

ABINGDON PRESBYTERY MINUTES
(SYNOD OF THE MID-ATLANTIC)
Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)



149th STATED MEETING
Zoom
February 8, 2024

NEXT STATED MEETING OF ABINGDON PRESBYTERY
May 9, 2024
Location: Rich Valley Presbyterian Church
Rich Valley, VA

Abingdon Presbytery seeks by the grace of God to nurture its congregations and pastors and to foster Christian unity among them, and to offer and develop leadership in order that congregations will grow in faith and in numbers, and to exhibit the Kingdom of God, thereby witnessing to the Lordship of Jesus Christ throughout Southwest Virginia and the world.

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MINUTES OF ABINGDON PRESBYTERY
149th STATED MEETING – FEBRUARY 8, 2024
ZOOM

PRESBYTERY CONVENED

The 149th Stated Meeting of Abingdon Presbytery met by Zoom on February 8, 2024.

PRESBYTERY IN WORSHIP

Reverend Ted Grant delivered the message.

ATTENDANCE

The following MINISTERS were enrolled (P=Present; E=Excused; A=Absent without excuse):

MINISTER	February 8	May 9	August 10	November 14
INSTALLED				
Aichinger, Ann	P			
Campbell, Kevin	P			
Gray, Alan	P			
Klumpp, Mike	P			
Langham, John	P			
Markel, John	P			
Taylor, Rebecca	P			
Weller, Michael	E			
Whartenby, Tom	E			
STATED				
SUPPLY/INTERIM				
Bingham, Graham	P			
Crosby, Deidra	A			
Jones, Marc	P			
Kim, Grace	P			
Matlack, Hugh	P			
HONORABLY RETIRED				
Bird, Tim	P			
Davis, Mary	E			
Gilbert, David	E			
Grant, Ted	P			
Hagen, Ted W., II	E			
Heintzleman, Jack W.	E			
Hoffman, Dennis	E			
Mayo, Wiley S.	E			
Palubicki, Tony	E			
Parker, Donald G.	E			
Tolar, Robert R., Sr.	E			
Webb, Randall E.	E			
Wing, William T.	P			

MEMBER-AT-LARGE				
Haga, Nancy Katherine	E			
Parkey, Andy	A			
ARMY CHAPLAIN				
Behrendt, Ben	P			
PRESBYTERY LEADER & STATED CLERK				
Hicks, Ann Elyse	P			
COMMISSIONED LAY PASTOR				
Endicott, Bobby	P			
Gilly, Russell	A			
Hutton, Cathy	P			
Litton, Darlene	P			
Parish, Bill	A			
Sikes, Scott	P			
Talbert, Stephen	A			
Walker, Jim	E			
Western, David	A			

The following CHURCHES were enrolled by the attendance of their elder commissioner:

CHURCH	February 8	May 10	August 10	November 14
Anchor of Hope				
Anderson Memorial	Margie Folden			
Bethel				
Big Stone Gap				
Bland-Leyburn				
Buchanan First				
Buffalo Mountain				
Castlewood				
Central	Christy Blevins			
Damascus				
Dinwiddie				
Fairview				
Fincastle	Charlotte Perdue			
Galax				
Galena	Jane Davis			
Gate City				
Glade Spring	Pam Hill			
Gladeville				
Grace				
Graham				
Green Spring	Patricia Neel			
High Point				
Hillsville	Carol Lanham			
Jewell Ridge				
Lebanon				
Locust Cove				
Maple Grove				

Mary Martin Mem.				
McCall's Gap				
McIver Memorial	Mary Ann Blevins			
Oakwood				
Pound				
Powell Valley				
Richlands				
Rich Valley				
Riverview				
Rock Spring				
Royal Oak	Steve Miller			
Seven Mile Ford				
Sinking Spring	Rodney Fogg			
Spring Creek				
Stone Memorial	Emma Sexton			
Tazewell	Joan Flynn			
Vasant				
Walnut Grove	Carol Propst			
Whitetop				
West Fork	Sharon Lowe			
Wytheville	Kym Dunford			

VISITORS IN ATTENDANCE

John Barker, Central
 Billy Rice, Presbyterian Children's Home of the
 Highlands
 Susan Mowery, Hillsville
 Lynn Spencer, Dinwiddie
 Jerry Manning, Fincastle
 Marcia Semones, Fairview
 Carol Propst, Walnut Grove
 Jack Chaffin, Anderson Memorial
 John DiYorio, Wytheville
 Guydell Slate, Dinwiddie
 Victoria Krebs, Central

Rev. Tom Gomola

The meeting was called to order and opened with prayer at 9:40 a.m. by Rev. Grace Kim, Moderator. Reverend Ann Elyse Hicks, Stated Clerk, declared a quorum present.

Elder John Barker was nominated and elected to serve as Moderator of the Presbytery for 2024.

The following Standing Committees were appointed for this meeting of Presbytery:

Recording Clerk: Mrs. April DiYorio, Associate Stated Clerk, Presbytery staff.

Elders attending Presbytery for the first time and visitors were recognized and introduced to Presbytery.

The stated clerk moved the adoption of the docket. Upon proper second, presbytery approved the adoption of the docket unanimously.

Please refer to the following pages for the minutes and votes of the scheduled business and action items from the committees of the presbytery.

At this time churches were asked to share items of good news from their congregations.

The presbytery adjourned with prayer at 10:18 a.m. The next stated meeting of Abingdon Presbytery is scheduled for May 9, 2024.

