

PULPIT SUPPLY LIST
October 2018

TEACHING ELDERS

GREG ALBERT (C) 609-433-1163 pcnpastorgreg@gmail.com
5073 Hermitage Trail, Rockford, IL 61114 Travel: One hour from Rockford (one way)
Prefer not to do announcements Member New Brunswick Presbytery
I was the pastor of the Savanna church in the 1990s. I have been the pastor of two other churches and the interim pastor of another two. I have been an executive in three presbyteries. I retired in September 2017.

JAMES CAMP (H) 815-772-7937 happycampers1117@frontier.com
16045 Ridgewood Dr., Morrison, IL 61270 Travel: 60 miles (one way)
Prefer not to do announcements
Retired from Morrison Presbyterian church 12/31/04. Since then have taken 2 interim positions: one at Fulton Presbyterian church and one at Sterling Presbyterian (both in this Presbytery). Currently am a sitting pew potato but fill in from time to time at various churches in the area.

PEDER A. CARLSON (H) 815-633-7029 pederjan1@aol.com
12112 Ventura Blvd, Machesney Park, IL 61115 Travel: Open
Ordained in 1955 at Schapville Presbyterian Church where I served 7 years, followed by Round Lake (7 years) and concluded in Loves Park, retiring as their 30-year Pastor Emeritus in 1998.

ROBERT L. CONNER (H) 815-398-8388 conner.r@comcast.net
5011 Highcrest Rd., Rockford, IL 61107-2324 Travel: 60-70 miles (one way)
Retired, have had several very enjoyable interims in the Presbytery. I have done many Sunday supplies.

JANICE DIEFENTHALER (H) 608-876-6775 (C) 608-302-7604 revjaniced@gmail.com
9803 W. Topp Road, Evansville WI 53536 (40 miles north of Rockford)
Travel: 50 miles (one way)
Ordained in 2004. I have served Presbyterian churches in Scales Mound & Apple River (student pastor while I was in Seminary), Solo Pastor in Freeport & rural Shannon, IL, ELCA churches in Beaver Dam and Janesville, WI, as an interim pastor.

DALE DYKSTRA (C) 815-866-5110 daleadr_dykstra_373@comcast.net
855 Sunset Drive, Kewanee, IL 61443 Travel: Open
Retired Presbyterian Pastor. Served 23 years in Pennsylvania, 23 years in Illinois – 16.5 in Mendota, 6.5 in Kewanee/Elmira. Served as Stated Clerk, Huntingdon Presbytery 10 years.

GAVIN H. FINEFIELD (C) 815-878-1284 gavinfine@me.com (preferred)
32703 N. 100 East Road, Streator, IL 61384 Travel: Open
Unavailable late spring through fall
Ordained PCUSA minister

CHARLES E. "TED" GLIDDEN (C) 779-435-0689 (H) 815-436-7847 ceglidden@icloud.com
23454 W. Winston Ave., Plainfield, IL 60586 Travel: Open
Life Situation Preacher with Town and Country Churches, a New Church Development in Illinois, a Larger Parish and a Metropolitan Congregation in Illinois, a Larger Parish and a Metropolitan Congregation in Wisconsin and a Regional Parish in Australia. Pulpit Supply in 14 churches of Area 4.

SUSAN HERMAN (C) 224-548-9329 sam44walk@yahoo.com
509 Aurora Ave. Unit 612, Naperville, IL 60540 Travel: 50 miles (one way)
Prefer not to do announcements. Prefer occasional, not steady pulpit supply
Retired minister member of Chicago Presbytery (serving on CPM). Current part time hospital chaplain.
Served United PC, Belleville, KS; Evanshore PC, Skokie; Interim FPC, Alice, TX; Supply, Park Ridge PC (2013);
Hickory Hills PC (2015, 2017-2018). Love children, youth, mission, pastoral care!

DIANE JOCHUM (H) & (C) 815-541-7266 chaplainrev22@gmail.com
1004 Bertram Dr., Freeport, IL 61032 Travel: 2 hours (one way)
I have been a member of Blackhawk since 1993, serving on Cong. Development, COM, PJC, Nominating,
General Presbyter Search. Served as pastor of Prairie Dell Presbyterian for 8 years and as Member at
Large. Recently retired from position as chaplain for FHN Hospice and Hospital, Freeport.

SPENCER LAWRENCE (H) 815-673-5877 (C) 847-309-8484 scl1724@yahoo.com
44 Stanton Pl., Streator, IL 61364 Travel: 60 miles (one way)
Prefer to not do announcements Not Available January – April 15
I have served churches in Streator, Columbus, OH and suburban Chicago. In my preaching and leadership,
I attempted to tell the Good News so that people would welcome it and become good neighbors to those
who lived nearby.

