

# **REPORT OF THE STATED CLERK**

Hybrid Presbytery Meeting  
Gilby Presbyterian Church, Gilby, North Dakota  
Saturday, April 2, 2022

## **RECOMMENDATIONS REQUIRING PRESBYTERY ACTION:**

**MINUTES.** The minutes of the November 6, 2021 stated meeting were made available to all official attendees on the Presbytery webpage. I **recommend** that those minutes be approved as circulated.

## **REQUIRING NO ACTION BUT REQUIRED TO BE REPORTED:**

**PARITY/DIVERSITY OF TEACHING AND RULING ELDERS.** Having determined the number of ministers who are members of the Presbytery (3) and the number of ruling elders (70) that the churches are entitled to send as commissioners to Presbytery's meetings, I **recommend** that Presbytery take no action to provide for the election of additional ruling elders, as there is no need for equalization.

**ROSTER OF RECENTLY RETIRED MEMBERS OF THE PERMANENT JUDICIAL COMMISSION (PJC).** In accordance with the provisions of the **Rules of Discipline (D-5.0206b)**, the following roster of names of those members of the Permanent Judicial Commission whose terms have expired within the past six years are to be spread upon the minutes:

**Class of 2020** - Minister Gretchen Graf and Ruling Elder Bruce Berg

**Class of 2018** – Minister Trudy Dumont and Ruling Elders Connie Cleveland and Betty Youngren

**Class of 2016** – Minister Nancy Emerson and Ruling Elder Karen Tankersley

## **FOR YOUR INFORMATION:**

**CHURCH ANNUAL STATISTICAL REPORTS.** The statistical season is over for another year. I can report that forty-five out of our fifty-six churches filed statistical reports this year. Email reminders were sent periodically to churches that had not filed as the deadline approached. The program was working well again this year and I was able to review the entries within a few minutes. This allowed me to contact congregations and ask questions about numbers that looked a little off or were missing. If you would like a copy of your church's report, go to the statistical entry page (you will need your User Name and Password) and on the first page you will see Church Report:

Click on this box and it will take you to a copy of your report.

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