John Barker

John Barker, Moderator

Ann Elyse Hicks

Ann Elyse Hicks, Stated Clerk

DOCKET OF ABINGDON PRESBYTERY
149TH STATED MEETING
FEBRUARY 8, 2024

9:30 am	Morning Devotion	Rev. Ted Grant
9:50 am	Call to Order and Prayer by Moderator	Grace Kim
	Declaration of Quorum	Ann Elyse Hicks
	Nomination and Election of Moderator	Guydell Slate
	Elder John Barker, Central PC	
	Appointment of Standing Committees	
	Introduction of Guests and Recognition of First-time Elders	
	Introduction of New Business	
	Adoption of the Docket	
10:00 am	<u>Stated Clerk's Report</u> (p.7)	Ann Elyse Hicks
10:05 am	<u>Council Report</u> (p.8-9)	Alan Gray
10:10 am	<u>Committee on Ministry Report</u> (p.10)	Ann Aichinger
10:15 am	<u>Nominating Committee Report</u> (p.11)	Guydell Slate
10:20 am	<u>Wild Goose Administrative Commission</u>	Hugh Matlack
10:25 am	Good News Moments	
10:30 pm	Closing Prayer and Adjournment	

Written Reports

Presbyterian Children's Home of the Highlands (p.12-14)
Presbyterian Women (p.15)
Financial Reports (p.16-18)

Committees not reporting: Committee on Preparation for Ministry, Committee on Representation, Education and Leadership Development, Mission Ministries and Partnerships, Personnel and Operations, Permanent Judicial Commission

Only commissioners are allowed to vote.

Commissioners should plan to be in attendance for the entire meeting unless unusual circumstances occur.

Stated Clerk's Report
Ann Elyse Hicks, Stated Clerk

Items for Information:

1. ***Who are the members of the governing body?*** The members of the governing body are the twenty-nine (29) teaching elders who are members of Abingdon Presbytery, the nine (9) Commissioned Ruling Elders, and the forty-eight (48) ruling elder commissioners that represent the forty-eight congregations of the Presbytery. For this meeting of Presbytery, only minister members and elder commissioners have the privilege of voice and vote at this meeting.
2. If the way be clear, then visitors will be permitted to speak and participate in any round table discussions but shall not be allowed to speak in the plenary discussion or vote on issues before the Presbytery.

Items for Action:

The following constitute a single omnibus motion. Unless someone asks to take each item individually for discussion, all will be approved together as one vote.

1. That the Minutes of the November 9, 2023, stated meeting of Abingdon Presbytery at Glade Spring Presbyterian Church, Glade Spring, VA be approved.
2. That the ministers properly requesting to be excused from all or a part of the 149th Stated Meeting of Presbytery be granted their excuse, and that all Honorably Retired ministers not in attendance be excused.
3. That all non-member clergy serving in temporary pastoral relationships with Abingdon Presbytery congregations, representatives from PC(USA) governing bodies and institutions, chairs of Abingdon Presbytery Committees who are not commissioners, retired PC(USA) ministers, and candidates presented by the COM be seated as corresponding members and be granted the privilege of the floor, without vote.
4. That all written reports be received as information and be admitted to the record in the Minutes of Abingdon Presbytery.

____✓____ Motion Made ____✓____Approved _____Disapproved

Council Report

Alan Gray, Chair

Items for Information:

1. The Presbytery's Council met once since our last Presbytery meeting, on January 4, 2024, at 10:00 A.M. Alan Gray was nominated to serve as Chair for 2024.
2. The Presbytery assembly on November 9 was reviewed and critiqued. We received constructive feedback and as a result we agreed to institute two changes for future meetings: 1) To allot more time for the Synod Executive to speak whenever visiting and allow time for questions. 2) To set time limits on discussion when receiving Teaching Elders from other Presbyteries.
3. Plans for the February 8 Presbytery meeting were discussed. Since no invitation to host the meeting was received, it was decided to meet by Zoom with the option to view the meeting in-person at the presbytery office. A love offering will be taken up for Michael & Rachel Weller.
4. Upcoming Presbytery Meetings for 2024
 - a. Thursday, May 9, 2024 – need invitation – one church is considering serving as host.
 - b. Saturday, August 10*, 2024 – accepted invitation of Gate City PC to host.
(*Please note the Council approved to change this from a weekday meeting, as originally scheduled, to a Saturday meeting in order to make it possible for more potential Elder Commissioners, who might have work conflicts during the week, to be able to attend.)
 - d. November 14, 2023 – need invitation.
 - e. Please contact Alan Gray or April DiYorio if your church might be willing to host a future meeting of the Presbytery.
 - f. Our theme for 2024 Presbytery Meetings continues as, *“Matthew 25: Good News for the Least of These.”*
5. COUNCIL GOALS FOR 2024:
 - 1) Hold a follow-up review after each Presbytery meeting.
 - 2) Continue to build a stronger community at Presbytery meetings by promoting good news moments, meeting new people during lunch around tables, and visibly demonstrating the importance of community.
 - 3) To encourage and equip congregations, church leaders, and presbytery committees, to understand and implement adaptive changes to expand our understanding of church mission and ministry.
 - 4) Continue to expand accessibility and communications, including a virtual option for meetings.
 - 5) Encourage cooperative interactions and gatherings for both youth and adults, to foster greater connections beyond the stated meetings of the Presbytery.
6. The next Stated Meeting of Council will be April 4, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. If you have anything that you wish the Council to discuss, please contact Alan Gray or April DiYorio.

Items for Action:

1. In accordance with The Manual of Operations, 4.0102G, The Council nominates:
 - a. Nominating Committee: Alice Freeman (RE) and Mary Ruth Spencer (RE) to a second term, Class of 2026.

