

COMMITTEE ON PREPARATION FOR MINISTRY

The Committee on Preparation for Ministry (CPM) has met twice since the last regular meeting of the presbytery. In accordance with action taken at their meetings, CPM reports the following:

Annual Consultations Approved

Reviewed and approved Annual Consultations for the following, continuing them in the process. A summary of the Consultations will be sent to their session and seminary (where applicable):

Inquirer Kelly Dickson
Candidate Malia Griffice
Candidate Jessica Knutzen

Candidate Nancy Pearson
Inquirer Anna Porath
Inquirer Ryan Romberg

Inquirers Enrolled

Enrolled Mr. **Kwan Park**, a member of Shin-II Presbyterian Church in Norwalk, as an inquirer according to Book of Order Chapter 14, and a covenant agreement was made with him based on Form 2, which shall also include the following:

- a. Approve Kwan's M.Div. degree from Fuller Theological Seminary
- b. That all required core courses be completed according to the Book of Order and CPM guidelines; and
- c. That Kwan complete a unit of Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE)

Enrolled Mr. **Alex Wirth**, a member of Grace First Presbyterian Church in Long Beach, as an inquirer according to Book of Order Chapter 14, and a covenant agreement was made with him based on Form 2, which shall also include the following:

- d. Approve Alex's attendance to McCormick Theological Seminary
- e. That all required core courses be completed according to the Book of Order and CPM guidelines; and
- f. That Alex complete a unit of Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE)

Approved to Take Ordination Exams

The following inquirers and candidates were approved to take ordination exams January 2011: David Chavez, Renee Coffman-Chavez, Malia Griffice, Benjamin Jara, Nancy Pearson, Ryan Romberg

COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY

The Committee on Ministry (COM) has met twice since the last regular meeting of the presbytery. In accordance with action taken at its meetings, COM reports the following:

Examination for Membership

Examined and approved **Candidate Adel Malek** for membership, validated his ministry as tentmaker, and granted him permission to labor outside the bounds, pending successful examination for ordination and presbytery approval.

Approve the part-time Temporary Pastoral Relationship between **Anaheim Korean Presbyterian Church** and the **Rev. Yoonsuk Joseph Shin**, member of KPCA, effective October 1, 2010 with the following terms of call:

Salary and Housing	\$48,000
Medical Coverage	\$8,784

Study Leave \$1000
Vacation: 30 calendar days
2 weeks study leave

Approved negotiations with **Pastor Joseph Kim** in order to facilitate negotiations with the merger between Orange United Korean Church in Orange and **Canaan Presbyterian Church**, Santa Ana, to go forward and for his eventual membership in the PCUSA.

Dissolution of Pastoral Relationship

Approved the dissolution of the Pastoral Relationship between **Rev. Dr. Jeff McCrory** and Geneva Presbyterian Church, Laguna Hills, effective October 31, 2010 Approved the Member at Large status of Rev. Jeff McCrory.

Call/Terms of Call

Approved the change in terms of call for **Rev. Daniel Jiménez** to ½ time Associate Pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Santa Ana at the recommendation of the church and Rev. Jiménez. This change allows First to hire a half-time youth director, which already has had a positive effect in the youth group.

Approved the call of Geneva Presbyterian Church, Laguna Hills, to **Rev. Leanne Strommen** as Temporary Stated Supply Associate Pastor for 12 months effective November 1, 2010 with the following terms of call:

Salary & Housing	\$55,000
Expenses	1,000
Study Leave	2 weeks
Vacation	2 weeks

Ordinations/Installations

Approved the following Administrative Commission to ordain **Jeff Pearson**, a Candidate under care certified ready to receive a call, on behalf of San Diego Presbytery, on Sunday, December 5, 2010 at 3:00 p.m. at Laguna Presbyterian Church:

Moderator of the Commission: Rev. Kathy Sizer

Ministers

Rev. Jerry Tankersley, Laguna PC
Rev. Tim Yee, St. Andrews PC

Elders

Jackie Pearson –Laguna Presbyterian Church
Sue Currie –Tustin Presbyterian Church

Mr. Pearson received the call as a part-time temporary supply pastor at La Jolla Presbyterian Church, effective November 17, 2010.

Parish Associates:

Approved **Rev. Dee Hazen** and **Rev. Ron Eckert** at San Clemente through December 31, 2011.

Approved dissolution of Parish Associate relationship between **Rev. Don Thies** and Presbyterian Church of the Master at his request (for health reasons) and affirmed his Honorable Retirement status.

Approved **Rev Mike Regele** as Parish Associate at Irvine Presbyterian Church with responsibilities in teaching, preaching, and Sacraments.

Transfers

The transfer of **Rev. Frank Baresel** to Presbytery of Puget Sound to become Designated Pastor of Lake Forest Park Presbyterian Church, effective September 1, 2010 is complete.

Approved the transfer **Rev. David Watson** to the Presbytery of San Joaquin upon receipt of confirmation they have received him as a member and are requesting his transfer.

Deaths

Rev. Ralph Conrad passed away suddenly of a heart attack on the morning of September 27. He was Temporary Supply Pastor of First United Presbyterian Church, Long Beach. He was 70.

Rev. Jay Campbell passed away on Sunday, November 7. He was 94.

Validation

Approve validation of **Rev. Amadeo Torres** as Member at Large through December 31, 2011. Rev. Torres is in Florida, actively seeking a call.

Pastor Emeritus

Concurred with the request of Placentia PC to place on the docket of their annual meeting a motion to grant the title of Pastor Emeritus to the **Rev. Dave Throop** at the time of his retirement, May 1, 2011. This is with the understanding of G-14.0620 that such an honorary relationship has no pastoral authority or duty.

Compensation Minimums

COM opted not to raise the \$48,000 minimum full time salary in order not to add to the financial burden due to the economy, which has affected all our churches.

Lombard Mediation Training

\$10,000 of Leadership Development money was previously approved for scholarship/financial assistance for those wishing to attend (need based).

\$500 for COM members (10 scholarships)

\$350 for individuals from presbytery (up to 14)

Miscellaneous

Prayer for **Rev. Jay Chin** who has been assigned as military chaplain to Korea. Nearly 35 years since he relocated to the U.S. with his family.

COM received reports and updates from the Response Coordinating Team and from the various Pastor/Associate Pastor Nominating Committees through their COM liaisons.