry **moves** that the Presbytery:
  - a. concur in the dissolution of the pastoral relationship between the *Rev. David Kilgore* and the United Church of Hornell effective December 1, 2012, so that he may retire, and
  - b. designate the Rev. David Kilgore as an honorably retired minister effective December 1, 2012, and,
  - c. invites the Presbytery to join us in a service to recognize Rev. Kilgore's retirement as found in **Addendum B (p.5)**.
- **4.06** The Committee on Ministry moves that the Presbytery:
  - a. concur with the request of the Rev. John Gould to retire, and
  - b. designate the Rev. John Gould as an honorably retired minister effective January 1, 2013, and,
  - c. invites the Presbytery to join us in a service to recognize Rev. Gould's retirement as found in **Addendum B (p. 5)**.
- **4.07** The Committee on Ministry moves that the Presbytery:
  - a. concur in the dissolution of the pastoral relationship between the *Rev. W. James Gerling* and the Presbyterian Church of Geneva effective January 1, 2013, so that he may retire, and b. designate the Rev. W. James Gerling as an honorably retired minister effective January 1, 2013,
  - c. invites the Presbytery to join us in a service to recognize Rev. Gerling's retirement as found in **Addendum B (p. 5)**.
- **4.08** The Committee **moves** that the Rev. Joanne Bartel (H.R.) be transferred from the Presbytery of Utica to the Presbytery of Geneva and invites the presbytery to welcome her into ministry.
- **4.09** The committee **reports** the following items for information:
  - 4.09.1 The following people have been added to the pulpit supply list: Rev. Kirk Baker, Ruling Elder Carleen Frost (Williamson), Rev. Joanne Bartel, Ruling Elder Cathy Foerster (Ithaca).
  - 4.09.2 The CIF for the Ontario Center congregation has been approved.
  - 4.09.3 The triennial visit for the Horseheads congregation has been completed.
  - 4.09.4 The committee is strongly recommending that all manses be tested for lead immediately.

# **5.00 The Report of the Committee on Preparation for Ministry**

**5.01** The committee **moves to recommend** to the Presbytery that Susan Frost (Lodi) be enrolled as an Inquirer.

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## 6.00 Introduction to the New Translation of the Heidelberg Catechism

The Rev. Jim Yao will share information with the presbytery about the new translation of the Heidelberg Catechism on which we will be voting at the next stated meeting of the presbytery.

#### 7.00 Information on Triennium 2013

We invite the presbytery to begin planning for the 2013 Youth Triennium to be held July 16-20, 2013 at Purdue University.

# 8.00 Report of the General Council

- 8.01 Report of the Committee on Budget and Finance
  - 8.01.1 The committee moves the adoption of the 2013 budget as presented in Addendum C (p. 7).
- 8.02 Report of the Committee on Nominations
  - 8.02.1 The committee **moves** the names of individuals to serve on the various committees of the presbytery as found in **Addendum D (p. 12)**.
  - 8.02.2 The General Council **moves** the names of individuals to serve on the Committee on Nominations as found in **Addendum E (p. 13)**.
- **8.03** Report of the Synod Commissioners
  - 8.03.1 The presbytery will hear a report on the October Synod Assembly from those commissioners who are present.
- **8.04** The Council **reports** that the presbytery stated meetings for 2013 will be held on **Saturday, March** *9, 2013* and **Tuesday, September 17, 2013**.

Addendum A Presbytery of Geneva November 17, 2012

·	Full Time	3/4 Time	½ Time	½ Time	<u>3/8 Time</u>
0.101	<b>#24.020</b>	<b>\$05.074</b>	<b>\$47.440</b>	<b>#0.550</b>	M40.007
Cash Salary	\$34,232	\$25,674	\$17,116	\$8,558	\$12,837
Housing	\$11,981	\$8,986	\$5,991	\$2,995	\$4,493
Allowance (35%)					
Effective Cash	\$46,213*	\$34,660*	\$23,107*	\$11,553*	\$17,330*
Salary					
Pension/Medical	\$15,250	\$12,651	\$11,265	\$10,111	\$10,571
Benefits (33%)					
Travel Allowance	All church related				
(vouchered @	travel reimbursed				
IRS rate per mile)	at current IRS				
, ,	Rate	Rate	Rate	Rate	Rate
Study Leave	\$1000	\$750	\$500	\$250	\$375
Study Leave Time	Х	Х	Х	Х	Χ
(2 wks including 2					
Sundays)					
Vacation (one	Х	Х	Х	Χ	Х
month including 4					
Sundays)					
Salary and	\$62,463	\$48,061	\$34,872	\$21,914	\$28,276
Benefits Package	plus all church				
	related travel				

<sup>\*</sup>Please note that The Board of Pensions dues have increased for 2013 as has the minimum salary guidelines for participation in the medical portion of the benefits.

