

PRESBYTERY OF BLACKHAWK
MEETING AT FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PONTIAC, ILLINOIS
TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2016

Vision and Value Statement

Grounded in the Biblical image for human community, as disciples of Jesus, following His witness and command for His church. . . Guided by the principles of trust, open communication, and genuine relationships “We will challenge and support our congregations to be thriving faith communities by:

- *Providing competent pastoral leadership*
- *Resourcing to energize ministry*
- *Developing networks and partnerships of Presbyterians”*

(adopted January 11, 2004)

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- 9:00 Registration and Networks and Partnerships Center
- 9:15 First Time Commissioner Orientation
- 9:30 Opening Prayer/Stated Clerk’s Report
Adoption of Docket/Approval of Minutes/Orientation to the Meeting/New Elders
& Pastors Introduced,
- 9:45 Worship
- 10:30 Break
- 10:45 Learning Opportunities:
Moment for Mission Interpretation: César Carhuachín. Cesar is a mission co-
-worker serving as Professor of Bible and Theology at the Reformed University of
Colombia
- 10:55 New Beginnings Report
- 11:15 Moment for Mission Interpretation: The Reverend Tom Goetz, Mission
Volunteer at Hokusei Gakuen University, Sapporo, Japan. Member Milwaukee
Presbytery
- 11:30 Restructure Proposal, 2nd reading, discussion, action- Ad Hoc Structure team
- 12:00 Instructions for lunch
- 12:15 Lunch and Networks & Partnerships Center
- 1:00 Life Together
Church Paper Swap – At the April Presbytery meeting we did a “church paper
swap” in an effort to get to know one another & each other’s churches better.
You are invited to bring back the paper item that was gifted to you in April &
return it to the individual or church home from whence it came with your
comments, prayers, and correspondence
- (Business Plenary Session)
Treasurer/Trustees, Stronghold, Nominating, Administrative Commissions
(Washburn, Westminster Aurora, Bethany) CPM, Mission Strategies and
Resources Board, COM, Personnel, Business Affairs Committee.
- 2:00 New and Unfinished Business
- 2:15 Adjourn with Prayer

Next Stated Meeting of the Presbytery will be at First Presbyterian Church, Joliet, IL. at
9:00 am on September 13, 2016.