

Annual Meeting Docket

June 13, 2026 • First Presbyterian Church of Auburn and Online via Zoom

Moderator: Rev. Mike Hill and Rev. Dr. Shavon Lynch • Stated Clerk: Rev. Ben Fitzgerald-Fye

Commissioner Names, Requests to be Excused and Prayer Requests should be sent to the Stated Clerk by June 12
Please read all supporting documents prior to the meeting. We look forward to a productive time together!

[Zoom / Registration Link](#)

9:30 AM REGISTRATION OPENS

10:00 AM GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD *Moderator Hill*

- 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 Moderator
- Introduction of first-time ministers and elder commissioners
- Approve the seating of corresponding members and guests (granting voice)
- Good News and Joys from Congregations and Worshipping Communities
- Review of Voting Procedures: The moderator will determine the method of voting for this meeting

10:10 AM WORK OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD *Moderator Lynch*

- Call for New Business
- Approval of the Docket
- Approval of the Minutes

Documents:

- [DRAFT January Minutes](#)

10:15 AM BOARD OF PENSIONS UPDATE *Rev. Luke Choi*

10:20 AM REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE *Elder Lynn Jacques*

Documents:

- [Report of the Nominating Committee](#)

10:30 AM WORSHIP AND MODERATOR INSTALLATION *Various*

11:15 AM MODERATOR'S REPORT *Hill/Lynch*

- Outgoing Moderator Remarks
- Incoming Moderator Remarks

11:25 AM ANNUAL REPORT OF THE STATED CLERK *Rev. Ben Fitzgerald-Fye*

Documents:

- [Annual Report of the Stated Clerk](#)
- [Parity Report](#)

MOTION

Motion: Direct the Stated Clerk, in cooperation with Finance and Property, to craft a proposal for a Standing Committee on Church Transitions and Discernment to handle all financial and property matters related to church closings, property repurposing, use of church properties overall, and disputes and investigations related to financial matters and property matters that do not fall under Book of Order disciplinary procedures. Further, at the request of a sufficient number of elder and minister members, direct the Moderator to schedule an online Special Meeting for the presentation and consideration of the new committee.

11:35 AM REPORT OF THE LEAD PRESBYTER *Rev. Greg Garis*

Documents:

- [Report of the Lead Presbyter](#)

11:55 AM LUNCH BREAK *Food*

1:00 PM REPORT OF THE JOINT SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE *Rev. Monica Styron*

- Intro to Presentation and Introduction of the Presenter

Documents:

- [Food Supplemental Motion](#)
- [Food Supplemental Grant Application](#)

MOTION

THIS MOTION AFFECTS SOCIAL JUSTICE BUT TECHNICALLY COMES TO US FROM THE FINANCE AND PROPERTY COMMITTEE: The Finance and Property Committee moves that the Presbytery use \$20,000 of the Vanderkamp proceeds during 2026 to provide grants to organizations whose food programs offset the losses in SNAP benefits happening at this time. The application form will be developed jointly with Finance and Property, and the Social Justice Committee will manage the application process and awards in consultation with the Treasurer and the Finance Chair. Funds will be released through the bill payment process.

1:45 PM UPDATE ON JEJU OVERTURE AND KOREA PEACEMAKING *Elder Linda Russell*

1:50 PM HUMAN RESOURCES *Rev. Garrett Anderson*

- Renewal of Stated Clerk Contract

Documents:

- [Stated Clerk Contract](#)

MOTION

Approve re-election of Rev. Ben Fitzgerald-Fye as Stated Clerk and approve contract for Stated Clerk.

1:55 PM UPDATE FROM OUR COMMISSIONER TO THE SYNOD OF THE NORTHEAST *Elder Linda Russell*

2:00 PM FOCUS AND COORDINATION *TBD*

2:15 PM QUESTIONS ABOUT INFORMATIONAL REPORTS NOT OFFERED ON THE FLOOR *Moderator/Various*

2:30 PM ADJOURN WITH PRAYER *Moderator*

FINANCIAL REPORTS RECEIVED

Treasurer's Reports Packet — Treasurer

Documents:

- [Treasurer's Reports](#)

REPORTS RECEIVED FOR INFORMATION

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Documents:

[• COM Report](#)

[• Approved Temporary Pastor Contract-Lynch](#)

Finance and Property Annual Report — Finance and Property Documents:

[• FnP Annual Report](#)

Report of the Assistant Lead Presbyter — Rev. Mary Anderson