# Work Modules

( A module is a morning, afternoon, evening - A module is 3 to 4 hours)

Full Time	3/4 Time	½ Time	1/4 Time
13 modules / week	9 - ¾ modules / week	6 - ½ modules / week	3 - 1/4 modules / week

3 modules = Sermon Study and Preparation and Worship Service Preparation

1 module = Sunday morning

4 modules = Crisis Calling (Hospital/Home), Home Calling

3 modules = Session and Committee Meetings and Church Activities

1 module = Administration/Correspondence/Bulletin

1 module = Presbytery and Ecumenical Work

2012 IRS

mileage rate = \$.555 per mile

# Recognition and Thanksgiving for Faithful Service

**Moderator**: Bob and Dean were called by God through the voice of the church to give particular service as teaching elders.

All: We remember with joy our common calling to serve Christ. We celebrate God's call to all who minister among us.

Remarks and Response

Presentation of Certificate

**Moderator**: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

**Moderator**: Eternal God, look mercifully upon your servants Bob and Dean, whose particular service we recognize today. We praise you for joys and accomplishments and for your grace which has nurtured and sustained them. Bless Bob and Dean in this next phase of life and grant them good health and joy-filled days. Bind us ever closer to one another and draw us nearer to our Lord Jesus Christ, that we may continue to minister with patience and love, with wisdom and joy, until we come at last with all the saints to the place you have prepared; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen.

# Recognition Of Honorable Retirement

CALL TO WORSHIP

There are different gifts,

but it is the same Spirit who gives them.

There are different ways of serving God,

but it is the same Lord who is served.

God works through different people in different ways,

but it is the same God whose purpose is achieved through them all.

#### **PRAYER**

By your will, O God, we go out into the world with good news of your undying love and minister among your children to show the wonders of your grace. We pray for all who minister for you. Replenish them with the truth of your doctrine, endue them with holiness of life and strengthen them with the knowledge of our care and fellowship. May they be brave, glad, and hopeful in your presence; through Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

#### **DECLARATION**

In the name of Jesus Christ, the great Head of the Church, we recognize the honorable retirement of the Rev. David Kilgore, the Rev. John Gould, and the Rev. James Gerling, in accordance with the Constitution of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), and the action of this Presbytery.

Remembering that God alone is the judge of the stewardship of everyone's gifts and life, we, the members of the Presbytery of Geneva, express our appreciation for your faithful service and acknowledge the privilege we enjoyed in serving with you.

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Beloved in Christ, inasmuch as God's goodness has brought you to years of Christian maturity in the gospel ministry, the Presbytery of Geneva, in granting your request of retirement, desires to make public acknowledgement of your service to the Kingdom of God.

#### REMARKS AND RESPONSE

LITANY OF RECOGNITION (The Presbytery shall stand and join in the responses).

O God, Creator of all things visible and invisible, and Lord of history, you have called us by the voice of the Church to serve Jesus Christ and have revealed to us this work for which we have been chosen.

#### Thanks be to God.

Holy Spirit, you have given us the scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be a unique and authoritative witness to Jesus Christ, and we have accepted them to be God's Word for us.

#### Thanks be to God.

Master and Teacher, you have enlisted us in your service and instructed us by the Church and his confessions so that we might lead others, be a friend, love neighbors and work for reconciliation in the world.

#### Thanks be to God.

Lord of the Church, your servants, David, John, and Jim, stand today among us after serving long and well in your Church. Their life and ministry have revealed the risen Christ to many, provided many personal satisfactions, warmed individual hearts in close relationship, and brought self-worth and dignity through love shared.

#### Thanks be to God.

God, in whom we live and have our being, continue to give to your servants and their loved ones a full measure of your grace. In Jesus' name we pray.

Amen.

#### PRESENTATION OF CERTIFICATE OF RETIREMENT

#### PRA YER

Eternal God and Lord of us all, through the ages men and women have been called to witness to your love and to give evidence of your kindness to your people. We honor David, John, and Jim, your servants, today. Your Church has been enriched by their wisdom, their energy, their sensitivity, their love of your Word, and their obedience to your Spirit. Your power has been visible in their strengths and virtue. Their lives have unveiled your splendor for your people to see you at work in the lives of your servants. For your manifestation in the life and ministry of David, John, and Jim, we give you thanks, O Lord.

