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Stated Meeting – June 8, 2010 Bonclarken Chapel, Flat Rock, NC  
Called Meeting – June 27, 2010 Neely's Creek Church, Rock Hill, SC

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**CATAWBA PRESBYTERY**  
**STATED MEETING**  
**Bonclarken Conference Center Chapel**  
**Flat Rock, North Carolina**  
**June 8, 2010**  
**2:00 P.M.**

Catawba Presbytery met for the stated meeting in the Bonclarken Chapel, Flat Rock, North Carolina at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 8, 2010. Moderator David W. Setzer called the meeting to order and constituted the meeting with prayer and led the Presbytery in a devotion using I Corinthians 13. Mr. Setzer closed with prayer.

Guy H. Smith, Stated Clerk, moved the adoption the minutes of the Called Meeting of November 8, 2009 and the Stated Meeting of March 9, 2010 as circulated. The motion was ADOPTED

Mark E. Ross, Reading Clerk, moved the adoption of the program as printed. The motion was ADOPTED. The program is as follows:

**Call to Order	David W. Setzer, Moderator
**Presbytery Constituted with Prayer	David W. Setzer, Moderator
Devotional	David W. Setzer, Moderator
Adoption of the Previous Minutes	Guy H. Smith, Stated Clerk
Presentation of the Program	Mark E. Ross, Reading Clerk
Roll Constituted	Guy H. Smith, Stated Clerk
Visitors Welcomed	David W. Setzer, Moderator
Unfinished Business	
Old Business:	

- |    |  |                           |
|----|--|---------------------------|
| 1. | Property in Fort Mill by Commitment & Finance  | Barry Dagenhart, Chairman |
| 2. | Report of Congregation Report Referral by State of the Church  | Mark Miller, Chm.         |
| 3. | Report by Nominations Committee on Vacancies   | Kyle Sims, Chairman       |
| 1. | Committee on Outreach – Referral on Amendment Relative to Relation with Church Extension – Minutes 2009-2010, Vol2, page 18] | James Barker, Chm.        |

New Business

1. Report of the Stated Clerk/Administrator
2. Report of the Treasurer of Catawba Presbytery
- Reports of the Standing Committees:
  - a. Church Extension
  - b. Outreach
  - c. Old Brick Church Commission
  - d. Commission on the Minister and His Work
3. Other New Business

Introduction of Moderator-elect	David W. Setzer, Moderator
Introduction of Vice-Moderator-elect	David W. Setzer, Moderator

Announcement of Place for Fall Meeting – October 12, 2010  
Announcements

Guy H. Smith, Stated Clerk

\*\*Bible Song "Christian Unity"

280

\*\*Closing Prayer and Benediction

David W. Setzer, Moderator

Presbytery Recesses to Adjourn with the Meeting of General Synod

Matters of unfinished business were considered.

Barry Dagenhart, Chairman of Commitment and Finance, reported the sale of the Carolina Covenant property in Fort Mill, SC as authorized earlier by the Presbytery. The closing is to be later in June.

The report of the State of the Church Committee was received and ADOPTED as follows:

#### **REPORT OF THE STATE OF THE CHURCH COMMITTEE**

The State of the Church Committee met at the Union Church in Richburg on May 7, 2010 to review the Annual Reports for 2009 and make recommendations.

The Committee notes that there are some churches in Catawba Presbytery that have not been represented consistently by elders at Presbytery and Synod meetings. The Committee reminds the churches of Catawba Presbytery that they are entitled, under the *Form of Government* XII.C.2 and XIII.C.1, to minister and elder representation at these meetings.

The Committee understands that there are some congregations in the Presbytery that struggle to remain viable and are unable to be represented at Presbytery and Synod meetings. The Committee requests Catawba Presbytery to pray for renewal and revival in these churches, and to offer thanks to Almighty God for the faithful members who continue to persevere to keep them going.

The Committee also understands that there are a few congregations that likely could have elder and minister representation at Presbytery and Synod meetings, but have not been in the regular practice of doing so. These congregations are encouraged to take their privileges and duties as members of a connectional church seriously.

In a period of some unrest in the ARP denomination, the Committee reminds all ministers, elders, and congregations of their privilege and duty to support the General Synod and its agencies by prayer, participation, and monetary giving.

#### **Recommendations**

1. That Catawba Presbytery pray for revival and renewal in her churches that struggle to remain viable, and give thanks to Almighty God for the faithful members who continue to persevere and keep them going.
2. That Catawba Presbytery remind all congregations of their privilege and duty to be represented at Presbytery and Synod meetings.

3. That Catawba Presbytery remind all congregations of their privilege and duty to support the General Synod and agencies of the ARP Church.
4. That the Moderator announce that all churches whose names begin with **I-Z** along with **Chester, Edgemoor, Faith, Faith Fellowship, Hardeeville, Hope, LA, Hope, TX and New Hope** are to bring their session records to the Fall stated meeting for review

Respectfully,  
Mark Miller, Chairman

The matters of unfinished business from the Committees on Nominations and Outreach will be reported as part of regular reports.

The report of the Stated Clerk/Administrator was presented and ADOPTED as follows:

### REPORT OF THE STATED CLERK/ADMINISTRATOR

Information:

1. As directed by the Presbytery a letter of sympathy was sent to the family of the late Dr. David Morrison.
2. A letter was received from the Sharon Session. The last time the Presbytery meeting rotation came to the Sharon Church they felt unable to host the meeting. They now feel in a position to host a meeting of the Presbytery perhaps in March of 2011. Also, the Bethel Church which was scheduled for March of 2011 has requested to be moved to a later date. A recommendation is below.

