

MINUTES

CALLED MEETING OF THE PRESBYTERY OF LOS RANCHOS

Trinity United Presbyterian Church, Santa Ana

May 3, 2011

The Called Meeting of the Presbytery of Los Ranchos was called to order at 2:35 p.m. by Moderator Rev. Kathy Sizer. Present were the Moderator and Stated Clerk Dr. W. Keith Geckeler. Proper notice of the meeting was made to all minister members, churches, and elder commissioners. The meeting was opened with prayer. A quorum was declared present. The following presbyters were present:

ANAHEIM, Korean (2)

101 Joonsuk Joseph Shin

BELLFLOWER, Community (2)

173 John Lee

FULLERTON, First (2)

101 Duncan McColl

103 Josh Matthews

Jan Regitz

FULLERTON, Indonesian (2)

101 John Mambu

FULLERTON, Morningside (2)

101 Sara McCurdy

GARDEN GROVE, First (2)

101 Cheryl Raine

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Christ (4)

Arlene Chatman

Phil Chatman

IRVINE, Irvine (4)

103 Kirk Winslow

Linda Clinard

Cheryl Williams

LA HABRA HILLS (2)

101 Geoff Pfaff

Bob Schwenkmeyer

Doug Whyte

LAGUNA BEACH, Laguna (4)

103 Kathy Sizer

John Gabbard

Rick Hume

LONG BEACH, Community (2)

Eloisa Velazquez

LONG BEACH, Emmanuel (2)

101 Tom Dykhuizen

LONG BEACH, Grace First (5)

103 Marion Young-Me Park

MISSION VIEJO, Ch of the Master (5)

Don Roberson

NEWPORT BEACH, St. Mark (3)

Suzanne Darweesh

NORWALK (3)

101 Bill McReynolds

NORWALK, Shin II (2)

101 Mark Hong

SANTA ANA, Canaan

101 Inn Chul "Joseph" Kim

TUSTIN (3)

Richard Loebel

Sue Currie

John Turner

WESTMINSTER, First (3)

103 Paul Muresan

OTHER MINISTERS ON THE ROLL

701 Robin Clardy

303 Tom Cramer

303 W. Keith Geckeler

797 Michael Haggin

797 Lisa Munroe-Hartman

797 Ann Oglesby-Edwards

299 John Skelly

302 Steve Yamaguchi

ELDERS ON COUNCIL

James McCurdy

Dave Swidrak

PRESBYTERY STAFF (ELDERS)

Kathy Hill Long

CERTIFIED CHRISTIAN EDUCATOR

Lynn Taylor

PURPOSE OF MEETING

This special meeting of the presbytery was called for the purpose of examining for membership the Revs. **Inn Chul Kim** and **Yoonsuk Joseph Shin**; both of whom are transferring from the Korean Presbyterian Church in America. Moderator Kathy Sizer explained the examination process to be followed.

EXAMINATIONS

Committee on Ministry Chair Rev. Sara McCurdy introduced Rev. Inn Chul Kim. Rev. Kim has been called to be the Head of Staff Pastor for Canaan Presbyterian Church in Santa Ana. Rev. Kim was invited to share his faith journey before the examination began. Mr. Sean Cho translated for Rev. Kim. After a time of examination, it was **M/S/P** to arrest the examination and Rev. Kim was excused from the room. It was **M/S/P** to receive **Rev. Inn Chul Kim** as a member of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) per the requirements of G-11.0404a,b,c,d and the intent of "Covenant Relationship between the Korean Presbyterian Church in America and the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)."

Rev. Mark Hong led in prayer for Rev. Kim, new member of Los Ranchos Presbytery.

Background: COM examined and approved Rev. Kim for membership in the presbytery and approved his call as Pastor of the newly merged Orange Canaan Presbyterian Church, Santa Ana pending successful examination by the presbytery. The congregation voted Sunday, May 1st to approve the call.

COM Chair, Rev. McCurdy introduced Rev. Yoonsuk Joseph Shin. Rev. Shin has been called to be the Head of Staff Pastor of Anaheim Korean Presbyterian Church. Rev. Shin was invited to share his faith journey before the examination began. After a time of examination, it was **M/S/P** to arrest the examination and Rev. Shin was excused from the room. It was **M/S/P** to receive **Rev. Yoonsuk Joseph Shin** as a member of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) per the requirements of G-11.0404a,b,c,d and the intent of the “Covenant Relationship between the Korean Presbyterian Church in America and the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).”

Elder John Griffin led in prayer for Rev. Shin, new member of Los Ranchos Presbytery

Background: COM examined and approved Rev. Shin for membership in the presbytery and approved his call as Pastor of the Anaheim Korean Presbyterian Church congregation pending their action to call him as pastor and pending his successful examination by the presbytery. He is presently serving that congregation as Temporary Supply.

THANKS TO HOST CHURCH and ADJOURNMENT

Having completed the business for which the meeting was called, Moderator Sizer thanked presbyters for their attendance and the host church, First Presbyterian Church of Fullerton and their Pastor, Rev. Duncan McColl for hosting the meeting. It was **M/S/P** to adjourn at 3:42 p.m. Vice Moderator Kirk Winslow closed the meeting with prayer.

ELVIRA G. ORTEZ, MINUTE CLERK

DR. W. KEITH GECKELER, STATED CLERK