

PRESBYTERY OF SCIOTO VALLEY
HIGHLIGHTS OF 249TH STATED MEETING
Boulevard Presbyterian Church, Grandview Heights, Ohio

PRE-PRESBYTERY EVENTS

Reading of Sessional Records – 17 churches participated.
Program on the Opiate Epidemic in Ohio – 70+ participants

PRESBYTERY MEETING

Opened with prayer by Moderator Charlsie Ramsey at 3:30 p.m.
Declaration of a quorum and greetings from host pastor, Rev. Preston Sheely
Committee for Presbytery Nominations moved and was approved that the terms of current moderator and vice-moderator be extended to June 30, 2018
Presbytery worship was led by Rev. Amy House, Rev. Charlsie Ramsey, Rev Chris Roseland, Rev. Preston Sheely, Mary Ann Stephens, and Jennifer Whitford.
Sacrament of Holy Communion was celebrated, Necrology was read, new Stated Clerk was installed and Joy Gift Offering was received.

Staff reports were made
Consent Agenda was approved

Committee on Presbytery Nominations

GA Commissioners were elected – we do not have a YAAD this year
Nominations were moved and approved for Commission members
Coordinating Team moved names for Committee on Presbytery Nominations – approved

Commission for Nurture and Outreach – 2nd reading of Child Safety Policy – approved

Commission for Church Professionals

New Pastors Liz Wagner and Jeff Fields were welcomed
Rev. Gordon Johnson was honorably retired
Rev. Sarah Juist was received into the PCUSA from the RCA – unanimous vote
Second reading of Healthy Boundaries policy – approved

Commission for Presbytery Operations

1st reading of new Church Development Fund Policy
2nd Reading of 2018 Budget -- approved

Commission for Congregational Life

With CPO – 1st reading of Ministry Initiative Program
Moved and was approved by vote of 65/4 that Washington C.H. Church be given permission to interview current temporary pastor for position of installed pastor

Administrative Commission for New Albany requested an extension into 2018 –
Approved

Meeting was adjourned with prayer by the vice-moderator at 6:00 p.m.