Motion Made Approved Disapproved

2. In accordance with The Manual of Operations, 4.0102H, The Council nominates:
 - a. Gydell Slate as chair of the Nominating Committee.
 - b. Linda DiYorio as chair of the Committee on Representation.

Motion Made Approved Disapproved

3. In accordance with The Manual of Operations, 4.0105, the Council nominates Alan Gray as chair of Council for 2024. (The chair must be one of the six elected members of Council.)

Motion Made Approved Disapproved

4. To appoint Reverend Rebecca Taylor to serve on the Wild Goose Administrative Commission.

Motion Made Approved Disapproved

Committee on Ministry Report

Ann Aichinger, Chair

The Committee on Ministry met in January and is currently working with several churches who are in transition in leadership. Many of our Ministers of Word and Sacrament and Certified Lay Pastors are serving as moderators of sessions or assisting with mission studies and providing leadership to congregations.

We also are keeping in touch with several of our minister members and elders of the Presbytery who are dealing with illnesses or other situations.

We are hoping to have Boundary training available soon for all clergy, CLPs, those who work with youth and children as well as church leadership. Watch for more information about this. (Note: this is required by the Book of Order).

The CLP Sub-committee had three classes on Preaching this winter for those a part of this group.

We are hoping to continue with our connectional visitations and triennial visits with churches and with pastors. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Rev. Ann Aichinger, chair of COM.

Nominating Committee Report

Guydell Slate, Chair

Items for Action:

1. Moderator, 2024:
John Barker, Central

___✓___ Motion Made ___✓___ Approved _____ Disapproved

2. Moderator-Elect, 2025:
Darlene Litton, Grace

Council:

Rev. Grace Kim, Tazewell/Wild Goose, Class of 2026

Scott Sikes, Rock Spring, Class of 2026

Rev. Ted Grant, HR, Class of 2024

Committee on Ministry:

Rev. Alan Gray, Royal Oak, Class of 2026

Rev. Ann Aichinger, Central, Class of 2026

Mary Ruth Spencer, Vansant, Class of 2026

Committee on Preparation for Ministry:

Bill Parish, Seven Mile Ford, Class of 2025

Education and Leadership Development:

Rev. Hugh Matlack, Anchor of Hope/Galena, Class of 2026

Virginia Grant, Class of 2026

Mission Ministries and Partnerships:

Rev. Marc Jones, Fairview, Class of 2026

Rev. Deidra Crosby, Green Spring, Class of 2026

Linda DiYorio, Wytheville, Class of 2026

Personnel and Operations:

John Barker, Central, Class of 2026

Permanent Judicial Commission:

Susan Lowry, Sinking Spring, Class of 2029

Bobby Endicott, Stone Memorial, Class of 2029

___✓___ Motion Made ___✓___ Approved _____ Disapproved

THANK YOU

Abingdon Presbytery

FOR HELPING US GIVE CHILDREN HOPE AND PURPOSE FOR THE FUTURE

A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY SEASON AT THE CHILDREN'S HOME

Once again, our ministry was blessed by tremendous support during the holidays. I want to thank all the congregations that participated in the Thanksgiving Offering for your generosity – it is greatly appreciated! The children had a wonderful Christmas holiday. It began with our children's volunteer project, which this year was painting dog houses that would then be distributed to families in need to help take care of their pets. The highlight of the season was our Christmas Dinner and program on December 20th. It began with a wonderful meal in our dining hall, followed by worship and singing in the chapel. We continued our tradition of reading the christmas story, keeping in mind that for many of our children this is their first opportunity to understand the true meaning of Christmas. The final part of the evening was the opening of gifts by the children. They were very excited and appreciative of the generosity of the people that helped us provide such a nice christmas. Most of our children were with us on Christmas Day, so there were some gifts held back for that morning. It was a blessed time for us. Thanks to everyone who helped make it so special!

FOSTER'S CLOSET UPDATE – WE ARE TAKING CLOTHING

Good news – we have begun taking clothing for Foster's Closet! It is time to go through your closets and bring us your clean and gently used clothing as we prepare for distribution events later this year. You can bring the clothing to the Children's Home, or you can arrange for us to pick it up. We can also use clothes hangers and clothing racks. We need clothing for all age groups, so please donate what you can. If you have any questions, please call us. We cannot wait to get this project off the ground!

AMBASSADOR PROGRAM

We are seeking a Children's Home Ambassador from every congregation in our Synod. The Ambassador will be a liaison between the Children's Home and the congregation. We will be supplying the Ambassador with information to pass along to the congregation, including bulletin inserts. We are hoping our Ambassadors will help us with keeping their churches up to date on the happenings at the Children's Home between visits. We are asking that the Ambassador fill out a short application so that we will be able to contact you through both your phone and email address. The Ambassador will be our contact with our church and will help organize special events, such as the Thanksgiving Offering for Children's Services. If you are interested in becoming an Ambassador, please call the Children's Home at (276) 228-2861 or email Billy Rice at billy@pchh.org or Dale Yontz at dale@pchh.org. We look forward to hearing from you!

COVENANT CHURCHES

I want to take this opportunity to remind our congregations about our Covenant Church program. Many of the congregations in Abingdon Presbytery are being honored for their support of the Children's Home, but we want all of our churches to be listed on the wall in our Board Room. If your church has faithfully supported our ministry over the years, then you already meet the qualifications for membership. We recently sent out letters to churches who are not currently members. There has been some response, but there is still room for growth. Please call the Children's Home and let us know if your church would like to be a member – we want to honor your support!

