# CATAWBA NEWS

# A newsletter published now and then for Catawba Presbytery. June 16, 2015

**NOTE:** Those receiving the newsletter are requested to provide a copy for each minister, clerk of session, chairman of the Board of Deacons, and Church Treasurer.

NEXT STATED MEETING
October 13, 2015
Edwards Memorial Church, Cayce, SC
10:00 A.M.

## **COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN**

Reports for the next Stated Meeting of Presbytery are <u>due September 9, 2015.</u> Please send the report by email to Guy Smith at <u>guysmith@comporium.net</u>.

#### PRESBYTERY NOTES

- Approved the amended calls to comply with ACA requirements for: David Setzer, Richard Brown, Brian Peake, Gregory Slater, Tom Wilson, Glenn Welsford, Mark Hering and Craig Wilkes. These calls begin July 1, 2015.
- Approved a new mission to be called Shem Creek Presbyterian, Associate Reformed Synod at Mt. Pleasant, SC to begin effective June 9, 2015.
- Examined and approved Benjamin T. Carver for licensure and ordination and a call for him as Mission Developer at Shem Creek. He will be ordained at a called meeting on July 5, 2015 with the service held at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Mt. Pleasant, SC at 5:00 p.m.
  - Approved the call for Darius Brycko to be a missionary for World Witness.

- The call was presented to him at his ordination on Mary 24, 2015.
- Received as students of theology Russell Harless a member of Crossings Community and Andrew Di Iulio a member at First Columbia.
- Examined and received Chaplain Andrew J. Dix from Charleston Atlantic Presbytery, PCUSA effective June 9, 2015. Andy is on active duty with the Army.
- Dissolved the bi-vocational relationship with Michael Lashley and Arsenal Hill July 31, 2015. Michael will be considered laboring outside the bounds beginning August 1, 2015.
- Granted a transfer for Walker Suits to Second Presbytery as a student of theology effective June 16, 2015
- Introduced Alan A. Morrow as the new Moderator beginning July 1, 2015 and Alan Broyles, Elder from Tirzah, as the new Vice Moderator/Moderator-elect beginning July 1, 2015. Alan Broyles will become Moderator on July 1, 2016.
- Expressed appreciation to Dan Felker for his faithful service as moderator during the last year..

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According to the Rules of Procedure requests for funds for the 2016 Presbytery Budget must be sent to Jim McLurkin with a copy to Buddy Lever no later than August 1, 2015.