

Closings and Dismissals Commission  
Report to Transylvania Presbytery – May 18, 2019

The Closing and Dismissals Commission met on Tuesday, April 9, 2019 and brings to the floor of Transylvania Presbytery these items for CONSIDERATION and ACTION:

1. The Closing and Dismissals Commission recommends that Indian Creek Presbyterian Church (Booneville, KY) be dissolved.
  - a. Terms of the dissolution include: all records and documents be relinquished to the presbytery; \$16000 settlement for past due per capita; and consideration of a property trust clause.
  
2. The Closing and Dismissals Commission recommends that Pineville Presbyterian Church (Pineville, KY) be dissolved and that the Administration Commission be charged with the appraising and selling of two associated properties (not the church building and lot).
  - a. The Administration Commission and the Closings and Dismissals Commission will work together to consider and determine the best course of action to further ministry in Pineville and will recommend to the presbytery at a future meeting a proposed disposition of the church building and lot.
  
3. The Closings and Dismissals Commission recommends that Washington Presbyterian Church (Maysville, KY) be dissolved, and the property be transferred to the Washington Church Foundation, Inc.
  
4. The Closings and Dismissals Commissions recommends that the presbytery amend its previous action of May 1, 2018, concerning the dismissal of the First Presbyterian Church, Catlettsburg, Kentucky, by striking each reference to “Evangelical Presbyterian Church” and replacing it with “ECO: A Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians”

INFORMATION ITEMS:

The dismissal agreement for First Presbyterian Church, Stanton, Kentucky, has been signed by all parties and is ready to be filed at the Powell County Courthouse, upon the receipt of their first payment according to the terms of the agreement.

Other churches we are working with: Old Springfield Presbyterian Church (Montgomery County), Manchester Presbyterian Church (Clay County), Cranks Presbyterian Church and Cawood Presbyterian Church (Harlan County).