NEW DAWN SOCIETY

We are searching for supporters who wish to become members of the New Dawn Society. The New Dawn Society consists of friends of the Children's Home who include PCHH in their estate planning, regardless of the amount. Members of the New Dawn Society receive a certificate and an engraved leaf will be placed on our donor tree, which is located in our conference room. Gifts such as these provide

the funds to ensure that the Children's Home will be here to serve children long past our lifetimes. Members of the New Dawn Society who have passed away recently have made a tremendous contribution to the financial health of the Children's Home. Please consider how your gift can impact the lives of our children as you enter into your estate planning.

If you would like for one of our staff members to visit your church or civic group so you can learn more about the Children's Home, please let us know. It is a pleasure to share with you what your support means to us as we watch over the children God has blessed to our care.

Thank You for Your Support!



ABINGDON PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN, SYNOD OF THE MID-ATLANTIC
Moderator's Report to Presbytery

The Women of Abingdon Presbytery continue to work toward and celebrate the pursuit of justice, peace, equity, leadership, charity, Bible study, and spiritual growth.

The Communications Committee of Abingdon PW has distributed by e-mail the updated form for the **2023 Individual Church PW Moderator/Historian's Report**. Completed reports from each church should be e-mailed to Carol Propst at cpropst980@comcast.net by Monday, **February 12, 2024**, or printed and mailed USPS to Carol Propst, 924 Beverly Drive, Apt. #4, Abingdon, VA j 24210-5000, postmarked by that date. *Important: ALL churches should submit the report, regardless of whether your church has an organized PW or other women's group. In addition to documenting the women's activities and projects at your church for the calendar year 2023, this is the report from which we gather the information for the **Women's Necrology service** to be held at the Spring Gathering at Sinking Spring PC in April. Our goal is to honor ALL the women of our Presbytery who passed away In 2023. The Necrology report is also included in the annual report that I send to the archive at Columbia Theological Seminary every spring.*

The Abingdon PW Coordinating Team hopes to meet in February at the fellowship hall at Glade Spring PC for a business meeting and planning session for the upcoming PW Spring Gathering which is scheduled for April 20, 2024, at Sinking Spring PC. Stay tuned for more updates about the Gathering that will be posted on *Messages from the Mountaintop* and sent by e-mail and USPS.

Exciting news! The **Presbyterian Women's Churchwide Gathering** will be held in St. Louis, Missouri, on **August 8-11, 2024**. Please contact Carol if you are interested in attending this international event! For more information, visit 2024pwcwg.org. Both in-person and online options are available.

Finally, please contact Carol at cpropst980@comcast.net or call (423) 534-1849 if you have changes for the Abingdon PW Directory, which we revise every year, or have ideas for gatherings or ways that Abingdon PW and the SMA PW Spiritual Nurture Committee can better serve your individual members or congregations.

Abingdon PW seeks ways to serve God and the community with purposeful action and sincerely appreciates the support and prayers of the men and women of Abingdon Presbytery.

On behalf of the Coordinating Team, many thanks to Abingdon Presbytery for your prayers, participation, and support of Presbyterian Women and our work throughout the year.

~Carol Propst, Moderator

2023 UNIFIED MISSION PLEDGES

	CHURCH	PAID 2022	PLEGDED	PAID 2023	
1	Anchor of Hope	2,000.00		2000	
2	Anderson Memorial		1,000.00	1000	
3	Bethel	1,750.00	1,750.00	1750	
4	Big Stone Gap	924.00		1092	
5	Bland-Leyburn	2,272.92	2,272.92	2272.92	
6	Buchanan, First	500.00			
7	Buffalo Mountain	1,500.00		1500	
8	Castlewood	300	420	420	
9	Central	18,947.00	18,947.00	18946.98	
10	Damascus		x	x	
11	Dinwiddie	1,500.00	1,500.00		
12	Fairview	3,000.00	2,000.00	2000	
13	Fincastle	3,000.00		3000	
14	Galax First	6,500.00	5,000.00	4500	
15	Galena	2,000.00	2,000.00	2000	
16	Gate City		400.00	400	
17	Glade Spring	6000	7,200.00	7200	
18	Gladeville	4,000.00		4000	
19	Grace	2200	2200	2200	
20	Graham		x	x	
21	Green Spring	6,242.00		5000	
22	High Point	1,500.00	1500	1500	
23	Hillsville	6000	6000	6000	
24	Jewell Ridge				
25	Lebanon	2,500.00	2,500.00	2500	
26	Locust Cove			400	
27	Maple Grove	650			
28	Mary Martin Mem.				
29	McCall's Gap				
30	Mclver Memorial	1,100.00	1,100.00	1325	
31	Oakwood	200			
32	Pound	2,400.00	2,400.00		
33	Powell Valley	500		500	
34	Richlands	5,000.00		5000	
35	Rich Valley	5000		5500	
37	Rock Spring				
38	Royal Oak	2,000.00	2,000.00	2000	
39	Seven Mile Ford	100.00		100	
40	Sinking Spring	10,000.00		10000	
41	Spring Creek				
42	Stone Memorial	1,500.00		1500	
43	Tazewell	11,539.44		11539.44	
44	Vasant	1,000.00	1,000.00	1000	
45	Walnut Grove	3,500.00	3,500.00	3500	
46	Whitetop	120.00	120.00	120	
47	Wytheville	12,000.00	12,000.00	12000	
48	West Fork	1500	1,500.00	1500	
NWC	Wild Goose	1,000.00	1,000.00	1000	
	TOTAL	131,745.36	79,309.92	126,266.34	159.21%
					as of 1/22/2024

