

Stated Meeting  
First Presbyterian Church  
June 25, 2025 6:30 PM, Meeting Room

Elders Present: Jackie Burkhouse, AJ Conti, Diane Crosthwaite, Jodi Fenwick, Dave Gibson, Linda Rinehart, Bob Sements, Roger Wade, and Kathy Wickline  
Moderator-Rev. Diane Flynn, Clerk of Session-Kathi Kinney, Treasurer- Kathy Strohm  
Guest: Nebbie Brown

A quorum was present.

The meeting was opened with prayer.

Pastor Diane informed the Session of her first meeting with the newly elected Deacons and discussed what some of their duties may be as well as asking for suggestions for same.

**Session Actions:**

1. On **motion, second and VOTED** the minutes of May 15, 2025 were approved.
2. On **motion and VOTED** to approve the VBS volunteers upon receipt of their negative background checks:

Laura Atwood	Debby Galloway
Tyler Atwood	Donna Maley
Natalie Carbonara	Chris Martin
Thelma Carlson	Roxane Martin
AJ Conti	Linda Rinehart
Amanda Conti	Cathy Segrist
Diane Crosthwaite	Kathy Strohm
Kevin Crosthwaite	Kathy Wickline
Val Floyd	Bee Adams

Teen Helpers: Rowan Atwood, Sophia Brown, Emily Martin, Joshua Condo
3. On **motion and VOTED** to approve the week of July 19-23, **2026** for VBS.
4. On **motion, second and VOTED** to set the date for the presentation of the Communion Table cloth as November 23, 2025.
5. On **motion, second and VOTED** to authorize \$750 to reimburse the worship budget for the A/V update with monies from the Kennedy fund.
6. On **motion, second and VOTED** the financial report was accepted and will be submitted for audit.
7. On **motion, second and VOTED** to give Nebbie Brown voice but no vote.
8. On **motion, second and VOTED** to purchase water to be passed out during the July 4<sup>th</sup> parade with a limit of \$100.

9. On **motion, second and VOTED** that personal emails may not be used on public media including Facebook, First Thoughts, and the church website.
10. On **motion, second and VOTED** to transfer the membership of Adam Van Duzen to Church in the Hills in Michigan.
11. On **motion, second and VOTED** to cancel the July Session meeting.
12. Linda Rinehart will be the Commissioner to Presbytery meeting on August 19, 2025.

**Reports were received from:**

1. Pastor's Report was distributed
2. Clerk's Report was distributed.
3. Administrative Team Report- late meeting
4. Education Team Report was distributed.
5. Stewardship Team Report was distributed.
6. Treasurer's report was distributed.
7. Worship Team Report was distributed
8. PNC report was given

Nebbie Brown gave an update about the Hope Center property. It was decided to take no action at this time. Realtor Meg Michael was informed that we would not be interested in the property at the asking price of \$650,000, per MAMA.

**Ministrations:**

1. Deaths:

It is noted, with much sadness, the passing of Virginia Jewell, #0551, on May 27, 2025.

2. Ordinations:

On Sunday June 22, 2025 Sophia Brown, Kevin Crosthwaite, and Mark Kildow were ordained as Deacons. Sophia-Class of 2028, Kevin-Class of 2026, Mark-Class of 2027.

3. Installations:

On Sunday June 22, 2025 Sophia Brown, Kevin Crosthwaite, Deborah Groat, Mark Kildow, and Donna Maley were installed as Deacons.

Jodi Fenwick-Class of 2027, and Linda Rinehart-Class of 2028 were installed as Elders.

The next meeting will be held on August 21, 2025

Closing prayer-TBD

On **motion, second and VOTED** the meeting was dismissed with prayer.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kathi Kinney, Clerk