CHERYL G. LUNDAY (H) 309-274-3717 (C) 309-361-6537 clunday2@gmail.com
1013 W. Elm St., Chillicothe, IL 61523 Travel: Open
Preferences: Would prefer to only do announcements if script is provided.
Retired minister. Served over 25 years as pastor of four churches in Kansas and Illinois and as interim in
Morrison. Over five years' experience as pulpit supply, plus 7 years in UCC church I attend in Chillicothe.

JOHN RICKARD (O) 815-732-6111 (C) 815-978-8145 johnrickard@blackhawkpresbytery.org
P.O. Box 199 Oregon, IL 61061 Travel: Open
General Presbyter, Blackhawk Presbytery

BETTY WEIDERT (C) 712-830-2077 bweidert4@gmail.com
114 Osage Court, Oswego, IL 60543 Travel: 1 hour (one way)
Have served a church in Iowa for 16 years until my retirement. Filled in as part-time Pulpit Supply for
AuSable Grove Presbyterian whose pastor had died suddenly. I preached 3 Sundays a month, lead a bible
study and young couples group, attended some committee meetings and did hospital, nursing home and
in-home visits.

LAY PREACHERS *(not authorized to administer sacraments unless special provisions made):*

MIKE ENGLE (H) 815-943-7592 (C) 815-451-6223 englem60@gmail.com
319 Marengo Road, Harvard, IL 60033 Travel: 90 minutes drive (one way)
Member and Elder of Harvard First Presbyterian
I will complete the CLP program through Dubuque Theological Seminary in May 2019. I am a vocalist for
the Praise worship team. I am also active on our Mission outreach committee. I have planned and
provided worship at Harvard and areas nursing home.

CHARLES JOHNSON (C) 815-970-6095 (H) 815-786-2151 vinedresser2@gmail.com
103 Elmwood Pl., Sandwich, IL 60548 Travel: Approx. 60 miles (one way)
In addition to interim training, I completed the CLP training hosted by our Synod under Carol McDonald. I
have been actively and regularly filling the pulpit in several churches for the last 12 years. Also a Ruling
elder, adult S.S. teacher and have presided over many funerals for unchurched or unaffiliated folks.

MARY LYNN KEIR (C) 815-919-2909 (H) 815-727-7431 dce806@sbcglobal.net
708 South Jackson St., Gardner, IL 60424 Travel: 50 miles (one way)
I was employed by First Pres Joliet for 16 years as Director of Christian Ed. After I retired, I completed the
CRE program at the Univ. of Dubuque Theological Seminary. (Certified ready for commissioning.)

WENDY K. KELLER (C) 815-830-2750 wkeller2@gmail.com
4649 E. 1175 Rd., Earlville, IL 60518 Travel: Open
Lifelong Presbyterian serving in many areas. Recently completed CRE program through Univ. of Dubuque Theological Seminary. "Young Life" youth leader, worship leader – contemporary worship team, high school Christian Educator, Director/Head Teacher at a Christian Pre-School, also works with accelerated and special needs elementary students – District #289.

AMY RITTER (H) 630-871-2926 (C) 630-818-5535 beren_and_luthien@yahoo.com
223 E. Seminary Ave, Wheaton, IL 60187 Travel: 1.5 hours (one way)
I have an M.Div. from Princeton Theological Seminary and have done everything necessary to take a call (except take one, due to family needs). Have done pulpit supply in a number of different churches since 2003 in about 5 states.

LAURIE WALKER (H) 815-495-3692 (C) 815-274-3444 laurelawalker@gmail.com
2151 E. US Hwy 34, Leland, IL 60531 Travel: 60 miles (one way)
Completed CRE program in 2016. Provides pulpit supply for area churches and provides special services on Kenya Partnership. Serves as moderator of the Blackhawk Presbytery Mission Committee. Has a special interest in mission and Christian education.

ELIZABETH (Beth) WICKS (H) 815-625-6717 grwbaw@comcast.net
1206 Riverview Rd, Sterling, IL 61081 Travel: 40 miles (one way)
Elder and member of Sterling First Pres., Graduate of Synod of Lincoln Trails CLP/CRE training. Have served as pulpit supply for over 6 years in various area Presbyterian churches. In some churches, I am responsible for preparing the bulletin and leading the whole service.

KAREN WILLIAMS (C) 815-981-2011 karenwilliams2127@comcast.net
Member Westminster Presbyterian, Joliet, IL Travel: 1 hour (one way)
I completed my CRE training in May of 2017. I have been doing pulpit supply for over 3 years. I have been commissioned to serve at Wilmington First Presbyterian for one year in 2015 and at New Lenox Central Presbyterian for one year in 2017.