We are grateful that the years ahead for them will be filled with a new measure of your peace. Help each one to be a happy steward of his leisure. Bless each one with good health. Teach him new uses of his time. Continue to use him for the constructive purposes of your Kingdom. Surround him with the continued comradeship of his friends and colleagues. As he has served you with joy and faithfulness, may he continue to know the happiness of your presence; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

# **Giving and Other Receipts (Income)**

	2013 Budget	2012 Budget	2011 Actual	2010 Actual
Presbytery Receipts				
Presbytery Per Capita	\$220,312.80	\$213,712.64	\$221,376.56	\$233,254.00
Synod Per Capita	\$25,802.40	\$26,038.40	\$26,899.50	\$27,207.95
GA Per Capita	\$44,988.80	\$43,704.96	\$44,265.00	\$43,462.05
Account Interest	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,093.95	\$837.38
Investment Gains	\$4,000.00		\$4,238.94	
Sale of Books	\$700.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,655.40	\$380.90
Presbytery Mission	\$270,683.79	\$257,461.64	\$218,255.95	\$225,226.46
Misc. Mission Income	\$20,000.00	\$1,500.00	\$19,123.82	\$1,657.78
Synod Mission	\$2,650.00	\$3,156.00	\$8,710.30	\$9,660.01
Synod and GA Grants	\$10,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$11,500.00	\$4,500.00
<b>Total Presbytery Receipts</b>	\$600,137.79	\$567,573.64	\$557,119.42	\$546,186.53
Camp Whitman Receipts				
Camper fees	\$103,150.00	\$115,000.00	\$100,964.50	\$109,223.00
Rental of facilities + bbq + holiday wks.	\$9,000.00	\$9,500.00	\$8,160.00	\$11,746.14
Government Milk Reimbursement	\$800.00	\$750.00	\$781.87	\$642.91
Sale of T-shirts,caps,postcards,stamps	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,207.71	\$865.00
Haynes Scholarship Fund	\$1,500.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,350.00	\$1,505.00
Presbytery of Genesee Valley Churches	\$2,500.00	\$3,000.00	\$2,970.00	\$2,300.00
Presbytery of Genesee Valley Mission	\$20,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$20,300.00	\$20,000.00
Presbytery of Geneva Churches	\$2,500.00	\$3,000.00	\$2,650.71	\$2,416.89
Presbytery of Geneva Mission	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00
Grants and Fundraising		\$1,500.00	\$-	\$994.00
Prior Year Carry Over		\$-	\$-	\$-
Endowment Money		\$-	\$-	\$86,820.00
Miscellaneous Income		\$1,250.00	\$1,750.00	\$1,076.40
Total Camp Receipts	\$165,450.00	\$181,000.00	\$165,134.79	\$262,589.34
Total Giving & Other Receipts	\$765,587.79	\$ 748,573.64	\$ 722,254.21	\$ 808,775.87

<b>Ministry &amp; Mission (Expenditures)</b>				Page 2
Personnel	2013 Budget	2012 Budget	2011 Actual	2010 Actual
Executive				
Cash Salary	\$44,005.00	\$43,000.00	\$37,151.04	\$35,952.12
Housing	\$24,000.00	\$24,000.00	\$24,000.08	\$24,000.08
SECA Offset	\$5,202.38	\$5,278.50	\$4,678.02	\$4,585.00
Study Leave	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Travel/Business	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00	\$7,260.16	\$4,265.85
Books/Materials	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$64.41	\$1,165.46
TOTAL	\$83,207.38	\$82,278.50	\$74,153.71	\$70,968.51
Stated Clerk				
Cash Salary		\$-	\$12,303.98	\$12,062.96
Travel/Business		\$-	\$216.70	\$996.52
TOTAL		\$-	\$12,520.68	\$13,059.48
Administrative Assistant				
Cash Salary	\$40,904.50	\$40,300.00	\$38,294.88	\$37,544.00
TOTAL	\$40,904.50	\$40,300.00	\$38,294.88	\$37,544.00
Camp Director				
Cash Salary	\$26,606.00	\$26,265.00	\$26,264.69	\$25,749.88
TOTAL	\$26,606.00	\$26,265.00	\$26,264.69	\$25,749.88
Camp Property Manager				
Cash Salary	\$23,300.00	\$23,000.00	\$22,171.58	\$24,765.00
Annuity		\$-	\$11,117.20	\$3,900.00
Total	\$23,300.00	\$23,000.00	\$33,288.78	\$28,665.00
Assistant Property Manager				
Cash Salary	\$10,000.00	\$8,840.00	\$13,650.00	\$16,900.00
Total	\$10,000.00	\$8,840.00	\$13,650.00	\$16,900.00
Communications Director				
Cash Salary	\$46,212.95	\$27,000.00	\$13,200.00	
Travel/Business Exp.		\$1,000.00		
Total	\$46,212.95	\$28,000.00	\$13,200.00	