ACCT.	DESCRIPTION	Budgeted Amount	Actual YTD	% of Budget Used
INCOME				
1-40009	Unified Mission (\$79,309.92 Pledged)	135,500.00	126,266.34	93.19%
	Love of Jesus	5,748.00	5,742.36	99.90%
	Maranatha Bible Church	4,000.00	4,000.00	100.00%
	MLB Kroll Partnership	3,369.00	3,743.80	111.12%
	Presbytery Leader Funds	105,082.30	97,079.34	92.38%
	TOTAL:	\$253,699.30	\$236,831.84	93.35%
EXPENSES				
COUNCIL				
PRESBYTERY LEADER				
1-50010	SALARY	41,200.00	41,220.50	100.05%
1-50011	SECA	5,064.30	5,064.30	100.00%
1-50012	HOUSING	25,000.00	25,000.00	100.00%
1-50013	PENSIONS/INSURANCE	25,818.00	25,818.00	100.00%
1-50014	TRAVEL EXPENSE	4,500.00	3,133.52	69.63%
1-50015	PROF. EXPENSES	1,500.00	281.92	18.79%
1-50016	CONTINUING EDUCATION	2,000.00	940.54	47.03%
	TOTAL:	105,082.30	\$101,458.78	96.55%
OFFICE MANAGER/APRIL				
1-50020	SALARY	42,772.81	42,782.37	100.02%
1-50022	PENSION/INSURANCE	30,770.00	30,888.48	100.39%
1-50023	TRAVEL	300.00	188.38	62.79%
1-50061	FICA-EMPLOYER'S SHARE	3,272.12	3,255.60	99.50%
1-50071	CONTINUING EDUCATION	1,200.00	175.00	14.58%
	TOTAL:	78,314.93	\$77,289.83	98.69%
OFFICE/OPERATION				
1-50051	TELEPHONE	3,400.00	3,153.93	92.76%
1-50054	PRESBYTERY AUDIT	7,200.00	3,105.00	43.13%
1-50055	POSTAGE	800.00	485.45	60.68%
1-50056	OFFICE SUPPLIES	500.00	357.40	71.48%
1-50057	EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE	2,700.00	2,692.89	99.74%
1-50059	ACS/SUPPORT	2,500.00	2,000.31	80.01%
1-50065	RENT-WYTHEVILLE PRESBYTERIAN	7,500.00	7,500.00	100.00%
	TOTAL:	24,600.00	\$19,294.98	78.43%
CORPORATION				
1-50060	WORKMAN'S COMPENSATION	750.00	853.00	113.73%
1-50062	SCC ANNUAL REG. FEE	25.00	25.00	100.00%
1-50063	OFFICE INSURANCE & BOND	750.00	863.00	115.07%
	TOTAL:	1,525.00	\$1,741.00	114.16%

<u>ACCT.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>Budgeted Amount</u>	<u>Actual YTD</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>
PASTORAL SUPPORT/COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY				
1-50080	SHARED MINISTRY	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!
1-50081	CONT.ED. & COUNSELING	1,000.00	500.00	50.00%
1-50084	COMMISSIONED LAY PASTOR	1,500.00	102.63	6.84%
	TOTAL:	\$2,500.00	\$602.63	24.11%
PASTORAL SUPPORT/PREPARATION FOR MINISTRY				
1-50090	CANDIDATE EXPENSES	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!
1-50091	SCHOLARSHIPS	0.00	0.00	#DIV/0!
	TOTAL:	\$0.00	\$0.00	#DIV/0!
MISSION MINISTRIES AND PARTNERSHIPS COMMITTEE				
1-50097	COMMITTEE USE	1,500.00	1,481.53	98.77%
	TOTAL:	\$1,500.00	\$1,481.53	98.77%
EDUCATION AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE				
1-50100	EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES	5,000.00	3,053.60	61.07%
	TOTAL:	\$5,000.00	\$3,053.60	61.07%
ADMINISTRATIVE COMMISSION FOR WGCC				
1-50105	COMMITTEE USE	\$1,000.00	\$507.39	50.74%
	TOTAL:	\$1,000.00	\$507.39	
WAY FORWARD ADVISORY COMMITTEE				
1-50106	COMMITTEE USE	\$250.00	\$0.00	0.00%
	TOTAL:	\$250.00	\$0.00	0.00%
PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN				
1-50112	PW OF ABINGDON PRESBYTERY	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	100.00%
	TOTAL:	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	100.00%
SUPPORT				
1-50110	CHILDREN'S HOME	5,000.00	5,000.00	100.00%
	TOTAL:	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	100.00%
PER CAPITA				
1-50002	GENERAL ASSEMBLY	\$24,707.00	\$24,969.75	101.06%
1-50003	SYNOD	\$2,957.00	\$2,915.25	98.59%
	TOTAL:	\$27,664.00	\$27,885.00	100.80%
	TOTAL:	\$253,936.23	\$239,814.74	94.44%
			-\$2,982.90	12/31/2023