Recommendations:

1. That the report be received and printed in the Minutes of the Presbytery.
2. The Committee on Nominations was authorized to fill vacancies and have completed their work as follows:

Church Extension [2013]	Hal Hayes [Tirzah]
Outreach [2013] {Layman}	Garry L. Smith [Crossings Community]

3. That the request of the Sharon Church to host the meeting be granted. This will make the rotation of meetings as follows:

October 12, 2010	Bethany
March 8, 2011	Sharon
June 7, 2011	Bonclarken
October 11, 2011	Bethel
March 13, 2012	Centennial
June 12, 2012	Bonclarken
October 9, 2012	Chester
March 12, 2013	Clover
June 11, 2013	Bonclarken
October 8, 2013	First Columbia

Respectfully,  
 Guy H. Smith, Stated Clerk/Administrator

Kyle Sims, Chairman of Nominations, reported that Mr. Eugene Neely, a member of the State of the Church, had recently died. Mr. Sims moved that the Committee on Nominations be authorized to fill that slot with a layman. The motion was ADOPTED. Mr. Sims led in prayer for the Neely family.

The report of the Treasurer was presented and RECEIVED AS INFORMATION as follows:

**REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF CATAWBA PRESBYTERY**

**CATAWBA PRESBYTERY  
 INCOME AND EXPENSE  
 APRIL YTD 2010**

	<b>ACUTAL</b>	<b>Budget</b>
<b>PRESBYTERY</b>		
<b>INCOME:</b>		
Presbytery Fees (27%)	\$ (18,116)	\$ 18,510
Receipts Presbytery Events	-	-
Presbytery Interest (included in bank statement)*exclude CD's	(671)	(633)
Subtotal undesignated income	(18,786)	(19,143)
 <b>OPERATIONS</b>		
<b>CHRISTIAN EDUCATION</b>		
Senior High Work	\$ 4,000	\$ 4,000
Middle School Work	4,000	4,000
Leadership Training	-	667
Children's Work	800	800
Adult Ministries	-	333
Subtotal	\$ 8,800	\$ 9,800
 <b>STATED CLERK/ADMINISTRATOR</b>		
Honorarium	\$ 900	\$ 900
Office Expense	50	250

Office equipment	-	-
Printing & Mailing	46	600
Internet	180	180
Subtotal	<u>\$ 1,176</u>	<u>\$ 1,930</u>

**OTHER EXPENSES**

Telephone - all other committees	\$ -	\$ -
Treasurer - Supplies	44	44
Travel - All other Committees	469	1,200
Books Seminary Students		-
Seminary Student Aid	-	333
State of the Church	-	100
Subtotal	<u>\$ 513</u>	<u>\$ 1,677</u>

**OLD BRICK CHURCH**

Old Brick Church - Donations	(20)	-
Building Insurance	-	450
Pest Control & fire ants	75	
Permit to remove stone house	-	
Grass Cutting	-	
Subtotal	<u>\$ 55</u>	<u>\$ 450</u>

**Total Expenses**

10,544                      13,857

**TOTAL PRESBYTERY  
Favorable(unfavorable)**

\$ 8,242                      \$ 5,286

OBC Donation to clear land (\$5,500)                      2,500

**CHURCH EXTENSION**

**INCOME:**

Presbytery Fees (73%)	\$ (49,020)	\$ 43,396)
Carpenter's Fund - Church	(400)	-

Carpenter's Fund Individuals	(160)	-
ONA - Endowment	-	-
Church Extension Reserve	-	(9,014)
Subtotal - Church Ext.-undesignated income	\$ (49,580)	\$ 52,410)

**OPERATIONS**

**General**

Committee Expenses & Travel	\$ 157	\$ -
Public Relations	\$ -	\$ 1,667
Contingencies	-	3,949
Church Revitalization	-	1,667
Professional Fees & Studies		500
Subtotal	\$ 157	\$ 7,783

Other new work exploration	\$ -	\$ 22,000
Church Renewal	\$ -	\$ 3,000

**Carolina Covenant**

Building Insurance	\$ 863	
Change Locks	-	
Electric	1,318	
Water & Sewer	135	
Natural Gas	129	
Mortgage Payments	-	
Alarm System Monitoring	84	
Ground Maintenance	100	
Appraisal	2,000	
	\$ 4,629	\$ -

**Outreach Committee from Church Extension**

**IGLESIA BIBLICA LATINO**

Designated IBL	\$ (4,200)	\$ -
Property Insurance	836	750



Retirement	930	929
Health Insurance(placed on Wife's Plan)	1,702	4,869
Presbytery Support - Salary	10,935	10,935
Outreach Committee - IBL	758	333
Subtotal	<u>\$ 10,960</u>	<u>\$ 17,816</u>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	\$ 15,746	\$ 50,599

**TOTAL CHURCH EXTENSION  
Favorable(unfavorable)**

\$ 33,834      \$ 1,811

Income Designated for IBL Youth	\$ (2,754)	
IBL Youth Camp	1,000	
Subtotal	<u>\$ (1,754)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

**INDIAN LAND Designated and/or paid**

Synod - Indian land	\$ 12,213	\$ 12,213
Designated for Indian Land	1,716	-
Presbytery Support:		20,000
Retirement 4-09 to 3-10 (now paid by IL Treasurer)	4,582	
January: Salary, House, Travel	4,900	
February, March, April (per 3 yr pan)	10,002	
Health Insurance	4,857	-
	-	-
	<u>\$ 38,270</u>	<u>\$ 32,213</u>

**April 30, 2010 Bank Statements**

*	Senior High	6,262
*	Middle School	1,241
*	Children	2,041
	Reserve Money Market	23,083
	Reserve CD (matures 01/30/2011)	29,501

Operating Money Market	168,753
Old Brick Church - Checking	16,953
Old Brick Church - Church yard (Morgan Stanley)	53,472
Old Brick Church - Endowment (Morgan Stanley)	10,701
Carolina Covenant - SCBT	6,347

T. C. S. Lever, Treasurer

The report of the Committee on Church Extension was presented and ADOPTED as follows:

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH EXTENSION

The Committee met on May 11 to conduct regular business.

We received reports on the Parenting Church Community, the new church planter guidelines from ONA, the Indian Land Mission, and the Committee for Church Planting of First Columbia.

The Parenting Church Community in Rock Hill is still making progress and hoping to move into another phase soon.

The report from Gary Stiltner at Indian Land Mission indicates that things are still going well with the work and it appears to be on track with the stated plan.

The Committee for Church Planting at First Columbia is ready to move ahead with their plan to daughter a church. They made a request for a provisional session to be appointed.

Andrew Stager requested the approval of our Committee to attend the next Church Planters Assessment Center in August.

