

**PRESBYTERY OF CAYUGA-SYRACUSE  
Stated Meeting – November 2, 2019**  
First Presbyterian Church  
64 Oswego Street, Baldwinsville, NY 13027

Childcare is available by reservation. RSVP to [admin@presbville.com](mailto:admin@presbville.com) by October 29.

**Requests to be excused**, as well as names of new elder commissioners and others requesting nametags, should be sent to [lsruss@aol.com](mailto:lsruss@aol.com) by October 31.

Rev. Karen Chamis, Resource Presbyter, will lead a pre-meeting program on **Matthew 25 in the PC(USA)**: A bold vision and invitation to answer the urgent call to be a church of action and become a more relevant presence in the world.

The offering collected during worship will be used to provide meals for persons facing food scarcity through the church's monthly free community dinner and the "Bee Full" weekend meal program for local students.

The cost for lunch will be \$5.00 payable at registration.

Internet service will **not** be available at this meeting. The meeting may be recorded, and pictures taken.

8:30 am **REGISTRATION & FELLOWSHIP** - Prayer requests may be left at the registration table.

9:00 am **SPECIAL PROGRAM** – On being a Matthew 25 Church/Presbytery – Rev. Karen Chamis

10:00 am **GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD**

*Declaration of quorum (a minimum of five ministers who are members of the Presbytery, and five elders, from five different congregations)*

Presbytery constituted with prayer

Welcome by Host Church

Introduction of first-time ministers and elder commissioners

Seating of corresponding members

Welcome of guests

10:15 AM **WORK OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD**

Approval of the **DOCKET**

Approval of the **CONSENT AGENDA** [Documents sent separately.]

**NOTE:** Presbyters may request that an item be lifted from the Consent Agenda. Items lifted out will be handled during the report associated with that item. Remaining items (those not lifted out) will be approved in one motion.

**Call for New Business**

**Greetings from the Moderator:** Rev. Tom Oak

**Greetings from the Resource Presbyter:** Rev. Karen Chamis

**Report of Stated Clerk and Associate Stated Clerk**

- Request from Baldwinsville church to waive deacon term limits per G-2.0404

10:45 am **Communications Report:** Sarah Buckshot

10:50 am **COM Work Group:** Rev. Lorrie Anson

- Special Recognition of ruling elder Gail Banks
- Introduction of new ministers
  - Rev. Jeanine Haven, Baldwinsville
  - Rev. Becky Kiser, Jamesville
  - Rev. Elizabeth Lyman, Pebble Hill

11:20 am **Presbyterian Women:** ruling elder Rita Hooper

11:25 am **Synod Report:** ruling elder Vic Jenkins

- Auburn Westminster Synod Grant update

11:45 am **Recognition of Special Service to the Presbytery of Cayuga-Syracuse:** Rev. Karen Green and company

12:00 pm **FELLOWSHIP AROUND LUNCH**

1:00 pm **WORSHIP of the People of God with Communion**

1:40 pm **WORK OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD, continued:**

1:40 pm **Property and Finance Work Group**

- Treasurer's Report
- 2020 Budget

2:10 pm **Nominating Committee**

- GA Commissioners, YAAD, Alternates
- Elder Neil Rotach to serve on the COR for a three-year term, beginning in 2019.
- Need for five additional members on the Nominating Committee

2:25 pm **Update from CNY Missional Structures Working Group:** Rev. Garrett Anderson

2:35 pm **Records and Overtures:** elder Linda Russell

- Korea Peace Treaty Overture

2:50 pm **New/Other Business**

3:00 pm **People of God depart**

- Resolution of Thanks to our Hosts
- Closing Prayer
- Charge and Benediction
- Adjournment

Go in Peace!