

MOUNT PLEASANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)
Stated Session Meeting Digest
April 26, 2022

CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Approval of minutes March 22, 2022 stated meeting
 March 27, 2022 Annual Meeting of the Congregation
 April 3, 2022 called session meeting
- B. Approval of excused absences
- C. Admit/Approve routine changes to the membership rolls

CLERK'S REPORT

- *The Lord's Supper was celebrated on March 22, April 3, and April 14
- *The officers-elect will be examined at the May 24th stated meeting

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. FELLOWSHIP AND CONGREGATIONAL LIFE A number of upcoming events are planned to include Trivia and Pizza Night (May 22), Lemonade on the Lawn (Sundays April 3-May 29), First Friday Films (movies in the gravel parking lot), and a church-wide brunch on June 12 with a reception for the new Director of Music.

- B. FINANCE & STEWARDSHIP

As of March 31, 2022	Actual YTD	Budgeted YTD
Total Revenues	\$494,956.95	\$514,390
Total Expenses	\$599,541.47	\$594,687.05
Net Total	(\$104,584.53)	(\$80,297.05)

Bank Balances	Operating	Temporary Restricted	Endowment
3/31/2022	\$326,159	\$635,627	\$1,482,962

- C. MISSION Ongoing efforts include the Charleston Area Justice Ministry (CAJM), Habitat for Humanity, an American red Cross Blood Drive, Windwood Farms, and the Circle of Friends for Afghan refugees.
- D. PERSONNEL Alanna Barrett has been hired as a full-time staff member in the role of Administrative Assistant for Congregational Life.
- E. PROPERTY AND GROUNDS Pine Straw has been laid around the campus. New floors have been installed in the Grace Hall elevator. The hallways in Grace Hall, Seabrook 209 (library), and GH 121/123/125 are being repainted.
- F. WORSHIP Appreciation was expressed for David Nagelkirk who served as interim Director of Music. Passing of offering plates/baskets during worship services will resume on May 1. Once the current supply of prepackaged communion cups are expended the Lord's Supper will be celebrated shared by having the congregation come forward to individually receive the elements.

- G. CHRISTIAN EDUCATION Digital classroom cost estimates are being gathered. The Learning Center's last day is May 25th. A summer adult program based on a study of the Psalms is planned.

NEW BUSINESS

- A. E. Amory, M. Cross, J. Deavor, S. Mellichamp, and B. Ostrom were elected as commissioners to the spring stated meeting of Charleston Atlantic Presbytery.
- B. E. Creed Branham, A. Farmer, and M. Thigpen were elected to the "Committee on Committees" to serve with the Moderator and Clerk as *ex-officio* members.