To: Teaching Elder and Ruling Elder Commissioners

Notice of Stated Meeting of the Presbytery of Transylvania

The Presbytery of Transylvania will meet on Tuesday, February 4, 2020, at Beaumont Presbyterian Church, 1070 Lane Allen Road, Lexington, KY 40504. (The Presbytery thanks the pastor, staff, elders, and members of Beaumont Church for hosting the presbytery meeting.)

The Presbytery convenes at 5:00 PM. Registration opens at 4:00 PM. Please email Robyn at rjustus@transypby.org with the name(s) of your commissioner(s) so that a printed nametag can be provided. If you are unable to attend, please request an excused absence from the Stated Clerk. Email: statedclerk@transypby.org. If you should need childcare, please email Robyn at rjustus@transypby.org by January 27, 2020.

The meeting will include a detailed proposal from the Nicholasville Discernment team, a report from a task force reviewing proposed overtures to the General Assembly, small group discussion, and evening prayer. An offering will be taken to support the host church's local mission project. The meeting docket and reports can be found here: https://transypby.org/february-4-2020-presbytery-meeting/

The new moderator wishes to continue discussions around the theme of "Life Together" and shares these words:

In keeping with and expanding on last year's theme of "Life Together," let us look more closely and revisit our own personal faith journey. It is my hope that, knowing more about others' journeys, we can have a fuller understanding of our "life together." This knowledge of our personal journeys can then be expanded into the lives of our congregations, and beyond. As we come together in this new year-and new decade-please consider these two questions:

Who were the one or two people, other than immediate family, that helped to shape your faith journey? (You may have begun this journey as a child or maybe later in life.)

What two songs or hymns played a significant part in your journey?

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

The Rev. Jerry L. Utt, II Stated Clerk