



PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
(USA)

The Presbyterian Church in Geneva

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The Reverend Dr. Deborah Lind-Schmitz, Pastor

To the members of The Presbyterian Church in Geneva,

On behalf of the nominating committee, it is my privilege to invite all active members to a congregational meeting at 11:30 am, Sunday, May 17, 2020 for the purpose of electing a Pastor Nominating Committee. Please keep in mind that you must “attend” the meeting in order to vote, either by using Zoom via your computer, mobile device or by calling on the phone. (see backside of letter for ID and password)

The nominating committee proudly presents the following slate for your approval:

Henry Augustine
Ruth Benedict
Sigrid Carle
Lisa Gage
Bill Lamb
Donna Newcomb
David Phillips
Ethan Powell
Andrea Robertson

The selection of a PNC is a significant, potentially nerve-wracking time in the life of any church, and ours is certainly no exception. Thank you for approaching this process with faith, hope and trust- both in God and in the extraordinary community that we have created together over the past 31 years. The nominating committee had a very difficult job selecting members to serve- not because there are so few great choices, but because there are so many.

I miss lots and lots of things about attending church in person, but one of my personal favorites is when I stand in the fellowship hall on a Sunday morning and look around at all of the conversations. I look at all of you and think, “this is such an amazing group of people. I would go to war with them any day.” Of course, going to war is exactly what we’re not about, so it’s not the right phrase. In this time of internal and external challenges, let us go to peace together. Let us rely on the faith, the friendship and the pure enjoyment of being one body in Christ that makes our church so special. The honest truth is that any pastor will be as lucky to have us as we are to have that pastor. Let us step hopefully and confidently into our future together.

Be well (and attend May 17!),
Chris Gerling & Walt Gage, co-chairs, nominating committee

Schedule for Sunday May 17, 2020

10:00 am Gathering on Zoom using Sunday interactive worship ID

Meeting ID: 378 875 768

Password: 027041

Dial by your location

+1 929 205 6099 US (New York)

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10:30 am Worship

11:15 am Coffee Chat

(Leave worship Zoom meeting and reconnect using a different ID)

11:30 am Congregational Meeting

Re-Join Zoom Meeting using

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87520933591?pwd=N1Rjayt1Q2JrNklLVU1M2tNMzdrdz09>

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