The Church Extension Committee approved the following motions.

1. The appointment of a provisional session for the new work sponsored by the First Columbia Church.
2. The appointment of a subcommittee to identify and task the particular members of the provisional session.
3. The designation of the provisional session as the pulpit committee for the new work.
4. The approval for Andrew and Elli Stager to attend the Assessment Center in August.

Recommendation:

1. That the actions of the Committee be sustained.

Respectfully Submitted,

Martin L. Taylor, Chairman

Mr. Taylor reported that Living Waters has requested Presbytery approval for a grant of \$35,000 from ONA. The motion was made and ADOPTED.

The report of the Committee on Outreach was presented and ADOPTED as follows:

#### **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON OUTREACH**

The Committee on Outreach continues to meet with the ministry group known as IBL. We have had one general meeting with the ministry group. We discussed a number of things relevant to the work as well as a look at the future. The committee continues to relate quite well with this group.

Our report to the last meeting of Presbytery in March was prepared prior to our second retreat on February 20. Rev. Juan Carlos Bonilla led the retreat with the theme of "Creating a Vision." Fortunately for our committee members Rev. John Rogers of Edwards Memorial has come along side as a listening ear for us. He speaks and understands the language and is able to summarize for our committee members "what went on." The people are eager to learn and apply what is being taught. They are thrilled that these specific needs are being addressed

Rev. Rogers is on the schedule to be the leader for our next retreat to be held the third or fourth Saturday in May. (Dates are being worked out to enable more people to attend.) The subject of this retreat will deal with the Form of Government and related matters.

One item was referred to us at the last meeting of Presbytery. The gist of the motion was to clarify the procedure for moving a ministry group to mission status. We have determined that the best way to do that is to present it in the Rules of Procedure format as follows:

#### **Section 4: From Ministry Group to Mission Status**

##### **a. Procedure**

- (1) The process begins when the Committee On Outreach and the mission group jointly conclude that the ministry group has met the standards of the Committee On Church Extension (Section 4 (a) (1-3), page 53, Catawba Presbytery Rules of Procedure) and the group expresses a desire to become a mission**
- (2) A proposal for mission status will be forwarded to the Committee On Church Extension with the request that the committee review the proposal. Communication between the two committees will begin at this point to work out any details in preparation for sending the matter to Catawba Presbytery for approval.**
- (3) The Committee On Church Extension will petition Presbytery to approve this request,**
- (4) The approval of Catawba Presbytery transfers the responsibility for this group to the Committee On Church Extension.**

We are convinced by what we have witnessed in the past months that ministry is being carried out by the ministry group. The enthusiasm of the people and leadership is heartening to say the least.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. That Presbytery approve the addition of Section 4, as stated above, in the Rules of Procedure for the Committee on Outreach.
2. We covet your prayers for both the ministry group and committee members.

Respectfully submitted,  
James C. Barker, Chairman

George Busch offered an amendment, that (4) be amended by adding: The Committee on Outreach will continue to offer its full range of resources to the Committee on Church Extension, Presbytery the new mission and the church once it is established.

The report of the Old Brick Church Commission was presented and RECEIVED AS INFORMATION as follows:

**REPORT OF THE COMMISSION OF THE OLD BRICK CHURCH (OBC)**

Since its last report to Presbytery the Commission met on 23 January 2010 and 13 May 2010 in order to discuss several items of business.

**Items:**

- In October the Commission acquired 1.85 acres adjacent to the OBC property for \$8,000 plus closing costs from Mrs. Annie Ruth Huffstetler. Since that time the Commission has undertaken extensive tree and undergrowth removal on the property.
- DP3 Architects, Greenville, S.C., represented by architect John Dunham, completed the needs assessment and preservation plan and met with the Commission onsite in January to review the plan's recommendations. Mr. Dunham commented that overall the church is in very good repair but noted the following items:

Immediate Recommendations

1. Contract with a pest control company to provide regular treatments to prevent future infestations of termites and other pests.

Short Term Recommendations (One year to 18 months)

1. Install upper latches on the shutters so that they can be locked more securely.
2. Install black screens behind the foundation vents to limit access by animals to the crawl space.
3. Replace the exterior wood sills on the upper level windows. The current wood sills are replacements and do not match the original design, and they also do not provide proper water drainage.
4. Correct the water drip issue on the rear (south) wall. A French drain and much would prevent continued splashing onto the masonry wall.

5. Repaint and re-glaze windows as needed to protect against deterioration of the wood elements.

Long-Term Recommendations (Three to five years)

1. Replace the supplemental floor bracing in the crawl space with structural supports that provide adequate support for code requirements for assembly spaces.
2. Repair the mortar on the exterior walls and re-point joints where the historic lime based mortar finish is missing.
3. Continue to monitor the condition of the roof.
  - Stones to identify unmarked graves have been installed in the OBC grave yard.
  - Initial planning is underway to conduct a religious service at the OBC in October 2010.
  - The Commission is inquiring into the feasibility of hosting a cemetery preservation workshop at the OBC to be conducted by the Chicora Foundation, Columbia, S.C., and that it be publicized throughout the A.R.P. denomination as well as to local historical and genealogical societies.
  - The Commission has submitted to the Moderator of Catawba Presbytery the recommendation of Mr. Cal McMeekin of Columbia, S.C., to replace Mr. Chandler McNair on the Commission. Mr. McNair's term of service expires on 1 July 2010.

**Recommendations**

1. That this report be received as information.

Respectfully,  
Bryan F. McKown, Secretary

The report of the Commission on the Minister and His Work and the Supplemental Report of the Commission were presented as follows:

**REPORT OF THE COMMISSION ON THE MINISTER AND HIS WORK**

Information:

The Rev. John Uhl ended the pastoral relationship with the Hope Church in Opelousas, LA effective March 26, 2010 to peruse another pastoral call. The Hope congregation voted to dissolve the relationship at a Congregational Meeting on March 14, 2010.

The Commission is in communication with the Faith ARP Session about their supply arrangement.

The Commission is following-up with sessions where the minister did not receive a cost of living adjustment.

Recommendations:

1. That Jan Sattem serve as the Moderator of the Hope Session in Opelousas, LA.
2. That the report be received as information and printed.