**CHRONOLOGICAL LISTING OF PAST MODERATORS OF ABINGDON PRESBYTERY MEETINGS
JANUARY 1, 1980 –FEBRUARY 8, 2024**

<u>MEETING</u>	<u>MODERATOR</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>CHURCH</u>
FIRST	STUART B. CAMPBELL, JR. (E)	1-29-80	GLADE SPRING
SECOND	CHARLES S. McCHESNEY	4-15-80	BUCHANAN
THIRD	JACK B. McCARTY (E)	6-24-80	CHILDREN'S HOME
FOURTH	HUGH D. BOWERS	10-09-80	GLADEVILLE
FIFTH	HUGH D. BOWERS	1-22-81	CENTRAL
SIXTH	ACIE E. BRYANT	5-12-81	RICHLANDS
SEVENTH	FRANK E. WHITE (E)	10-08-81	SINKING SPRING
ADJOURN.MTG.	FRANK E. WHITE (E)	10-22-81	SINKING SPRING
CALLED MTG.	FRANK E. WHITE (E)	1-19-82	SINKING SPRING
EIGHTH	BRYAN C. CHILDRESS	2-08-82	TAZEWELL
NINTH	JOSEPH C. KELLEY (E)	5-13-82	GREEN SPRING
TENTH	ELMON H. BROWN, JR.	9-23-82	ROYAL OAK
ELEVENTH	JACK KIBLER (E)	12-02-82	GLADE SPRING
TWELFTH	PAUL E. CORBETT, JR.	2-17-83	CENTRAL
THIRTEENTH	PAUL E. CORBETT, JR.	5-17-83	McIVER MEMORIAL
FOURTEENTH	BARBARA HOOPER (E)	6-30-83	FAIRVIEW
FIFTEENTH	CHARLES STEVENS CATHCART	9-29-83	BUCHANAN FIRST
SIXTEENTH	ERNEST O. MARTIN (E)	12-08-83	WYTHEVILLE
SEVENTEENTH	WILLIAM O. MOORE, JR.	2-09-84	ANDERSON MEMORIAL
EIGHTEENTH	GARREN McGLOTHLIN (E)	5-10-84	GRAHAM
NINETEENTH	GARREN McGLOTHLIN (E)	7-19-84	CHILDREN'S HOME
TWENTIETH	MURPHY D. MILLER	9-13-84	ROCK SPRING
TWENTY-FIRST	DAPHNE McCORD (E)	12-13-84	SINKING SPRING
TWENTY-SECOND	CLAUDE DAVIS (E)	1-19-85	GATE CITY
TWENTY-THIRD	MURPHY D. MILLER	3-30-85	EMORY & HENRY
TWENTY-FOURTH	HELEN NAPPS (E)	5-09-85	RICHLANDS
TWENTY-FIFTH	JAMES G. CARPENTER	9-12-85	NORTON
TWENTY-SIXTH	JOHN LEWIS SANDERFORD	12-12-85	TAZEWELL
TWENTY-SEVENTH	CHRISTOPHER E. MEYER, 111	2-13-86	KING COLLEGE
TWENTY-EIGHTH	CHRISTOPHER E. MEYER, 111	4-01-86	SINKING SPRING
TWENTY-NINTH	MARY RUPKE (E)	5-08-86	CENTRAL
CALLED MTG.	CHRISTOPHER E. MEYER, 111	7-26-86	GLADE SPRING
THIRTIETH	DELACY A. ANDREWS, JR.	9-11-86	GALAX
THIRTY-FIRST	FRANCES M. HOGE (E)	12-11-86	GLADE SPRING
THIRTY-SECOND	ROBERT N. LOMINACK, JR.	2-11-87	ROYAL OAK
THIRTY-THIRD	MAUDE L. SMITH (E)	5-21-87	HILLSVILLE
THIRTY-FOURTH	THOMAS J. WHARTENBY, JR.	10-17-87	CENTRAL
THIRTY-FIFTH	MILLARD FARMER (E)	12-10-87	WYTHEVILLE
THIRTY-SIXTH	JAMES B. HOLLENHEAD	2-20-88	CHILDREN'S HOME
THIRTY-SEVENTH	JAMES B. HOLLENHEAD	5-13 & 14-88	KING COLLEGE
CALLED MTG	JAMES B. HOLLENHEAD	7-21-88	WYTHEVILLE
THIRTY-EIGHTH	JESSE M. BRATTON	9-15-88	TAZEWELL
THIRTY-NINTH	PETA PATTON (E)	12-8-88	GALENA
FORTIETH	CURTIS A. MURRAY	2-16-89	GLADE SPRING
CALLED MTG	CURTIS A. MURRAY	3-11-89	ROYAL OAK
CALLED MTG	CURTIS A. MURRAY	3-28-89	WYTHEVILLE
NON-BUSINESS MTG	PETA PATTON (E)	4-15-89	SINKING SPRING
FORTY-FIRST	CURTIS A. MURRAY	5-18-89	KING COLLEGE
FORTY-SECOND	PETER N. SMITH	9-14-89	FAIRVIEW
FORTY-THIRD	THOMAS SPROULE	2-15-90	WYTHEVILLE
NON-BUSINESS MTG.	THIAS SIKORA (E)	4-28-90	ROYAL OAK
FORTY-FOURTH	MARGARET DICKSON (E)	6-14-90	GALAX
FORTY-FIFTH	JAMES A. DAUGHERTY	9-13-90	BIG STONE GAP
FORTY-SIXTH	RHEA F. MOORE, JR. (E)	12-01-90	LEBANON
FORTY-SEVENTH	REV. ROCKWELL SMITH	3-21-91	HILLSVILLE

