

## **COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY REPORT**

**March 25, 2025 Zoom.us**

[From the meetings of 02/04/25 and 03/04/25, and action taken 03/19/25]

### **ITEMS FOR PRESBYTERY'S ACTION** – None

### **ACTIONS TAKEN ON BEHALF OF THE PRESBYTERY**

The Committee on Ministry VOTED to:

Approve the Covenant for Services as a Covenanted Pastor-Stated Pulpit Supply-between the First United Presbyterian Church (Sodus) and the Rev. Gail Heimberger for full time for the Year 2025.

Approve the Annual Terms of Call between Elmira North and the Rev. Evan Hansen for full time for the Year 2025.

Approve the Covenant for Services as a Covenanted Pastor between the United Church of Painted Post and the Rev. David Preisendanz for the Year 2025.

Approve the Covenant for Services as a Covenanted Pastor between the Andover First Presbyterian Church and Christian Mattison for the Year 2025.

Approve the Request for a Waiver of Term Limits for Oak's Corners RE Debbie Gee for 1 Year.

Respectfully Receive and Approve at his request, John Gingerich's wish to be removed from the Pulpit Supply List.

Approve the Request for Waiver of Term Limits for Lyons Presbyterian Church for RE Camille Clark for a term of 1 year.

Approve the Annual Approval Of Terms of Call between the First Presbyterian Church of Seneca Falls and the Rev. Leah Ntuala for 2025.

Approve the Annual Approval Of Terms of Call between Christ the King Fellowship Presbyterian Church and the Rev. Sabrina Slater for 2025.

Approve the Annual Annual Approval Of Terms of Call between the First Presbyterian Church of Ulysses and the Rev. Susan Joseph Rack for 2025.

Approve the Annual Annual Approval Of Terms of Call between the First Presbyterian Church of Ithaca and the Rev. Kirianne E. Weaver for 2025.

Approve the Covenant for Services as a Covenanted Pastor between the First Presbyterian Church of Ithaca and the Rev. Cynthia A. Weaver.

Approve the Annual Approval of Terms of Call between the First Presbyterian Church of Elmira and the Rev. Lynn Rubier-Capron for 2025.

Approve the dissolution agreement between the United Church of Phelps and the Rev. Dr. H. Leigh Holder, effective end of day April 30, 2025.

### **ITEMS FOR THE PRESBYTERY'S INFORMATION**

The Committee on Ministry VOTED to:

Approve the Annual Review for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor for the First Presbyterian Church of Cohocton for the Year 2024.

Approve the Annual Review for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor for the United Church of Marion for the Year 2024

Approve the Annual Review for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor for the First Presbyterian Church of Prattsburgh for the Year 2024.

Approve the Annual Review for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor for the Howard Union Church for the Year 2024.

Approve the Annual Review for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor for the Huron Presbyterian Church for the Year 2024.

Approve the Annual Review for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor for the Lyons Presbyterian Church for the Year 2024.

Approve adding the requirement that churches submit copies of their Annual Reports from the previous 2 years as part of the required mission study completed prior to a pastor search committee being formed.

Approve the updated Pulpit Supply List and Guidelines.

Approve the updated Form 1a: Annual Approval of Terms of Call.

Approve East Palmyra Presbyterian Church's Annual Review for 2024 for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor.

Approve Weston Presbyterian Church's Annual Review for 2024 for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor.

Approve Pulteney Presbyterian Church's Annual Review for 2024 for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor.

Approve Red Creek Presbyterian Church Annual Review for 2024 for Congregations without a called or covenanted pastor.

Approve Rev. Pat Schick to be added to the Pulpit Supply List.

Grant permission for Jane Winters to provide pulpit supply for Big Flats for all of Lent and Easter Sunday.