Respectfully Submitted,  
David H. Lauten, Chairman

**SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF  
THE COMMISSION ON THE MINISTER AND HIS WORK**

The Commission is continuing to work with Sessions who have not provided the cost of living increase to their Minister(s).

The Commission is continuing discussion with Faith ARP Church, Sumter, SC, with respect to their supply of the Faith pulpit.

The Commission received notice that the pastoral relationship of Marty Taylor and the Westminster ARP Church in Conway is to be dissolved effective June 30, 2010. The Commission will declare the pulpit vacant effective July 1, 2010.

The Commission met with the Neely's Creek ARP Church Associate Pastor Search Committee and their candidate Licentiate Matt Mantooth. The call to Mr. Mantooth effective July 1, 2010 is in order. The Neely's Creek congregation approved the call at a recent congregational meeting. A Called Meeting of Presbytery for the purpose of ordaining and installation Mr. Mantooth is planned for June 27, 2010 at 3:00 p.m.

The Commission also met with the Providence Mission Pulpit Supply committee and their candidate Rev. Richard Brown. The Bi-Vocational call to Rev. Brown effective at the Organizational Meeting August 15, 2010 is in order.

Recommendations:

1. That the call to Matt Mantooth as Associate Pastor of the Neely's Creek Church be read and approved and that an Ordination and Installation Service for Mr. Mantooth be held Sunday, June 27, 2010 at 3:00 p.m. as part of the Called Meeting of Presbytery.
2. That the Bi-Vocation Call to Richard Brown as Pastor of the Providence ARP Church be read and approved and that a service of installation be held August 15, 2010 at 5:00 p.m. as part of the organization Service for the Providence Mission.
3. That the remaining items in the report be received as information.

Respectfully Submitted,  
David H. Lauten, Chairman

The call from the Neely's Creek church for Matthew T. Mantooth was read and approved with Mr. Mantooth to be his work July 1, 2010 with the following terms:

1. When a housing allowance is provided, it shall provide  
Total Compensation of \$35,706.40 which includes
  - a. Base Salary \$18,706.40
  - b. Housing allowance \$14,000
  - c. Travel allowance \$ 3,000
2. Pay your moving expenses. {not applicable}
3. Pay into the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan as prescribed by the Synod.
4. Pastor waives medical and dental coverage under Synod's group policy for himself and his dependents who are covered under the spouse's group policy and the church reimburses the pastor for the costs.

5. The Church provides the cost of Life, Long Term Disability and Accidental Death coverage as provided by and required by the General Synod.
6. One week to be away for evangelistic or other church related meetings.
7. One week and expenses for continuing education
8. Review with you annually the adequacy of this compensation. As part of the review the congregation shall provide a cost of living adjustment to the previous year's base salary.
9. Grant you an annual vacation of 4 weeks.
10. Expenses for the meeting of General Synod.
11. In the event of total disability, as defined in the Synod's insurance program, we promise:
  - a. To continue for a minimum of three months the provisions of this call awaiting commencement of benefits from Synod's insurance program.
12. In the event of death during the terms of this call, we promise:
  - a. To continue the provisions of this call dealing with annual salary, housing, and group insurance for a minimum of six months.

The call from the Providence Mission for Richard Brown was read and approved as a Bi-Vocational Call with Mr. Brown beginning his service August 15, 2010 working a minimum of 25 hours per week with the following terms:

1. When a housing allowance is provided, it shall provide  
Total Compensation of \$51,600 which includes
 

a. Base Salary	\$15,000
d. Housing allowance	\$33,600
e. Travel allowance	\$ 3,000
2. Pay your moving expenses.
3. Pay into the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Retirement Plan as prescribed by the Synod.
4. Pastor gives written assurance to the Church and to the Presbytery that he has acceptable coverage for himself, and as appropriate, his family.
5. The Church provides the cost of Life, Long Term Disability, and Accidental Death coverage provided by and as required by General Synod.
6. Two week to be away for evangelistic or other church related meetings.
7. One week and expenses for continuing education
8. Review with you annually the adequacy of this compensation. As part of the review the congregation shall provide a cost of living adjustment to the previous year's base salary.
9. Grant you an annual vacation of 2 weeks.
10. Expenses for the meeting of General Synod
11. Other: Miscellaneous expenses/allowances \$1500.00
12. In the event of total disability, as defined in the Synod's insurance program, we promise:

- a. To continue for a minimum of three months the provisions of this call awaiting commencement of benefits from Synod's insurance program.
- 13. In the event of death during the terms of this call, we promise:
  - a. To continue the provisions of this call dealing with annual salary, housing, and group insurance for your immediate family for a minimum of six months.

New business was considered.

The Memorial from the Centennial Church was presented as follows:

**MEMORIAL TO CATAWBA PRESBYTERY  
FROM THE SESSION OF CENTENNIAL ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH**

**WHEREAS**, during the called meeting of General Synod meeting held on March 2-3, 2010, motions were ratified which called for the restructuring of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College, the appointment of a Replacement Interim Board consisting of thirty (30) individuals, and a change to the Nominations Process for the Board of Trustees of Erskine College; and

**WHEREAS**, South Carolina Circuit Court Judge Eugene C. Griffith, Jr. issued a Preliminary Injunction on April 9, 2010, enjoining the actions taken by the General Synod as set forth above until a trial can be held on the merits in a lawsuit filed in the Abbeville County Court of Common Pleas in which the General Synod is the Defendant; and

**WHEREAS**, the Moderator of General Synod sent a letter dated April 13, 2010, to all Elders and Ministers of the ARP Church urging the support of all Churches within the denomination for the continued defense of the lawsuit despite the ruling by Judge Griffith and the expense to be incurred in defending the lawsuit; and

**WHEREAS**, the Session of Centennial ARP Church is concerned with several aspects of continuing to defend this lawsuit, including: (1) The likelihood that the General Synod will not prevail at a trial given the April 9, 2010 Order issued by Judge Griffith; (2) the expense to be incurred in attorneys' fees in defending this legal action which takes dollars that could otherwise be used for other more appropriate purposes within the denomination; (3) the general lack of support within the congregation at Centennial ARP Church for the continued defense of this lawsuit; and (4) the potential for further damage to the peace, prosperity and unity of the General Synod by forcing churches within the denomination to pick a side in the lawsuit so long as it continues; and

