

PRESBYTERY OF WESTERN  
NORTH CAROLINA

GUIDE TO WORSHIP AND WORK



**MISSION/VISION STATEMENT**

**In partnership with Sessions,  
the mission of Presbytery is to  
foster vital and faithful congregations to be  
effective witnesses for Jesus Christ.**

**By God's grace we will  
See changes in our lives,  
Share what we have seen, and  
Be signs of the grace of the triune God  
at work in the world.**

**EIGHTY-FIFTH STATED MEETING  
JULY 27, 2010**

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Cherryville, North Carolina**

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<b>8:30</b>	<b>Registration</b>	<i>(Fellowship Hall)</i>	
<b>8:30</b>	<b>Prayers before Presbytery</b>		
	<b>Orientation for New Elders</b>		<b>Charles Davenport</b>
<b>9:00</b>	<b>Convene with Prayer of Invocation</b>		<b>J. D. Waldrop, Moderator</b>
	<b>Welcome</b>		<b>Billy T. Lowe</b>
	<b>Appointment of Standing Committee</b>		<b>Moderator</b>
	<b>Resolution of Thanks</b>		
	<b>Certification of Quorum</b>		<b>Bert Sigmon, Stated Clerk</b>
	<b>Approval of Docket</b>		
	<b>Omnibus Motion</b>		<b>A</b>
	<i>(Omnibus Motion is a consent motion. Any commissioner may pull any item from the consent agenda for any reason. Simply state the item to be removed from the Omnibus Motion and it will be dealt with as part of the committee report from which it was drawn.)</i>		
	<b>Stated Clerk's Report</b>		<b>B</b>
	<i>(Reports of Administrative Commissions)</i>		
	<b>Budget &amp; Finance Committee</b>	<i>(FYI)</i>	<b>BB</b>
	<i>(Financial Report)</i>		
	<b>Committee on Preparation for Ministry</b>	<i>(FYI)</i>	<b>K</b>
<b>9:15</b>	<b>Service of Worship including the Celebration of the Lord's Supper</b>		
	<b>Worship Leader:</b>	<b>Billy T. Lowe</b>	
	<b>Preaching:</b>	<b>Kristy Farber</b>	
	<b>Communion distributed by Elders from First Presbyterian Church, Cherryville</b>		
<b>10:15</b>	<b>Committee on Ministry</b>		<b>D</b>
	<i>(Examination for ordination/installation of Kristy R. Farber)</i>		
		<b>John Frye</b>	
		<b>Deborah McEachran</b>	
	<b>Reports from the General Assembly Commissioners</b>		<b>JJ</b>
	<i>(Maggie Lauterer, James Bernhardt, Carolyn Poteet, Paula Wallace, Heath Rada, Jackie Scott and Annie Franklin)</i>		
	<b>Missions Committee</b>		<b>P</b>
	<i>(Work of the committee, Malawi Mission Team Report)</i>		
	<b>Guatemala</b>		
	<i>(Fredy Rivera Paz, youth who attended Triennium)</i>		
	<b>Care of Church Professionals</b>		<b>Dwight Christenbury</b>
	<i>(Recognition of ministers with 25 and 50 years of ministry, ministers retiring)</i>		
	<b><u>Honorably Retired</u></b>	<b><u>50 Years in Ministry</u></b>	<b><u>25 Years in Ministry</u></b>
	<i>Dewey Bowen</i>	<i>Richard Holshouser</i>	<i>Richard Boyce</i>
	<i>Will Gaines</i>	<i>Bob Martin</i>	<i>Kevin Frederick</i>
	<i>Karen Haak</i>		<i>Marjorie Marsh</i>
	<i>Carol Seaman</i>		

**11:55 Prayers of Intercession**

**Laura Long**

*(Please submit requested prayers of intercession to the Stated Clerk's table before 11:00 a.m.)*

**12:00 Lunch (Fellowship Hall)**

**1:00 Reconvene**

**Speak Out**

*(Opportunity to address the Presbytery for one minute or less, per speaker, on any suitable topic. No new business may be introduced at this point, but announcements, concerns, or opinions may be shared.)*

**1:10 Board of Pensions**

**Helen Locklear**

**1:20 Campus Mission**

**Western Carolina University**

**Joseph Washburn**

**Dick Lonnee**

**Nominating Committee**

**Don Cooper**

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*(Election of members for Presbytery committees and work of the committee; please fill out the recommendation sheet with suggested persons for the Nominating Committee to consider in the future.)*