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Miscellaneous				
Major Medical Supplement	\$6,497.47	\$6,639.00	\$6,230.85	\$4,367.95
Disability Insurance	\$600.00	\$600.00	\$516.90	\$584.47
Worker's Compensation	\$700.00	\$700.00	\$666.06	\$1,054.68
Board of Pensions	\$73,979.13	\$66,841.05	\$46,093.91	\$50,607.85
FICA	\$11,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,866.36	\$10,022.66
NYS Unemployment Insurance	\$500.00	\$900.00	\$317.94	\$-
Benefits - Other			\$565.18	
Total	\$93,276.60	\$85,680.05	\$65,257.20	\$66,637.61
Total Personnel	\$323,507.43	\$294,363.55	\$276,629.94	\$259,524.48
Mission Priorities of the Presbytery				
Congregational Transformation	\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$19,072.45	\$16,429.25
Spiritual Development	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00	\$709.50	
Building Relationships	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$27,842.40	
Reimbursements for Expenses	\$500.00	\$500.00	\$-	
Total	\$21,000.00	\$21,000.00	\$47,624.35	\$16,429.25
Presbytery Endorsed Projects				
Lay Pastor Seminars		\$-	\$-	\$1,000.00
Camp Whitman (Mission)	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00
Ministry in Higher Education		\$-	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Corning/Elmira New Church Development	\$5,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00
Partnership w/Presbytery of Caribe		\$-	\$4,000.00	\$4,000.00
Consultant-Mexico Partnership		\$-	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00
Building Relationship in the US/World	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00		
Candidates' Grant Fund		\$-	\$-	\$-
Youth Triennium	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,500.00
Mercy Church NCD	\$10,000.00			
Total	\$46,000.00	\$41,000.00	\$42,000.00	\$43,500.00
Total - Session Endorsed/Initiated Projects	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	\$40,171.00	\$42,337.00
Synod Mission	\$2,650.00	\$3,156.00	\$6,910.85	\$9,190.00

Office Expenses				Page 4
Mortgage	\$14,789.16	\$14,789.16	\$9,928.02	\$14,789.16
Utilities	\$4,500.00	\$5,000.00	\$3,983.27	\$4,190.69
Deferred Maintenance	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,880.14	\$433.13
Telephone	\$3,500.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$3,800.99	\$3,751.49
Postage/Shipping	\$2,000.00	\$3,500.00	\$1,999.43	\$-
Bank Fees	\$100.00		\$128.34	
Payroll Service	\$3,500.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,069.79	\$2,864.40
Equipment Leases/Service Contracts	\$11,000.00	\$12,500.00	\$9,475.31	\$11,856.32
Equipment Purchases	\$2,500.00	\$3,000.00	\$1,896.69	\$342.95
Software and Website	\$1,500.00	\$500.00	\$1,469.96	\$220.00
Office Supplies & Hospitality	\$7,000.00	\$8,000.00	\$5,644.97	\$7,145.30
Staff Development	\$1,000.00	\$972.64	\$888.19	\$1,027.63
Bookkeeping Contract	\$7,500.00	\$7,500.00	\$6,660.00	\$7,428.00
Auditor Contract	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00	\$4,000.00	\$7,500.00
Resources	\$250.00	\$500.00	\$573.90	\$-
Office Cleaning Service	\$5,200.00		\$700.00	
Total	\$67,839.16	\$66,761.80	\$56,099.00	\$ 61,549.07
Other Operating Expenses				
EP Discretionary Fund	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$ 1,566.99	\$1,655.52
Insurance - Office	\$6,500.00	\$7,000.00	\$5,306.58	\$6,671.86
Investment Fees	\$100.00		\$95.00	
Legal Expenses	\$1,000.00	\$1,500.00	\$748.00	\$1,453.81
Church Officer Books	\$750.00	\$750.00	\$2,661.42	\$838.75
GA/Synod Meetings	\$500.00	\$3,000.00	\$-	\$5,071.09
Contingency Fund (Miscellaneous Expenses)	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$8,569.97	\$2,058.32
Staff Travel	\$1,500.00	\$1,000.00	\$1,788.14	\$450.50
Investment Losses	\$3,000.00		\$3,474.49	
Debt Written Off			\$4,434.43	
Synod Per Capita	\$25,802.40	\$26,038.40	\$26,899.50	\$27,207.95 ·
GA Per Capita	\$44,988.80	\$43,704.96	\$44,265.00	\$43,462.05
Total	\$89,141.20	\$87,993.36	\$99,809.52	\$88,869.85
TOTAL PRESBYTERY EXPENSES	\$600,137.79	\$564,274.71	\$569,244.66	\$521,399.65