**WHEREAS**, Centennial ARP Church wishes to promote peace, prosperity, and unity within Catawba Presbytery and the General Synod by resolving the current lawsuit and



giving the Erskine Board of Trustees the opportunity to take actions such as those outlined in the Resolution adopted by that Board dated February 19, 2010 (see attached) which was presented to the General Synod at the called meeting on March 2-3, 2010.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Session of Centennial ARP Church requests that Catawba Presbytery take a formal position urging the General Synod to settle the lawsuit now pending in Abbeville County in order to promote peace, prosperity, and unity within Catawba Presbytery and the General Synod and to allow the Erskine Board of Trustees the opportunity to take actions such as those outlined in the Resolution adopted by that Board dated February 19, 2010 which was presented to the General Synod at the called meeting on March 2-3, 2010.

Adopted by the Session: 27 April 2010

Andrew L. Bair, Vice Moderator  
Bryan E. McKown, Clerk of Session

A memorial was presented from the Arsenal Hill Church as follows:

**MEMORIAL TO CATAWBA PRESBYTERY  
FROM THE SESSION OF ARSENAL HILL  
ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**WHEREAS**, during the called meeting of General Synod meeting held on March 2-3, 2010, motions were ratified which called for the restructuring of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College, the appointment of a Replacement Interim Board, and a change to the Nominations Process for the Board of Trustees of Erskine College; and

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**WHEREAS**, the Moderator of General Synod sent a letter dated April 13, 2010, to all Elders and Ministers of the ARP Church urging the support of all Churches within the denomination for the continued defense of the lawsuit despite the ruling by Judge Griffith and the expense to be incurred in defending the lawsuit; and

**WHEREAS**, the Session of Arsenal Hill ARP Church is concerned with several aspects of continuing to defend this lawsuit, including: (1) The likelihood that the General Synod will not prevail at a trial given the April 9, 2010 Order issued by Judge Griffith; (2) the expense to be incurred in attorneys' fees in defending this legal action which takes dollars that could otherwise be used for other more appropriate purposes within the denomination; (3) the general lack of support within the congregation at Arsenal Hill ARP Church for the continued

defense of this lawsuit; and (4) the pursuing of the defense of the lawsuit is in itself against Biblical teachings we professed to believe and (5) the potential for further damage to the peace, prosperity and unity of the General Synod by forcing churches within the denomination to pick a side in the lawsuit so long as it continues; and

WHEREAS, Arsenal Hill ARP Church wishes to promote peace, prosperity, and unity within Catawba Presbytery and the General Synod by resolving the current lawsuit and giving the Erskine Board of Trustees the opportunity to take actions such as those outlined in the Resolution adopted by that Board dated February 19, 2010 which was presented to the General Synod at the called meeting on March 2-3, 2010;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Session of Arsenal Hill ARP Church requests that Catawba Presbytery take a formal position urging the General Synod to settle the lawsuit now pending in Abbeville County in order to promote peace, prosperity, and unity within Catawba Presbytery and the General Synod and to allow the Erskine Board of Trustees the opportunity to take actions such as those outlined in the Resolution adopted by that Board dated February 19, 2010 which was presented to the General Synod at the called meeting on March 2-3, 2010.

Adopted by the Session: 18 May 2010

Elder Robert Taylor, Vice Moderator  
Michael Evans, Clerk of Session

A motion was made that Item 4 from the Centennial memorial be changed to item 5 and all instances of reference to Centennial be changed to reflect Arsenal Hill and that item 4 from the Arsenal Hill Memorial be added and the memorials combined with those changes. The motion was ADOPTED.

A motion was made and ADOPTED to change the word "likelihood" to the word "possibility."

The combined memorial to be presented to the Synod reads as follows:

**MEMORIAL TO CATAWBA PRESBYTERY  
FROM THE SESSIONS OF CENTENNIAL AND ARSENAL HILL  
ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES**

**WHEREAS**, during the called meeting of General Synod meeting held on March 2-3, 2010, motions were ratified which called for the restructuring of the Board of Trustees of Erskine College, the appointment of a Replacement Interim Board, and a change to the Nominations Process for the Board of Trustees of Erskine College; and

WHEREAS, South Carolina Circuit Court Judge Eugene C. Griffith, Jr. issued a Preliminary Injunction on April 9, 2010, enjoining the actions taken by the General Synod as set forth above

until a trial can be held on the merits in a lawsuit filed in the Abbeville County Court of Common Pleas in which the General Synod is the Defendant; and

WHEREAS, the Moderator of General Synod sent a letter dated April 13, 2010, to all Elders and Ministers of the ARP Church urging the support of all Churches within the denomination for the continued defense of the lawsuit despite the ruling by Judge Griffith and the expense to be incurred in defending the lawsuit; and

WHEREAS, the Sessions of Centennial ARP Church and Arsenal Hill ARP Church are concerned with several aspects of continuing to defend this lawsuit, including: (1) The possibility that the General Synod will not prevail at a trial given the April 9, 2010 Order issued by Judge Griffith; (2) the expense to be incurred in attorneys' fees in defending this legal action which takes dollars that could otherwise be used for other more appropriate purposes within the denomination; (3) the general lack of support within the congregation at Centennial ARP Church and Arsenal Hill ARP Church for the continued defense of this lawsuit; and (4) the pursuing of the defense of the lawsuit without attempting peaceful reconciliation is in itself against Biblical teachings we professed to believe and (5) the potential for further damage to the peace, prosperity and unity of the General Synod by forcing churches within the denomination to pick a side in the lawsuit so long as it continues; and

WHEREAS, Centennial ARP Church and Arsenal Hill ARP Church wish to promote peace, prosperity, and unity within Catawba Presbytery and the General Synod by resolving the current lawsuit and giving the Erskine Board of Trustees the opportunity to take actions such as those outlined in the Resolution adopted by that Board dated February 19, 2010 which was presented to the General Synod at the called meeting on March 2-3, 2010.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Session of Centennial ARP Church and Arsenal Hill ARP Church requests that Catawba Presbytery take a formal position urging the General Synod to attempt to settle the lawsuit now pending in Abbeville County in order to promote peace, prosperity, and unity within Catawba Presbytery and the General Synod and to allow the Erskine Board of Trustees the opportunity to take actions such as those outlined in the Resolution adopted by that Board dated February 19, 2010 which was presented to the General Synod at the called meeting on March 2-3, 2010.

