

**PRESBYTERY OF WESTERN  
NORTH CAROLINA**

**GUIDE TO WORSHIP AND WORK**



**NINETY-SECOND STATED MEETING  
APRIL 24, 2012**

**MONTREAT CONFERENCE CENTER  
ANDERSON AUDITORIUM**

**Co-Hosted By:  
Montreat Presbyterian Church (PCUSA)**

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<b>8:30</b>	<b>Registration</b>	<b>(Lobby of Anderson Auditorium)</b>	
<b>8:30</b>	<b>Prayers before Presbytery</b>		<b>Dot Descieux</b>
	<i>(Lower Anderson Auditorium - Room 2)</i>		
	<b>Orientation for New Elders</b>		<b>Barbara Ross</b>
	<i>(Lower Anderson Auditorium - Room 1)</i>		
<b>9:00</b>	<b>Convene with Prayer of Invocation and Hymn</b>		<b>Patricia Clark, Moderator</b>
	<i>(Anderson Auditorium)</i>		
	<b>Welcome</b>		<b>Pete Peery, President</b> <b>Montreat Conference Center</b>
	<b>Introduction of Presbyterian Women from Guatemala</b>		<b>Ellen Dozier</b>
	<i>(Floridalma Giron from Sur Occidente and Amanda Godoy and Silvia Bac from Suchitepéquez)</i>		
	<b>Words of Welcome and Good News</b>		
	<b>Montreat Presbyterian Church (PCUSA)</b>		<b>Maggie Lauterer</b>
	<b>Appointment of Standing Committee</b>		<b>Moderator</b>
	<b>Resolution of Thanks -</b>		
	<i>(Don Cooper and Bob Craddock)</i>		
	<b>Bills and Overtures –</b>		
	<i>(Cam Murchison, Mike Begley, Jerry Ragan, Susan Denne, Bill Kantonen)</i>		
	<b>Tellers -</b>		
	<i>(Kenilworth Presbyterian Church - Katherine Brinkley, Katie Adams, Marvin Chambers)</i>		
	<i>(First Presbyterian Church, Swannanoa - Jane Hansel, Lynn Holman, Maryann Riddle)</i>		
	<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>(Report of Administrative Commissions; Annual Report from Committee on Representation)</i>		
	<b>Reports Submitted for Information and/or Included in the Omnibus</b>		
	<b>Nominating Committee</b>		<b>I</b>
	<b>Witness Division</b>		<b>P</b>
	<b>Budget and Finance Committee</b>		<b>BB</b>
	<b>Reports from Commissioners to Synod</b>		<b>II</b>
	<i>(Eddie Deas and Martha Rockett and Bill Kantonen)</i>		
	<b>Personnel Committee</b>		<b>FF</b>
	<b>Campus Mission</b>		<b>V</b>

**9:25 Service of Worship, including Celebration of Pentecost and of the Lord's Supper**

**Preacher:** Shannon Kershner

**Scripture:** John 16:12-15; Acts 2:1-4 & 14-21

**Worship Planners:** Anita Bernhardt, James Bernhardt and Nathan Crabtree

**Commissioning of Guatemala and Malawi Mission Teams**

**10:50 Administrative Board (25 minutes)** **James Aydelotte** **C**

*(Recommendations regarding, churches requesting dismissal, preaching by our candidates for ordination, appraisals of church property, recognition of milestones.)*

**Peace and Justice (5 minutes)** **James Aydelotte** **T**  
*(NC Constitutional Marriage Amendment)*

**\*11:15 PCUSA Missions Report (30 - 45 minutes)** **Frank Dimmock**

**\*12:00 Prayers of Intercession** **Margaret Torrence**  
*(Please submit requested prayers of intercession to the Stated Clerk's table before 11:00 a.m.)*

**\*12:05 Lunch (Assembly Inn)**

**1:30 Reconvene (Anderson Auditorium)**

**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.)*

**1:35 Hunger Committee (5 minutes)** **Bill Heck**  
*(Recognition of churches who participated in SouperBowl Supersizing)*

**Evangelism (5 minutes)** **Michael Sears**  
*(2012 Year of Evangelism; Study of the Book of Acts)*

**Let's Celebrate ~ August 18, 2012 (5 minutes)** **Michael Sears** **W**  
*(Annual event for everyone in the Presbytery)*

**Youth Committee (5 minutes)** **Michael Bailey** **Y**  
*(PYC Youth Applications)*

**Christian Education (5 minutes)** **Adam Bowling**  
*(Update on the resource center)*

**2:10 Report of General Presbyter (15 minutes)** **Bobbi White** **GP**

**Preparation for Ministry (15 Minutes)** **Mark Burnham** **K**  
*(Introduction of candidate Michael McKey)*

**Committee on Ministry (45 minutes)** **John Lindsay** **D**  
*(Introduction of new members; commissioning of lay pastors)*

**Report from the Transition Task Force (20 minutes)** **Bert Sigmon** **TT**

**\* Denotes Order of the Day**

**Campus Mission**

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Montreat College (3-5 minutes)

Gary Van Brocklin

North Carolina Presbyterian Higher Education Jerry Beavers

Report from the Bills and Overture Committee

Resolution of Thanks

Benediction and Adjournment

Moderator

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If you are on the docket as a representative for a committee,  
you are asked to sit on the stage in the Auditorium.