<b>Camp Whitman Expenses</b>				Page 5
Camp Summer Salaries	\$73,000.00	\$79,000.00	\$76,037.52	\$76,174.12
FICA and Workers Comp	\$13,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$13,411.09	\$17,033.96
Insurance	\$17,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$14,244.72	\$16,816.42
Program Expenses	\$12,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$11,612.26	\$14,628.05
Utilities	\$6,500.00	\$6,500.00	\$3,453.43	\$5,693.27
Swimming Pool	\$2,000.00	\$2,500.00	\$1,609.32	\$2,703.01
Lakefront	\$750.00	\$1,000.00	\$405.01	\$1,034.42
Committee Expenses	\$100.00	\$250.00	\$-	\$42.25
Medical Supplies	\$500.00	\$600.00	\$450.48	\$502.39
Chicken Barbecue	\$1,200.00	\$1,200.00	\$1,237.50	\$2,357.23
Kitchen	\$24,000.00	\$23,850.00	\$24,418.46	\$22,614.36
Permits/Memberships	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$675.00	\$400.00
Camp Vehicles	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$6,600.72	\$4,415.98
Camp Maintenance	\$10,000.00	\$10,700.00	\$8,333.70	\$7,767.37
<b>Total Camp Whitman Expenses</b>	\$165,450.00	\$181,000.00	\$162,489.21	\$172,182.83
Total Ministry & Mission	\$765,587.79	\$745,274.71	\$731,733.87	\$693,582.48
SURPLUS (SHORTAGE)	\$0.00	\$3,298.93	\$ (9,479.66)	\$115,193.39

# **Report of the Committee on Nominations**

The Nominating Committee submits the following report, which documents its selection of the slate of candidates for positions on committees of the Presbytery of Geneva. The members of the 2012 Nominating Committee were Elder Joann Braun, Elder John Domm, Elder Sue Goodrich, Elder Larry Bates, Elder Hank Schurr, Elder Steve Beals, Rev. Leah Ntuala, and Rev. Anne Waasdorp. The Committee records its gratitude to Executive Presbyter, the Rev. Dr. Joelle Davis, and to Karen Jensen, for their invaluable contributions to its work. The Committee was marked by careful deliberation and collegiality; its final decisions are a consensus of all members.

Chairperson of Council: Elder Barb Scudder, Bath (Class of 2014)

Vice Chairperson of Council: Elder Dick Schied, Hammondsport (Class of 2014) PW Representative to Council: Elder Virginia Champlin (Geneva) Class of 2014

Moderator of Presbytery: Elder Donna Colvin (Pulteney) Vice- Moderator of Presbytery: Rev. Cheryl Peeples

#### **Budget and Finance**

Chairperson: Rev. Jim Yao Rev. Banu Moore - Class of 2015 Rev. Jim Yao - Class of 2016

Elder Gary Montgomery (Penn Yan) - Class of 2016 Elder Marilyn Benedict (Ontario Center) - Class of 2016

#### **Subcommittee on Presbytery Personnel**

Co-Chairpersons: Elder Linda Kataskas (Shortsville) - Class of 2015 and Rev. Jim Kerr - Class of 2014

Elder Hank Schurr (Big Flats) - Class of 2016

Rev. Bryan Bond - Class of 2016

#### **Committee on Ministry**

Co-Chairpersons: Rev. Gail Heimberger - Class of 2014 and Elder Tom Bailey (Spencer) - Class of 2014

Elder Diana Becker (Seneca Falls) - Class of 2016 Elder Paul Salisbury (Newark) - Class of 2016

Class of 2016 Class of 2016

#### **Committee on Preparation for Ministry**

Chairperson: Rev. Nancy Yao

Elder Don Peek (Pulteney) - Class of 2016

Rev. Nancy Yao - Class of 2016

#### **Permanent Judicial Commission**

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