Adopted by the Session of Centennial ARP Church: 18 May 2010  
Andrew L. Bair, Vice Moderator  
Bryan E. McKown, Clerk of Session

Adopted by the Session of Arsenal Hill ARP Church: 18 May 2010  
Elder Robert Taylor, Vice Moderator  
Michael Evans, Clerk of Session

ADOPTED BY: CATAWBA PRESBYTERY ON JUNE 8, 2010

A memorial was offered by David H. Lauten as follows:

### MEMORIAL

MOTION: That Catawba Presbytery adopt the following motion and that it be presented as a Memorial from Catawba Presbytery to the Synod of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church during its meeting at Bonclarken June 8-10, 2010.

In light of the motions passed during the meeting of the General Synod of March 2-3, 2010 calling for the appointment of a replacement interim Board and a change to the nominations process for the Board of Trustees for Erskine College and Seminary, and the subsequent injunction issued by Judge E. C. Griffith, Jr.,

- **Acknowledging** the need of the Associate Reformed Synod for God's grace and wisdom, and confessing that there has been not only legitimate difference of opinion among us, but also a failure to see the Lord's face, to act with discretion, wisdom and with an openly confessed commitment to submit ourselves to the whole counsel of God and to pursue not only those goals which will be to his glory, the advance of the gospel of Christ, and the holiness and unity of the church which Jesus Christ purchased with his own blood;
- **And taking cognizance** of such facts as have come to light since the meeting of the General Synod, and chiefly that in private discussions during the special called Synod, members of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees were willing to approve the proposals of the Special Commission with respect to the future development of the Board, including specifically the numerical size of the Board, *but only a time scale differing only by a few months from the Special Commission's proposal*;
- **And in full recognition of the solemn duty of the Board of Erskine College and Seminary** to act in pursuit of its fiduciary responsibilities;

MOTION: For the sake of (1) the honor of the Lord Jesus Christ among his people and in the world; and (2) the unity and peace of the church, and (3) the special relations that have historically existed between the Church and the College and Seminary, and (4) the current material needs of the College and Seminary and its various employees, and (5) minimizing the damaging impact of the current lawsuit and addressing issues pertinent to it,

**Catawba Presbytery moves that Synod, acting immediately through its Executive Board , ask the Board of Erskine College and Seminary in the spirit of brotherhood to commit itself voluntarily to members of its Executive Committee had, it is believed, informally agreed with members of the Special Commission, and present proposed changes to the 2011 meeting of the General Synod, commit itself to the process to which a process by which the concerns expressed in the on debate and discussion with regard to the Board might be addressed.**

Presbytery thus prayerfully expressed the desire and hope that (1) Such a measure of agreement might meet the concerns of the majority of Synod who voted for a similar but marginally more rapid change being made in a mandatory fashion; (2) Such a voluntary action on part of the Board which reassure both Synod and the Erskine Community can, despite past differences in matters of wisdom rather than principle, and although mutually wounded by recent events, honor Jesus Christ, seek the glory of God above all personal interest, and help to advance rather than hinder the ministry of Erskine College and Seminary as a community in which Christ, his covenant grace, his faithful Word, and his Father's name are honored.

Respectfully,  
David H. Lauten

A motion was made and ADOPTED the following words "to a process by which the concerns expressed in the ongoing debate and discussion with regard to the Board might be addressed" in place of the words following the word "voluntarily."

The amended memorial to be presented to the General Synod reads as follows:

#### MEMORIAL

**WHEREAS** motions passed during the meeting of the General Synod of March 2-3, 2010 calling for the appointment of a replacement interim Board and a change to the nominations process for the Board of Trustees for Erskine College and Seminary, and the subsequent injunction issued by Judge E. C. Griffith, Jr.,

- **Acknowledging** the need of the Associate Reformed Synod for God's grace and wisdom, and confessing that there has been not only legitimate difference of opinion among us, but also a failure to see the Lord's face, to act with discretion, wisdom and with an openly confessed commitment to submit ourselves to the whole counsel of God and to pursue not only those goals which will be to his glory, the advance of the gospel of Christ, and the holiness and unity of the church which Jesus Christ purchased with his own blood;
- **And taking cognizance** of such facts as have come to light since the meeting of the General Synod, and chiefly that in private discussions during the special called Synod, members of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees were willing to approve the proposals of the Special Commission with respect to the future development of the Board, including specifically the numerical size of the Board, *but only a time scale differing only by a few months from the Special Commission's proposal*;
- **And in full recognition of the solemn duty of the Board of Erskine College and Seminary** to act in pursuit of its fiduciary responsibilities;

**THEREFORE**, for the sake of (1) the honor of the Lord Jesus Christ among his people and in the world; and (2) the unity and peace of the church, and (3) the special relations that have historically existed between the Church and the College and Seminary, and (4) the current

material needs of the College and Seminary and its various employees, and (5) minimizing the damaging impact of the current lawsuit and addressing issues pertinent to it,

**Catawba Presbytery moves that Synod, acting immediately through its Executive Board , ask the Board of Erskine College and Seminary in the spirit of brotherhood to commit itself voluntarily to a process by which the concerns expressed in the ongoing debate and discussion with regard to the Board might be addressed, and present proposed changes to the 2011 meeting of the General Synod.**

Presbytery thus prayerfully expressed the desire and hope that (1) Such a measure of agreement might meet the concerns of the majority of Synod who voted for a similar but marginally more rapid change being made in a mandatory fashion; (2) Such a voluntary action on part of the Board which reassure both Synod and the Erskine Community can, despite past differences in matters of wisdom rather than principle, and although mutually wounded by recent events, honor Jesus Christ, seek the glory of God above all personal interest, and help to advance rather than hinder the ministry of Erskine College and Seminary as a community in which Christ, his covenant grace, his faithful Word, and his Father's name are honored.

