

MOUNT PLEASANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (USA)
Stated Session Meeting Digest
June 25, 2024

The meeting was called to order in the sanctuary at 6:30 p.m. by Transitional Pastor Danie DeBeer who moderated the meeting.

CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Approval of minutes: stated meeting of May 28, 2024
 Commission meeting of May 29, 2024
 Special session meeting of June 9, 2024
- B. Approval of excused absences
- C. Approval of changes to the membership rolls:
- D. Approval of weddings

COMMITTEE REPORTS Reports were circulated electronically prior to the meeting. Not all committees met in the previous month.

Finance & Stewardship

| As of May 31, 2024 | Actual YTD | Budgeted YTD |
|--------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Total Revenues | \$905,490.80 | \$805,649 |
| Total Expenses | \$1,101,770.90 | \$1,041,292.61 |
| Net Total | (\$196,280.10) | \$(235,643.61) |

Bank Balances as of May 31, 2024

Operating \$23,522 MM/TRF \$381,620 Endowment \$1,806,103

The Finance & Stewardship Committee was authorized to form a group to develop a plan to create Stewardship as a separate sessional committee and to report back those recommendations to the session.

Missions ECCO grocery bags will be distributed on July 14. A Rise for Hunger workday is scheduled for September 18. Palmetto International Mission has a youth/adult trip with 16 people traveling July 5-11.

Property and Grounds Parking lot issues are being addressed. A bid has been approved to repair the gutter and downspout on the Seabrook Building. The compressor in the Sanctuary right balcony HVAC unit has been replaced as well as a broken belt in the Sanctuary first floor HVAC unit. HVAC issues in the Seabrook Building have been addressed. Nine new windows have been ordered for the Administration offices.

Worship Committee

| Worship Attendance | May 5 | May 12 | May 19 | May 26 |
|------------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Streaming | 153 | 112 | 156 | 128 |
| 8:30 In-person | 105 | 96 | 113 | 74 |
| 11:00 In-person | 445 | 289 | 302 | 189 |
| Total | 603 | 497 | 571 | 391 |

CLERK'S REPORT

*The Lord's Supper was celebrated on May 28 and June 2, 2024

*The following ordinations/ installation occurred at the 11:00 a.m. worship service on June 2, 2024

Ordained and installed as a deacon to the Class of 2025: Wheeler Brown, Caroline Kennedy

Ordained and installed as a deacon to the Class of 2027: Martha Cole, Chayne Dawley, Robert Durant, Ron Magnuson, Ashley Mayer, Susan Moring, Michael Tschantz, Carolyn Word

Installed as a deacon to the Class of 2027: Bob Gottke, Rick Grindrod, Chris Keller

Ordained and installed as a ruling elder to the Class of 2025: Benjamin Halford

Ordained and installed as a ruling elder to the Class of 2027: Ann Crowder, Ashley DeStefano, Beverly Hutchison, Kevin Lewis, Kyle Murrell

Installed as a ruling elder to the Class of 2027: Beverly Hutchison and David Smith

*The installation/ordination of Harry Olsen, Lantie Slezak, Ashley DeWeese is scheduled for July 7

*Ellen Creed Branham was commissioned by Charleston Atlantic Presbytery on June 16, 2024 as the Commissioned Ruling Elder for Adult Education at MPPC

*Session monthly responsibilities sign-up opportunities.

*Correspondence- Letter from Charleston Atlantic Presbytery regarding BOP changes
CAP General Presbyter Becky Albright will attend the August stated meeting

NEW BUSINESS The session voted to call a congregational meeting immediately following the 11:00 a.m. service on Sunday July 14, 2024 for the purpose of hearing a report from the pastor nominating committee and if the way be clear to elect a pastor and approve the terms of call. The motion was approved.

ADJOURNMENT
at 8:07 p.m.

With no further business to conduct the moderator adjourned the meeting