

MPPC Stated Session Meeting Digest June 23, 2020

Due to the COVID-19 crisis the meeting was held via Zoom videoconference. Senior Pastor Peter Bynum moderated the meeting and called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

The consent agenda was approved:

- A. Approval of minutes: May 26, 2020 stated session meeting
June 16, 2020 called meeting
- B. Admit to the session records
 - 1. The celebration of the Lord's Supper on June 7, 2020
 - 2. Having been duly elected by the congregation at its annual meeting on March 8, 2020 [G-1.0503a], engaged in a period of study of and preparation, and examined by the session on May 17 [G-2.0402], the following members were ordained and installed to their respective ordered ministries on May 31: 2020 during the 10:00 AM worship service:
Deacon (Class of 2023): Paula Angelos, John Carullo, Calder Clark, Mary Allan Edgerton, Caroline Feller, Thomas Gault, McRae Hogan, Joe Rainero, Pam Spivey, and Michael Mozingo
Deacon (Class of 2021): Maehler Purcell and McRae Wallace
Ruling Elder (Class of 2023): Mack Cross, Tom Dozier, Eliza Dunn, James Scott
Ruling Elder (Class of 2021) Carter Limbert, Lily Westerhold
Having previously been ordained the following members were installed to their respective ordered ministries:
Deacon: Diane Hader and Tom Worrall ('23)
Ruling elder: Maryanne Davis, Andrew deHoll ('22), Shirley Hendrix ('23), Bob Ostrom ('23)
 - 3. Admit/Approve routine changes to the membership rolls:

DEACON REPORT

Jason Walton will serve as chair for 2020-2021 and Sarah Wendell will serve as vice-chair.

ACTION ITEMS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

- The following distributions from the 2019 Challenge Grant were approved. The motion passed.
Florence Crittenton - \$10,000.
Bridge Builders - \$5,000.
One80 Place - \$11,250.
ECCO - \$20,000.
- The Worship Committee moved to postpone the start of outdoor worship pending a recommendation from the COVID-19 Task Force with a goal of a July 12 start date. The motion passed.

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

* Personnel: The send-off for Rev. Kim Trimboli was held on June 21 and included a drive-by parade. Her new congregation will receive the proceeds from the collection in her honor.

*Christian Education: Fall programming options for both in-person and online activities are being planned. Children's Ministries and Youth Ministries remain active this summer via virtual means.

*Property & Grounds: A combination lock has been installed on the Prayer Room.

*Fellowship & Congregational Life: Crosses continue to be delivered to members over 70 years of age as a means of keeping touch during this time.

*Missions: Thank you letters were received from Palmetto International Mission and LAMB.

OTHER BUSINESS

The following Pinnacle Leadership working group was approved: Joe Molinari ('21), Evie Evans ('21), Elizabeth Amory ('22), Maryanne Davis ('23), and James Scott ('23) with the clerk to serve *ex-officio*.