FORTY-EIGHTH	WILLIAM PARISH, 111 (E)	6-15-91	BUCHANAN
FORTY-NINTH	RAYMOND RIDDLEBERGER	11-14-91	ANDERSON MEMORIAL
FIFTIETH	JEFFREY L. LOWRANCE	3-19-92	TAZEWELL
FIFTY-FIRST	MAY JOE CRAIG (E)	6-20-92	BETHEL
FIFTY-SECOND	VAUGHN EARL HARTSELL	11-21-92	ANCHOR OF HOPE
FIFTY-THIRD	VAUGHN EARL HARTSELL	3-23-93	WYTHEVILLE
FIFTY-FOURTH	RICHARD P. STONE	6-19-93	JEWELL RIDGE
CALLED MTG	RICHARD P. STONE	9-11-93	ROYAL OAK
FIFTY-FIFTH	LINDA MORRIS (E)	11-18-93	GRACE/McCALL'S GAP
FIFTY-SIXTH	EUGENE BALDWIN	3-17-94	ROYAL OAK
FIFTY-SEVENTH	JOHN PERRY ALDERMAN (E)	6-04-94	CHILDREN'S HOME
CALLED MTG	MARGARET DICKSON (E)	10-01-94	GLADE SPRING
FIFTY-EIGHTH	WILLIAM J. YOUMANS	11-18-94	GREEN SPRING
FIFTY-NINTH	DWIGHT SPEEKS (E)	3-16-95	CHILDREN'S HOME
SIXTIETH	TOM HAY	6-10-95	GLADE SPRING
SIXTY-FIRST	BARBARA HOOPER (E)	11-16-95	LEBANON & PARISH
SIXTY-SECOND	MICHAEL G. WINGARD	3-14-96	CENTRAL
SIXTY-THIRD	EDGAR WHITEHEAD (E)	6-08-96	INDIAN VALLEY
SIXTY-FOURTH	LINDA DiYORIO (E)	11-14-96	RICHLANDS
SIXTY-FIFTH	TEMPE FUSSELL	3-06-97	ROYAL OAK
SIXTY-SIXTH	SHELDON SORGE	6-07-97	DINWIDDIE
SIXTY-SEVENTH	JOE BOWEN (E)	11-13-97	TAZEWELL
SIXTY-EIGHTH	MARY GUYNN (E)	3-12-98	GALAX
SIXTY-NINTH	CURTIS FUSSELL	6-06-98	RICH VALLEY
SEVENTIETH	TOM McCONNELL (E)	11-12-98	SINKING SPRING
SEVENTY-FIRST	MARION ALDERMAN (E)	3-11-99	WALNUT GROVE
SEVENTY-SECOND	GEORGE W. ALEXANDER	6-05-99	BUCHANAN FIRST
SEVENTY-THIRD	JAMES H. GRANT	11-06-99	GLADE SPRING
SEVENTY-FOURTH	ELEANOR REID (E)	3-09-2000	WYTHEVILLE
SEVENTY-FIFTH	MIKE SHORTRIDGE (E)	6-10-2000	BUFFALO MOUNTAIN
SEVENTY-SIXTH	ROBERT THORNTON	11-09-2000	CHILDREN'S HOME
SEVENTY-SEVENTH	TIM BIRD	3-15-2001	HILLSVILLE
SEVENTY-EIGHTH	PHYLLIS CANTER (E)	6-02-2001	RIVERVIEW
SEVENTY-NINTH	ROBERT TOLAR, JR.	11-15-2001	FAIRVIEW
EIGHTIETH	GUY RICHARD CARDOT	3-14-2002	RICHLANDS
EIGHTY-FIRST	JOHN E. MARKEL	6-08-2002	RICH VALLEY
EIGHTY-SECOND	ALICE FREEMAN (E)	11-14-02	GREEN SPRING
EIGHTY-THIRD	ALAN GRAY	3-13-03	ROYAL OAK
EIGHTY-FOURTH	RACHEL VAUGHN (E)	6-14-03	SEVEN MILE FORD
EIGHTY-FIFTH	ALAN BALDWIN (E)	11-12-03	GALAX FIRST
EIGHTY-SIXTH	WYTHE HULL (E)	3-11-04	GLADE SPRING
EIGHTY-SEVENTH	JONATHAN SMITH	6-12-04	HILLSVILLE
EIGHTY-EIGHTH	ALAN GRAY	11-11-04	CHILDREN'S HOME
EIGHTY-NINTH	JOE BOWEN (E)	3-10-05	SINKING SPRING
NINETIETH	GEORGE AICHEL	6-11-05	FINCASTLE
NINETY-FIRST	FRANK PRESTON	11-10-05	WYTHEVILLE
NINTEY-SECOND	BRAD SIMPSON	3-09-06	BUCHANAN FIRST
NINETY-THIRD	MIKE SHORTRIDGE (E)	6-08-06	BIG STONE GAP/POWELL VALLEY
NINETY-FOURTH	WILLIAM WING	11-9-06	GATE CITY
NINETY-FIFTH	GRACE BRADSHAW (E)	3-8-07	CENTRAL
NINETY-SIXTH	CINDY PRIVETTE	6-21-07	GALENA
CALLED MEETING	CINDY PRIVETTE	9-23-07	GLADE SPRING
NINETY-SEVENTH	TERRY MORRIS (E)	11-9-07	RICHLANDS
NINETY-EIGHTH	CATHY CARPENTER	3-13-08	MARY'S
NINETY-NINTH	GUYDELL SLATE (E)	6-19-08	DINWIDDIE
ONE-HUNDREDTH	DAVID WADSWORTH	11-13-08	SINKING SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED FIRST	BILL PARISH (E)	3-19-09	HILLSVILLE
ONE-HUNDRED SECOND	KAREN LONG	6-11-09	TAZEWELL
CALLED MEETING	BILL PARISH (E)	9-1-09	SINKING SPRING