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.

## **2012 Presbytery Meetings**

April 24, 2012 ~ Montreat Conference Center

July 31, 2012 ~ Black Mountain Home for Children, Youth and Families

October 26-27, 2012 ~ Lake Junaluska Conference Center

## **2013 Presbytery Meetings**

January 26, 2013 ~ First Presbyterian Church, Hickory

April 30, 2013 ~ Montreat Conference Center

July 30, 2013 ~ Grandfather Home for Children

October 25-26, 2013 ~ Lake Junaluska

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### APRIL

21	Presbyterian Women's Spring Gathering Session Records Review School for the Laity/Commissioned Lay Pastors	Hickory, First Waynesville, First Morganton, First
<b>23</b>	<b><i>Lamar Williamson - Preaching and Teaching the Book of Acts</i></b>	<b><i>William Black Lodge</i></b>
<b>24</b>	<b><i>92nd STATED MEETING OF PRESBYTERY</i></b> Let's Celebrate Task Force	<b><i>Montreat Conference Center</i></b> Assembly Inn
26-28	National Multi-Cultural Conference	Charlotte, NC
27-28	Camp Grier Work Day	Camp Grier

### MAY

2	Administrative Board	Morganton, First
3	General Assembly Commissioner Training	Morganton, First
5	Session Records Review Hunger Committee	Spruce Pine, First Morganton, First
7	Examinations Committee	Morganton, First
8	Committee on Ministry	Morganton, First
11	Transition Task Force	Presbytery Office
12	School for the Laity/Commissioned Lay Pastors	Morganton, First
15	New Church Professionals Luncheon Care of Church Professionals Committee	Timberwood, Morganton Timberwood, Morganton
16	Committee on Preparation for Ministry Youth Committee	Morganton, First Morganton
17	Christian Education Committee	Black Mountain Home for Children
19	Session Records Review	Forest City, First
21	Nominating Committee	Morganton, First
24	Let's Celebrate Task Force Smaller Membership Churches Committee New Church Development	Morganton, First Black Mountain New Vision, Conover
28	<b><i>PRESBYTERY OFFICE CLOSED - MEMORIAL DAY</i></b>	
31	Deadline for Presbytery Youth Council Applications	

### JUNE

2	Sacred Trust - Relational Boundaries for Religious Leaders <i>(Sexual Misconduct Prevention - 3 hour training)</i>	Upper Anderson - Montreat
4	Campus Mission Committee	Black Mountain Home for Children
6	Administrative Board	Morganton, First
7	General Assembly Commissioner Training	Morganton, First
9	Session Records Review	Long Creek, Kings Mountain
11	Examinations Committee	Morganton, First
12	Committee on Ministry	Morganton, First
13	Missions Committee	Black Mountain
19	Peace and Justice Committee	TBA
19-20	Growing Into Tomorrow (BOP) Workshop	Morganton, First
21	Post-Retirement (BOP) Workshop	Morganton, First
22	Let's Celebrate Task Force	Morganton, First
28	Youth Committee	

### JULY

<b>June 30 - July 7</b>	<b><i>220<sup>th</sup> General Assembly (2012)</i></b>	<b><i>Pittsburgh, PA</i></b>
<b>2</b>	<b><i>DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF REPORTS FOR JULY PRESBYTERY MEETING</i></b>	
<b>4</b>	<b><i>PRESBYTERY OFFICE CLOSED ~ INDEPENDENCE DAY</i></b>	
9	Examinations Committee Hunger Committee	Morganton, First TBA
10	Committee on Ministry	Morganton, First
11	Administrative Board	Morganton, First
30	Board of Pensions Retiree Reception	Black Mountain
<b>31</b>	<b><i>93rd STATED MEETING OF PRESBYTERY</i></b>	<b><i>Black Mountain Home for Children, Youth &amp; Families</i></b>

### AUGUST

4	Sacred Trust - Relational Boundaries for Religious Leaders	Morganton, First
<b>18</b>	<b><i>Let's Celebrate...</i></b>	<b><i>Morganton, First</i></b>