**Report of the General Presbyter**

**Bobbi White**

**GP**

**Youth Committee**

*(Report from Triennium and upcoming events )*

**Carol Steele**

**Let's Celebrate**

*(Annual Event for everyone in the Presbytery~August 21, 2010)*

**Adam Bowling**

**Committee on Ministry**

*(Introduction of new members)*

**John Frye**

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**Deborah McEachran**

**School for the Laity/Commissioned Lay Pastors**

*(Recognition of SL/CLP Graduates)*

*Robert Ayala*

*Kenneth Humphreys*

*Pat Queen*

*Lisa Ann Canterbury*

*Bob McFerren*

*Tom Queen*

*Hazel Dula*

*James Edward Millsaps*

*Bambi Teague*

**Coordinating Council**

**Luke Harkey**

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**Good News from the Churches**

**Bryson City - Terry Hanna**

**Resolution of Thanks**

**Benediction and Adjournment**

**Moderator**

**If you are on the docket as a representative for a committee,  
you are asked to sit at the front of the Sanctuary.**

**Please note that Presbytery Standing Rules “do not” allow any distribution of materials at Presbytery meetings without prior approval from the Coordinating Council. Also, please turn off or silence cell phones during Presbytery worship times. Your cooperation is appreciated.**

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### JULY

17	Session Records Review and Training	Morganton, First
20-24	Presbyterian Youth Triennium	Purdue University
21	Committee on Preparation for Ministry	Morganton, First
22	Hunger Committee	Columbus
27	<b>85th Stated Meeting of the Presbytery of Western North Carolina</b>	<b>Cherryville, First</b>
28	Care of Church Professionals Committee	Black Mountain
	Board of Pensions Retirees Reception	Black Mountain
29	Sexual Misconduct Task Force	Black Mountain

### AUGUST

2	Nominating Committee	Morganton, First
9	Examinations Committee	Morganton, First
10	Committee on Ministry	Morganton, First
11	Coordinating Council	Morganton, First
11	<b>DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATIONS FOR LET'S CELEBRATE</b>	
19	Youth Committee	Montreat
21	<b>Stranger Becoming Neighbors...Becoming Friends...Let's Celebrate!"</b>	<b>Morganton, First</b>
25	Missions Committee	Black Mountain

### SEPTEMBER

6	<b>OFFICE CLOSED - LABOR DAY</b>	
8	Coordinating Council	Morganton, First
10-11	School for the Laity/Commission Lay Pastor Retreat	William Black Lodge
13	Examinations Committee	Morganton, First
	Nominating Committee	Morganton, First
14	Committee on Ministry	Morganton, First
15	Committee on Preparation for Ministry	Morganton, First
16	Youth Committee	Morganton, First
	Christian Education Committee	Black Mountain
18	<b>Acts 16:5 ~ Seminar 3</b>	<b>Morganton, First</b>
	<b>Presbyterian Women's Fall Gathering</b>	<b>Highlands, First</b>
25	<b>Presbyterian Women's Fall Gathering</b>	<b>Lowell</b>
26	<b>Senior High Rally</b>	<b>Montreat</b>
28	<b>Post Retirement Seminar</b>	<b>Morganton, First</b>
29	<b>Getting into Shape Fiscally Seminar</b>	<b>Morganton, First</b>

### OCTOBER

1	<b>DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF REPORTS FOR OCTOBER 22-23, 2010 PRESBYTERY MTG</b>	
	<b>DEADLINE FOR ROOM RESERVATIONS FOR OCTOBER PRESBYTERY MEETING</b>	
11	Examinations Committee	Morganton, First
12	Committee on Ministry	Morganton, First
13	Coordinating Council	Morganton, First
20	Committee on Preparation for Ministry	Morganton, First
21	Youth Committee	Montreat
22-23	<b>86th Stated Meeting of the Presbytery of Western North Carolina</b>	<b>Lake Junaluska</b>

### NOVEMBER

12-13	<b>Middle School Retreat</b>	<b>Camp Grier, Old Fort</b>
25-26	<b>OFFICE CLOSED - THANKSGIVING</b>	

**Presbytery Meetings - 2010**  
 July 27, 2010 - First Presbyterian, Cherryville  
 October 22-23, 2010 - Lake Junaluska

**Presbytery Meetings - 2011**  
 January 29, 2011 - Grace Covenant, Asheville  
 April 26, 2011 - Montreat Conference Center  
 July 26, 2011 - First Presbyterian, Gastonia  
 October 21-22, 2011 - Lake Junaluska