ONE-HUNDRED THIRD	MAVA VASS (E)	11-12-09	BUCHANAN FIRST
ONE-HUNDRED FOURTH	JOHN MARKEL	3-11-10	VANSANT
ONE-HUNDRED FIFTH	JOHN MARKEL	6-10-10	WYTHEVILLE
ONE-HUNDRED SIXTH	JOHN MARKEL	11-11-10	GREEN SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED SEVENTH	FRANK BLANTON (E)	3-10-11	ROYAL OAK
ONE-HUNDRED EIGHTH	TONY PALUBICKI	6-09-11	CENTRAL
CALLED MEETING	FRANK BLANTON (E)	7-28-11	GALENA
CALLED MEETING	FRANK BLANTON (E)	9-29-11	SINKING SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED NINTH	FRANK BLANTON (E)	11-10-11	GLADE SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED TENTH	TONY PALUBICKI	03-08-12	WALNUT GROVE
ONE-HUNDRED ELEVENTH	TONY PALUBICKI	06-14-12	GALAX
CALLED MEETING	TONY PALUBICKI	09-13-12	GLADE SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED TWELFTH	TONY PALUBICKI	11-08-12	HILLSVILLE
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTEENTH	PHYLLIS CANTER	3-14-13	TAZEWELL
ONE-HUNDRED FOURTEENTH	PHYLLIS CANTER	6-13-13	ANDERSON MEMORIAL
ONE-HUNDRED FIFTEENTH	PHYLLIS CANTER	11-14-13	GREEN SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED SIXTEENTH	ALAN GRAY	03-13-14	LEBANON
ONE-HUNDRED SEVENTEENTH	ALAN GRAY	06-07-14	WILD GOOSE
ONE-HUNDRED EIGHTEENTH	ALAN GRAY	11-13-14	WYTHEVILLE
ONE-HUNDRED NINETEENTH	BILL PARISH	03-12-15	CENTRAL
CALLED MEETING	BILL PARISH	04-23-15	ROYAL OAK
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTIETH	BILL PARISH	06-11-15	BUCHANAN FIRST
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTY-FIRST	JON MARTIN	11-12-15	GREEN SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTY-SECOND	JON MARTIN	03-10-16	CENTRAL
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTY-THIRD	JON MARTIN	06-11-16	FINCASTLE
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTY-FOURTH	JON MARTIN	11-12-16	SINKING SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTY-FIFTH	GRACE BRADSHAW	03-09-17	CENTRAL
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTY-SIXTH	GRACE BRADSHAW	06-08-17	CHILDREN'S HOME
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTY-SEVENTH	GRACE BRADSHAW	11-04-17	RICHLANDS
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHTH	KEVIN CAMPBELL	03-08-18	CENTRAL
ONE-HUNDRED TWENTY-NINTH	KEVIN CAMPBELL	06-07-18	GREEN SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTIETH	KEVIN CAMPBELL	11-08-18	KING UNIVERSITY
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTY-FIRST	ANN AICHINGER	03-14-19	FAIRVIEW
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTY-SECOND	ANN AICHINGER	08-10-19	GLADE SPRING
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTY-THRID	ANN AICHINGER	11-07-19	TAZEWELL
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTY-FOURTH	JIM GEARHART	03-12-20	BETHEL
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTY-FIFTH	JIM GEARHART	06-11-20	BUCHANAN FIRST (VIA ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTY-SIXTH	JIM GEARHART	11-12-20	VIA ZOOM
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVENTH	BRENDA LAWSON	01-14-21	VIA ZOOM
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTY-EIGHTH	BRENDA LAWSON	04-08-21	VIA ZOOM
ONE-HUNDRED THIRTY-NINTH	BRENDA LAWSON	07-08-21	SINKING SPRING (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTIETH	BRENDA LAWSON	11-12-21	WYTHEVILLE (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-FIRST	JOHN MARKEL	01-13-22	CENTRAL (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-SECOND	JOHN MARKEL	05-12-22	HILLSVILLE (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-THIRD	JOHN MARKEL	08-11-22	WALNUT GROVE (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-FOURTH	JOHN MARKEL	11-10-22	SINKING SPRING (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-FIFTH	JOHN BARKER	02-09-23	CENTRAL (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-SIXTH	GRACE KIM	05-11-23	DINWIDDIE (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-SEVENTH	GRACE KIM	08-10-23	PCHH (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-EIGHTH	GRACE KIM	11-09-23	GLADE SPRING (AND ZOOM)
ONE-HUNDRED FORTY-NINTH	JOHN BARKER	02-08-24	ZOOM

Abingdon Presbytery PJC Roster

<i>Last Name</i>	<i>First Name</i>	<i>(M) inister/ (E) lder</i>	<i>Class of</i>
Bird	Tim	M	2025
Parish-Roche	Erica	E	2025
Kim	Grace	M	2027
Gearhart	Jim	E	2027
Palubicki	Tony	M	2027
Lowry	Susan	E	2029
Endicott	Bobby	E	2029

Abingdon Presbytery Former PJC Members

<i>Last Name</i>	<i>First Name</i>	<i>(M) inister/ (E) lder</i>	<i>Class of</i>
Elyea	Mary Ann	E	2005
Bowen	Joe	E	2005
Humphreys, Jr.	Levi	M	2005
McAfee	Julia	E	2007
Chapin	Larry	M	2007
McGlothlin	Sandy	E	2009
Whartenby, Jr.	Tom	M	2009
Lacy	Chuck	E	2011
Aust	Glen	E	2011
Fowlkes	Rachel	E	2011
Bowen	Joe	E	2013
Kronk	Ron	M	2013
Campbell	Kevin	M	2015
Bagwell	John	E	2015
Legg	Gale	E	2015
Bradshaw	Grace	E	2017
Phillips	Helen	E	2017
Whartenby	Tom	M	2019
Freeman	Isaac	E	2019
Altizer	David	E	2021
Martin	Jon	M	2021
Fowlkes	Rachel	E	2021
Noblett	Edna	E	2023
Jones	Jeff	E	2023