Respectfully,  
David H. Lauten

ADOPTED BY: CATAWBA PRESBYTEY ON JUNE 8, 2010

The Stated Clerk, Guy H. Smith, announced the Fall Meeting for October 12, 2010 at the Bethany Church, Clover, SC beginning at 10:00 a.m.

The Moderator introduced the new Moderator, Ruling Elder J. Steve Maloney from the Tirzah Church. Mr. Maloney will begin his term July 1, 2010.

Mr. Setzer then introduced the new Vice Moderator, Bill Fleming, pastor of the Oak Ridge Church. Mr. Fleming will become moderator on July 1, 2011.

Words of thanks were expressed to the retiring moderator, David Setzer, for his faithful and dedicated service during the past year.

The Moderator expressed appreciation for his term and experience as moderator.

Following the singing of Bible Songs 280, "Christian Unity" Presbytery recessed to adjourn with the adjournment of Synod. Mr. Setzer closed the meeting with prayer and benediction. The Presbytery adjourned on Thursday, June 11, 2009 with the meeting of Synod.

Respectfully,  
David W. Setzer, Moderator  
Guy H. Smith, Stated Clerk

## OFFICIAL ROLL

[a] = Absent

\*\*Evangelist

CHURCH	MINISTER	REPRESENTATIVES
Arsenal Hill	J. Michael Lashley [a]	Michael Evans
Bethany	Alan A. Morrow	Newton Wells
Bethel	Gregory C. Slater	[a]
Blacksburg	David L. Rowe	Joe Ross
Calhoun	Soku [Seth] Yi	Kensil D. Brewer
Centennial	David W. Setzer	Rick Bradley
Chester	Clint H. Davis	Chuck Crocker
Clover	Evan B. English	Jack Grier
Columbia, First	Sinclair B. Ferguson	[1] Steve Suits
Associate	Neal R. Mathias	[2] John T. Moore
Associate	Craig B. Wilkes	[3] David E. Tribble
Associate	David H. Lauten	[4]
Associate	Thomas D. James	[5]
Crossings Community	Paul A. Pepin	Karl J. Schoenleber
Ebenezer, Fairfield	VACANT	NONE
Ebenezer, York	R. Boyce Wilson	[1] Joe Kirkpatrick
Associate	Melvin M. Wines	[2] Franklin J. Rivers
Edgemoor	J. Allen Derrick	Ben F. Waldrop
Edwards Memorial	John M. Rogers	[a]
Effingham	Brian L. Howard	[a]
Faith	VACANT	[a]
Faith Fellowship	Robert B. Ferguson	[a]
Good Shepherd	Jan P. Sattem	Ricardo de la Fuente
Hardeeville, First	VACANT	[a]
Hickory Grove	James F. Mitchell	[a]
Hope, LA	VACANT	Tom Billiodeaux
Hope, TX	Gentry F. McColm	[a]
Hopewell	VACANT	Thomas A. McKeown
Indian Land Mission	Gary H. Stiltner, Jr.	NONE
Lancaster, First	Kyle E. Sims	Sam C. Huey
Lemira	VACANT	[a]
Living Waters	VACANT	Ken C. Davis
Mayesville	Brian C. Peake	James Johnson
Neely's Creek	Heiko E. Burklin	Bradley Brown
New Hope	Peter G. Rambo, Sr.	[a]
Oak Ridge	Billy O. Fleming	Jerry Knight
Pleasant Hill	VACANT	Mitchell Faulkenberry

Providence	Richard A. Brown	NONE
Rock Hill, First	J. Barry Dagenhart	[1] Cole McKinney
Associate	Andrew R. Stager	[2] Robert Lesslie
Rogers Memorial	James A. Klukow	[a]
Rowan	Philip R. McCoy	John Floyd
Scots Kirk	George C. Busch	[a]
Sharon	VACANT	David Duncan
Sherwood Forest	VACANT	Neil Carroll
Shiloh	Mark J. Miller	Dan M. Robinson
Smyrna	James F. Mitchell	[a]
Tirzah	Andrew K. Putnam	Steve Maloney
Associate	Robert B. Elliott, III	
Union	J. Allen Derrick	Gerald T. Locke
Unity	L. Charles Hammond	David E. Cox
Westminster	Martin L. Taylor	[a]
White Oak	VACANT	Robert E. Patrick
York	Tony D. Grant	[a]
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Leland E. Beaudrot	Jerry W. Berry [a]	Neely's Creek: Greg Reynolds
John H. Hopkins	Dennis E. Hieber [a]	Unity: Phonzo Starnes
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Scott W. Moore	Stephen C. Reynolds	Columbia First: Paul Robelot
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Michael A. Kelly [a]	Jonathan Ross Williams	
Glenn C. Welsford		
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Ray A. King [a]		
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Charles L. Mitchell		
Dwight L. Pearson		
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Jan Senneker		
Guy H. Smith, Jr.		
J. Rogers White [a]		

**CATAWBA PRESBYTERY  
CALLED MEETING  
Neely's Creek Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church  
Rock Hill, South Carolina  
June 27, 2010  
3:00 P.M.**

Catawba Presbytery met for a called meeting June 27, 2010 at 3:00 p.m. at the Neely's Creek Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Rock Hill, South Carolina.

The Moderator, J. Steve Maloney, called the meeting to order and announced the purpose to ordain Matthew T. Mantooh to the Gospel Ministry, present his call and install him as Associate Pastor of the Neely's Creek Church

A service of worship followed with the following members of Presbytery serving as the Committee to Ordain and Install Mr. Mantooh: Ministers: Heiko Burklin, Andrew Stager, Clint Davis along with Ruling Elders Moderator J. Steve Maloney, Alan Broyles [Tirzah], Ed Mobley [Ebenezer] and Bradley Brown [Neely's Creek]. The guest minister was a former pastor of Mr. Mantooh, Rev. Bill Thrailkill.

