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Proceedings of Salem Presbytery – One Hundred Twelfth Stated Meeting

First Presbyterian Church, Lexington, North Carolina November 12, 2016

Hosted by Fairmont, Lexington First, Lexington Second, and Shady Side churches

SALEM ACTIONS:

Enrolled Candidates for Ordination to ministry of Teaching Elder:

- Amy Speas (under care of Westminster)
- Lynn Turnage (under care of Westminster)
- Matthew Copple (under care of Starmount)

Received Candidate for Ordination in Salem Presbytery to ministry of Teaching Elder:

- Kim Priddy, Sedgefield

Approved Terms of Call between:

- Kim Priddy (as Pastor) & Sedgefield
- Marti Hazelrigg (as Pastor) & Oak Ridge

Secured Interim contract between:

- Rev. Thomas LaBonte & Salisbury First
- Rev. John Wilkerson Jr. & John Calvin

Renewed Interim contract between:

- Rev. William Hamilton & Sedgefield
Sept. 1, 2016 – Oct. 1, 2016

Renewed Temporary Supply Contract between:

- Mr. Nathan Jones & Shady Side
Oct. 1, 2016 – Oct. 1, 2017

Renewed CRE (Lay Pastor) Contract between:

- Ms. Nita Henderson & Mebane First
Sept. 1, 2016 – Aug. 31, 2017
- Mr. Wayne Robertson & Greenwood
Mar. 1, 2016 – Feb. 28, 2017
- Mr. John Groff & Cooleemee
Sept. 1, 2016 – Aug. 31, 2017
- Mr. Jeffrey Bumgarner & Laurel Fork
Nov. 1, 2016 – Oct. 31, 2017

Renewed Stated Supply contract between:

- Rev. Laura Spangler & Lloyd,
Aug. 1, 2016 – July 31, 2017
- Rev. Margaret Almeida & Salisbury Second
Sept. 1, 2016 – Aug. 31, 2017

- Rev. Jay Lambeth and St. Paul (Greensboro),
Nov. 1, 2016 – Oct. 31, 2017

Approved an Administrative Commission to install Teaching Elder:

- Rev. Marti Reed Hazelrigg at Oak Ridge,
June 9, 2016

Approved an Administrative Commission to ordain and install Teaching Elder:

- Kim Priddy at Sedgefield, January 15, 2017

Transfer Teaching Elder out of Salem Presbytery:

- Rev. Brian Daoust to Greater Atlanta
- Rev. Matt Randolph to Presbytery of Donegal
- Rev. Jim Dunkin to Presbytery of the James

Transfer Teaching Elder to Salem Presbytery:

- Rev. Leigh Wisner from New Covenant Presbytery
- Rev. Virginia Christman from San Gabriel Presbytery

Acknowledged Renunciation of Jurisdiction:

- Rev. Peter Smith, received by Evangelical Presbyterian Church, July 1, 2016

Dismissed to ECO:

- Mooresville First Presbyterian

Appointed Moderator of Session:

- Elder Sam Jenkins at Pleasant Grove
- Rev. Calvin Crump at Boonville First

CRE Authorized to Celebrate Lord's Supper:

- Elder Sue Moore
Nov. 13, 2016 – Nov. 12, 2017

Granted Honorable Retirement to:

- Rev. William Hamilton, Oct. 1, 2016
- Rev. Doug McLeroy, Jan. 1, 2017
- Rev. Frank Dew, Jan. 1, 2017
- Rev. Jae Heung Chung, Jan. 1, 2017

Celebrated Service of Honorable Retirement for:

- Rev. William Hamilton
- Rev. Jae Heung Chung

Adopted 2017 Minimum Annual Compensation for:

- Full Time Installed Teaching Elders
- Commissioned Ruling Elders
- Certified Christian Educators

Approved 2017 Salem Presbytery Budget

Received Independent Auditor's Report for 2015

Approved Sale of Property:

- 3.27 acres belonging to New Salem

Received Pennies for Hunger Offering:

