

**The Presbytery of Mid-Kentucky
Called Meeting Minutes
July 14, 2025, 5:00 p.m.
Via Zoom**

The meeting was called to order and opened with prayer by the moderator, Ruling Elder Alicia Bloos. First-time members, commissioners and guests were welcomed.

There was one corresponding member to seat: Teaching Elder Brenton Thompson from the Presbytery of Philadelphia was seated.

The moderator called on the stated clerk, Teaching Elder Jerry Van Marter, to advise her on a quorum. The stated clerk advised the moderator that a quorum was present. The moderator declared a quorum. The roll was established as follows:

Teaching Elders Present: A. Bowman, D. Bush, M. Carver, P. Clinger, N. Herring, E. Herrinton-Hodge, J. Larsen-Wigger, J. McGee, M. Nebelsick, B. Palmer, T. Reck, E. Sherby, M. Taylor, J. Van Marter, J. Weible, R. Williams-Neal

Ruling Elders Present: A. Bloos (Bardstown Road), R. Charles (Peace), G. Cohen (Springdale), E. Hwang (Second), K. Kouba (Briargate), B. Langley (Crescent Hill), J. McRae, M. Palmer (1st Shelbyville), E. Stimson (Crescent Hill), S. Wilder (John Knox),

Visitors Present: A. Chapdelaine, Candidate (Pewee Valley), B. Thompson (Philadelphia Presbytery)

Commission on Preparation for Ministry: Teaching Elder Carl Horton, chair, presented for action that the presbytery grant a waiver of the one-year candidacy rule, (G-2.0602) to Candidate Andrew Chapdelaine, so that he may accept a call he has received from Philadelphia Presbytery. (Andrew has already been certified ready to receive a call). This action requires a three-fourths approval vote by presbytery. There was discussion. The motion was approved unanimously.

Nominations and Representation Committee: Teaching Elder Pam Clinger, chair, reported. On behalf of the nominations committee, Pam moved the following names into nomination to fill unexpired terms:

- RE Jean Wolph (Harvey Browne), Commission on Ministry, Class of 2027
- RE Brooke Caudill (Shelbyville, First), Commission on Ministry, Class of 2027.
- TE Andrew Bowman (Second), Commission on Preparation for Ministry, Class of 2025.
- RE Sharon Kutz-Mellem (Springdale), Latino/a Ministries Committee, Class of 2025.

There were no nominations from the floor. The motion was approved unanimously.

Adjournment: There was a motion to adjourn the meeting. There was a second. The motion was approved. The meeting was closed in prayer by the moderator, Alicia Bloos at 5:20 p.m.

Alicia Bloos, Moderator

Jerry Van Marter, Stated Clerk

Andrew Hartmans, Recording Clerk