

**PRESBYTERY OF DETROIT
GATHERED AS THE BODY OF CHRIST
FOR WORSHIPFUL WORK
SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 2018
Grosse Ile Presbyterian Church
7925 Horsemill Rd., Grosse Ile, MI
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*Strengthening and Transforming Our Congregations to be
Missional, Pastoral, Prophetic*
"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled" Matt 5:6 (NRSV).
The exhibition of the Kingdom of Heaven to the world. F-1.0304

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Note that the docket and announcements are projected on the screen.

ON-LINE VIDEOS: Introduction to the Meeting and New Commissioner Orientation.

9:00 a.m.

Business under the Moderator—Rev. John Judson

Convene with Prayer

Declaration of a quorum.

Business under the Stated Clerk—Rev. Ed Koster

Adoption of the Docket

☐ 9:05 a.m. WE PROCLAIM THE GOOD NEWS (30)

Rev. Jill Mills, Michigan Poor People's Campaign: A National Call for Moral Renewal

The exhibition of the Kingdom of Heaven to the World. F-1.0304 (60)

Panel Discussion (30)

Questions and small groups (30)

10:35 a.m. WE CELEBRATE OUR CONNECTIONS IN CHRIST (20)

Business under the Moderator—Rev. John Judson (5)

Appointment: Assistant to the Stated Clerk

Welcome to new commissioners and ministers

Business under the Stated Clerk—Rev. Ed Koster (5)

Enrollment, including corresponding members and excuses

10:45 a.m. Welcome from Host Church Rev. Phil Reed

Discussion and dedication of shared mission pledges. (10)

10:55 a.m. WE LISTEN FOR THE WORK OF THE SPIRIT IN OUR COMMUNITY

Reports (15)

Hands-On Mission. (5)

Hunger Ministry. Cereal Campaign Report. (5)

Metropolitan Urban Mission. Report on Ranney-Balch Grants (5)

11:10 a.m. WE RESPOND TO CHRIST'S CALL TO MISSION AND MINISTRY

Executive Presbyter's Report—Rev. Dr. Allen D. Timm (10)

Prayer for Openness

Business to be Adopted by Motion and Debate

Motions from the Floor

Committee Items for Action:

Letters in the upper corners of Presbytery papers correspond to the list below. Items for Presbytery vote are in the papers that have a number and a letter in the top right-hand corner of the paper. Some papers have been mailed to you and are not duplicated for Presbytery meetings.

11:20 D. Coordinating Cabinet: Elder Stefanie Lewis (5)

11:25 F. Committee on Nominations: Elder Peter Henry (5)

11:30 S. Fort Street Administrative Commission (15)

11:45 N. Committee on Ministry: Rev. Mary Austin (25)

12:10 B. Omnibus motion. Stated Clerk (5)

12:15 C. Treasurer: Elder Timothy Ngare (10)

12:25 B. Stated Clerk: Rev. Edward Koster (5)

12:30 Service of Recognition for Joshua Archey as a Certified Christian Educator serving Farmington First. (10)

12:40 p.m. WE GIVE THANKS TO GOD
Sharing Joys and Concerns
Prayers of Thanks and Intercession
Sharing Christ's Peace with One Another

12:45 p.m. WE GO OUT IN GOD'S NAME
Charge and Benediction

The Presbytery of Detroit, along with all its meetings and activities, is a gun-free zone

Except for orders of the day, all docket times are approximate.

Please refer to the written liturgy attached to the agenda.

The next stated meeting of Presbytery will convene at 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 25, 2018 at Dearborn First Presbyterian Church.

RULES OF ORDER FOR PRESBYTERY MEETINGS

Special Rules of Order (From Presbytery By-laws) These rules may be suspended by a two-thirds vote.

- Speeches during debate shall be limited to three minutes.
- Business requiring a motion, debate, and a vote may be considered only during the portion of the agenda designated for such business.
- Where the maker of a motion requests it upon making the motion, he or she has the privilege of speaking first and last to the motion made.

Stewardship of Time

- Every event on the docket that has a time associated with it will be timed by the assistant to the clerk using the timing light.
- When the light turns from green to yellow, you will have 30 seconds more.
- When the light turns red, you must stop.

Motions from the Floor

- If possible, motions should be written and given to the Stated Clerk to insure proper recording.
- If you know ahead of time that you will be bringing business during "MOTIONS FROM THE FLOOR," please notify the Stated Clerk.
- Business under that section of the docket is limited to items upon which the Presbytery must vote.