- \$278.00

Received canned goods for Pastor's Pantry:

- 212 pounds

Elected individuals to fill vacancies on Presbytery committees - -

Elected to Serve on Budget and Finance:

- Rev. Brian Gawf, Asheboro First
- Elder Paul Gilbert, Statesville First

Elected to Serve on Campus Ministry:

- Rev. Kevin Conley, VM
- Rev. Kyle Goodman, Concord

Elected to Serve on Church Growth:

- Rev. David Ealy, Hawfields
- CRE Bill Bates, Love Valley
- Elder Rose Gaiser, Westminster

Elected to Serve on COM:

East:

- Elder Floyd Jackson, Oak Ridge
- Rev. Brian Gawf, Asheboro First
- Rev. Marti Hazelrigg, Oak Ridge
- Elder Bob Hill, Burlington First
- Elder Thomas Vinson, Mebane First

Central:

- Rev. Tom LaBonte, Salisbury First
- Rev. Brian Rummage, Lexington Second
- Elder Joy Morrison, Statesville First
- Rev. Jeff Sockwell, Shallowford

West:

- Elder Joe Blevins, Mt. Jefferson
- Elder Lee Woods, Logan

Elected to Serve on Committee on Preparation for Ministry:

- CRE Rick Purcell, VM

- Rev. Phil Hagen, Unity
- Elder Catreli Hunter, Mt. Vernon
- Rev. Jon Gaska, Trinity, W-S
- Rev. Courtney Stephens, Highland
- Rev. Nancy Williams-Berry, VM

Elected to Serve on EQUIP Support:

- Mr. J. Patrick Murphy, Burlington First

Elected to Serve on Examinations:

- Rev. Jay Smith, Jamestown
- Elder Tony Blackwell, Thyatira
- Elder Carolyn Mock, Mt. Jefferson
- Rev. Randy Harris, Highland
- Elder Rebecca Sullivan, Lexington First

Elected to Serve on Executive Council:

- Rev. Mark Brainerd, Westminster
- Rev. Rosa Miranda, El Buen Pastor
- Elder Sam Jenkins, CRE

Elected to Serve on Personnel:

- Elder Penny Hedrick, Concord
- Rev. Ernie Thompson, Westminster
- Rev. Touré Marshall, Grace

Elected to Serve on Permanent Judicial Commission:

- Rev. Kaye Ziglar, Logan
- Rev. John Elam, Franklin
- Elder Charles McGirt, Lexington First

Re-Elected to Serve as Moderator of Salem Presbytery:

- Rev. Steve Scott, Statesville First

SALEM:

- Participated in Worship and the celebration of the Lord's Supper
- Heard representatives of the four host churches preach during worship – Sermon: "Four Voices of Thanksgiving"
Rev. Randy Hall, Fairmont,
Luke 17:11-19
Elder Ken Davis, Shady Side,
Psalm 136: 1-4
Rev. Lee Zehmer, Lexington First,
Habakkuk 3: 17-29
Rev. Brian Rummage, Lexington Second,
1 Thessalonians 5:16-24
- Received reports from Executive General Presbyter Rev. Sam Marshall; Associate Presbyter Rev. Bryan McFarland, Associate Presbyter Dr. Dianna Wright, and Stated Clerk Elder David Vaughan
- Received presentations or reports from the Executive Council, Examinations, Preparation

for Ministry, Committee on Representation,
Commission on Ministry, Peace & Justice,
Church Growth, and EQUIP

- Heard a presentation on the ministry of the Pastor's Pantry of Lexington
- Recognized Salem's new BOP liaison, Elizabeth Little
- Received information from the 238th meeting of the Synod of the Mid-Atlantic from Rev. John Hartman, Salem's commissioner
- Heard Nick Gallagher, Presbyterian youth delegate to the UN and student at ASU, describe his summer experience

**Next meeting will be held at First
Presbyterian Church, Burlington, NC
on Tuesday, February 21, 2017.**