The following program was followed:

Call to Order	Mr. J. Steve Maloney, Moderator
Statement of Purpose	Mr. J. Steve Maloney, Moderator
Call to Worship	Mr. Bradley Brown
Invocation	Mr. Bradley Brown

**Hymn	“praise to the Lord, the Almighty”	No. 210
Scripture	Romans 11:33-36	Mr. Ed Mobley
Anthem	“that I May Know Thee” by Beckham	Neely’s Creek Adult Choir
Sermon		Rev. Bill Thrailkill
Ordination Questions		Mr. Maloney
Ordination Prayer		Mr. Maloney
Declaration of Ordination		Mr. Maloney
Presentation of Certificate		Mr. Maloney
Presentation of Call		Mr. Maloney
Charge to the Pastor		Rev. Heiko E. Burklin
Charge to the Congregation		Mr. Alan Broyles
Installation Prayer		Rev. Clint Davis
Hymn	“Be Thou My Vision”	No. 562
Benediction		Rev. Matthew T. Mantooth

Mr. Mantooth accepted the call when it was presented to him by the Moderator.

A reception in honor of Mr. Mantooth and his family followed the service.

The Presbytery adjourned following the benediction by Mr. Mantooth.

Respectfully,  
 J. Steve Maloney, Moderator  
 Guy H. Smith, Stated Clerk

### OFFICIAL ROLL

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Ministers: Andrew Stager, Heiko E. Burklin, Clint Davis, Barry Dagenhart, Charles L. Mitchell, Jan, Senneker, Matthew T. Mantooth

Elder Representatives: Alan Broyles [Tirzah], Ed Mobley [Ebenezer], Bradley Brown [Neely’s Creek], T. C. S. Lever [Lancaster]

Visitor: Rev. Bill Thrailkill

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	October	W. W. Parkinson		1958	April	J. E. Pressly
1921	April	R. C. Grier			October	F. W. Sherrill
	October	R. D. Byrd		1959	April	T. S. Watt

1922	April	S. J. Hood		October	R. E. Sherer
	October	R. A. Lummus	1960	April	R. E. Beckham
1923	April	A.K. Whitesides		October	R. B. Elliott, Jr.
	October	E. B. Hinson	1961	April	J. T. Stephenson
1924	April	P. A. Pressly		October	W. P. Grier
	October	W. H. Stephenson	1962	April	J. N. Bigger
1925	April	N. E. Smith		October	J. B. Hendrick
	October	W. S. Patterson	1963	April	C. E. Linderman
1926	April	R. W. Bell		October	W. O. Ragsdale
	October	J. A. McKeown	1964	April	J. R. Moss
1927	April	O. W. Carmichael		October	D. L. Pearson
	October	H. T. Patterson	1965	April	W. F. Blakely
1928	April	R. A. Willis		October	B. E. DeWitt
	October	J. R. Miller	1966	April	J. C. Barker
1929	April	R. A. Rabb		October	F. B. Edwards
	October	R. C. Betts	1967	April	V. F. Latham
1930	April	R. L. Robinson		October	R. J. Robinson
	October	R. M. Stevenson	1968	April	W. M. Kennedy
1931	April	B. D. White		October	C. M. Coffey
	October	J. P. Johnson	1969-1970		C. R. Beard
1932	April	R. C. Grier		1970-1971	F. L. Shannon
	October	E. Gettys	1971-1972		J. A. Derrick
1933	April	A. S. Rogers		1973	G. F. Johnson
	October	J. G. Brawley		1974	R. W. Dickson
1934	April	R. M. Stevenson		1975	D. L. Pearson
	October	Oliver Johnson		1976	C. A. Steele
1935	April	A. R. Lotts		1977-1978	N. E. Parks
	October	R. A. Lummus		1978 [Jul.-Dec.]	C. T. Fincher
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	October	E. B. Hunter		1979-1980	G. H. Smith, Jr.
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	October	J. L. Grier		1981-1982	J. H. Boyce
1938	April	R. C. Betts		1982-1983	D. E. Tribble
	October	S. W. Rabb		1983-1984	F. J. Musselman
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	October	J. H. Snell		1985-1986	C. W. Todd
1940	April	W. R. Echols		1986-1987	E. C. McNair
	October	R. M. Bell		1987-1988	J. R. Blevins
1941	April	R. C. Grier		1988-1989	F. H. Riley
	October	K. H. Patrick		1989-1990	R. E. Beckham
1942	April	W. O. Ragsdale		1990-1991	C. R. Burrell
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1945	April	T. B. McBride		1996-1997	W. L. Heinsohn
	October	S. A. Boyce		1997-1998	D. O. Jones
1946	April	A. J. Ranson		1998-1999	T. G. Earle
	October	D. B. Pressly		1999-2000	W. R. Roberts
1947	April	R. M. Kerr		2000-2001	M. W. Chappell
	October	M. W. Griffith		2001-2002	R. B. Wilson
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	October	R. A. Lummus		2003-2004	A. K. Putnam
1949	April	W. P. Grier		2004-2005	W. T. Clary
	October	J. R. Love		2005-2006	D. H. Lauten
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	October	J. F. Heinsohn			
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	October	J. C. Smith			
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	October	J. M. Bell			

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1923-1951	Dr. W. P. Grier, Sr.
1951-1958	Rev. W. P. Grier, Jr.
1958-1962	Rev. John S. Banks

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J. Allen Derrick	July 7, 1968
James C. Barker	September 16, 1969
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October 12, 2010	Bethany
March 8, 2011	Sharon
June 7, 2011	Bonclarken
October 11, 2011	Bethel
March 13, 2012	Centennial
June 12, 2012	Bonclarken
October 9, 2012	Chester
March 12, 2013	Clover
June 11, 2013	Bonclarken
October 8, 2013	First Columbia

#### **2010 CATAWBA PRESBYTERY EVENTS**

October 1-3, 2010	Super Senior High Retreat – Catawba, First & Second Presbyteries – Bonclarken
October 12, 2010	Catawba Presbytery Stated Meeting – Bethany Church, Clover, SC – 10:00 A.M.
October 26, 2010	Catawba Presbytery Elders’ Association Meeting – Chester Church, Chester, SC - 7:00 P.M.
November 5-7, 2010	Catawba Presbytery Middle School Retreat - Bonclarken