

To: Teaching Elder and Ruling Elder Commissioners

## **Notice of Stated Meeting of the Presbytery of Transylvania**

The Presbytery of Transylvania will meet on Saturday, May 18, 2019, at First Presbyterian Church, 508 Cedar Creek Road, Pikeville, KY 41501. (The Presbytery thanks the staff, elders and members of First Presbyterian Church for hosting the presbytery meeting.)

The Presbytery convenes at 10:00 AM. Registration opens at 9:00 AM. Lunch will be available for \$8.00 per person. An offering will be collected during worship.

The meeting will include a discussion of the Moderator's yearly theme (*Life Together*) with a focus on faithful stewardship, worship led by staff and students of the University of Pikeville, a recommendation from CPM to move an inquirer to candidacy, and other business items. The proposed docket and all reports will be posted to the presbytery website on Friday, May 10, 2019 at the following link: <https://transyby.org/may-18-2019-presbytery-meeting/> . If you are unable to attend, please request an excused absence from the Stated Clerk. Email: [statedclerk@transyby.org](mailto:statedclerk@transyby.org). Please email Robyn at [rjustus@transyby.org](mailto:rjustus@transyby.org) with the names of your commissioners so that a printed nametag can be provided.

God's blessings to each one and see you soon in Pikeville.

The Rev. Jerry L. Utt, II  
Stated Clerk

In preparation for the meeting and planned discussion of the Moderator's yearly theme (*Life Together*), please consider these questions.

1. How do you define stewardship personally? How do you think most people in your congregation define stewardship?
2. What is the impact of stewardship on our "life together" as individuals, congregations, and a presbytery?
3. In what ways or by what means would you like to see the presbytery support stewardship education and understanding in our congregations? (In other words, how can the presbytery help one another to be better stewards?)