

**MINUTES OF A STATED MEETING OF THE PRESBYTERY OF NEVADA
March 8 – 11, 2018**

Preceding the stated meeting of the Presbytery of Nevada, there were committee meetings and an orientation for first time Ministers and Elder Commissioners conducted by Elder Ray Bledsoe.

The Spring Meeting of the Presbytery of Nevada was called to order at 1:00 pm by Moderator, Rev. Robert Kelley, on Tuesday, March 10, 2018, Mt. View Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, Nevada. Opening worship and prayer was offered by the Reverends Adrian Doll, Green Valley Presbyterian Church and Capt. Mitchell Holley, Chaplain, U.S.A.F.. Prayer by Rev. Scott Trevithick, Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Reno, NV.

ROLL CALL	MINISTERS	ELDER COMMISSIONER
Bishop, Valley	Vacant	Leigh Shambo
Elko, First	Rev. Tom Holslag	Lynn Bondo
Gardnerville, Christ	Pastor Carl Dahlen, CLP	Jan White Jim White
Hawthorne, Community	Pastor Linda Young, CLP Pastor Rob Schleef, CLP	Gary Funk
Henderson, Henderson	Rev. Lee Styer	Gilbert Tam
Henderson, Green Valley	Rev. Adrian Doll	Connie Mullick Bill Ruby Jorge Sanchez
S. Lake Tahoe, Community	Bob Kelley	John Harbison Lynn Barnett
Lamoille, Community	Vacant	Jim LeBret
Las Vegas:		
Grace	Rev. Dana Pope	Bruce Laird Norma Somers Jim Stuhmer
First Filipino Am	Rev. Mariano "Nonong" Ordonez	Myrna Dimzon Theresa Mateo
First Korean	Vacant	Jo Ook Mitchell

First Thai Laotian	Rev. Prachuab Dechawan	Leticia Doles Kevin Inthaly
Mountain View	Rev. David Dendy	Bonnie Moore Susan Paddock Claire Stryker
Westminster	Pastor David Rhee, CRE	Melva O'Neill Meg Sandeen
Lee Vining, CA		
Community	Rev. Rebecca Watkins	Paula Forsberg
Reno, St. John's	Rev. Jim Young	Ron Scovill Elaine York
Sparks, Reno Korean	Excused	Excused
Sparks, Spanish Springs	Rev. Pat Mecham	Elaine Noble Joyce Whiteford
Truckee, CA		
Lutheran Presby	Rev. Jeanie Shaw Rev. Joanie Tankersley	Bill Tankersley
Virginia City, First	Vacant	Dianne Murray Lou Murray
Wells	Excused	Excused

NEW CHURCH DEVELOPMENTS

First Taiwanese Las Vegas Rev. Paul Chen

Valley, Mesquite Vacant

Other Ministers Present – Reverends: Bob Crall, Ross Doyel, HR; Ken Eimer; Al Fry, HR; Kenneth Harper, HR; Capt. Mitchell Holley, Richard Hutchison, HR; Adolph Kunen; Ed Luckett, Jr., HR; Hilda Pecoraro, Christy Ramsey, William Stryker, HR; Vernon Towne, HR; Scott Trevithick.

Ministers Excused – Reverends: William Baltz, HR; Jim Blades; Jim Clark, HR; Douglas Gregg, HR; Ed Hilton; Jim Houston-Hencken; Jim Juhan; Bruce Kochsmeier, Jackie Leonard; Milt Nolan, Kyong David Pak; Robert Stover, HR; Sue Taylor, Dory Thompson, HR.

Ministers Absent – Reverends: Barbara York

Other CRE's Present – Antonio Zambrano; Gary Koon

CREs Excused – Evangelina Zambrano

Other Elders on Roll: Delois Basnett, Moderator of Equipping; Ray Bledsoe, Moderator of Trustees; Joan Jeffers, Stated Clerk; Vern Manke, Director of Finance; Denis Pecoraro, Trustees; Scott Plummer, Council Moderator; Lynne Zenier, Vice Moderator and Moderator of Personnel.

Corresponding Members - In accordance with the Presbytery Manual of Operations, Presbytery **VOTED** to **ENROLL** the following individuals as Corresponding Members:

Rev. Sean Chow, Western Associate for 1001 Worshipping Communities, Office of the General Assembly, Pastor Zachary Darrah, Fresno Interdenominational Refugee Mission; Rev. Joe Fontana, HR, Presbytery of Coastal Carolina; Rev. Mark Frey, Presbytery of the Cascades; Rev. Jeanie Shaw, Sacramento Presbytery, Sacramento, CA;

Others to be enrolled: Elder Bedford Holmes, Executive Director, Zephyr Point Presbyterian Conference Center; Elder Renee Kelly, Coordinator for Youth Missions, Green Valley Presbyterian Church; Rene Myers, Western Regional Representative, Presbyterian Mission Agency.

Others Present – Endry Chou, Steering Committee, Taiwanese Church, Las Vegas, NV; Peggy Hall, Elder, Spanish Springs, Sparks, NV; Henry Huang, Steering Committee, Taiwanese Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV; Joy Hutchison, Elder, Spanish Springs, Sparks, NV; KiSang Jang, Clerk of Session, First Korean, Las Vegas, NV; Penny Ku, Steering Committee, Taiwanese Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV; Louisa Kuo, Steering Committee, Taiwanese Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV; Ani Lela’a, Synod of the Pacific, Petulama, CA; Barbara LeBret, Elder, Community, Lamoille, NV; Emily Root, Green Valley Presbyterian Church, Henderson, NV; Anne Sigurdson, Elder, St. John’s Presbyterian Church, Reno, NV; Karen Stokes, Elder, Registrar, Mountain View Presbyterian, LV; Claire Stryker, Elder, Grace Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV; Ellen Stuhmer, Grace Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV; Cindy Tsai, Steering Committee, Taiwanese Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV; Joseph Tsai, Taiwanese Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV; Tony Zenier, Grace Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV.

Guests: Sylvia Cooke, Community, Lee Vining, CA; Gloria Dechawan, First Thai-Laotian, Las Vegas, NV; Johnnie Doyel, Nancy Fontana, Green Valley Presbyterian Church, Henderson, NV; Linda Rauenbuehler, Green Valley, Henderson, NV; Priscilla Schleef, Community, Hawthorne, NV; Margaret Towne.

Attendance Totals:

Teaching Elders	32
Corresponding Members	5
Elder Commissioners	32
CRE's	6
Other Elders	17
Guests	6
→TOTALS	98

QUORUM - After consultation with the Stated Clerk, the Moderator declared a quorum.

Welcome Host – Rev. David Dendy, Mt. View Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV

Approve Docket – Presbytery **VOTED** to **APPROVE** the docket

Consent Agenda – Presbytery **VOTED** to **APPROVE** the Consent Agenda

CLERK’S REPORT 2018

SPRING 2018 PRESBYTERY MEETING

Mt. View Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV

ORDINATIONS	NONE
CHARTERED	NONE
INSTALLATIONS	NONE
ENROLLMENTS	NONE
DISMISSALS	NONE
REMOVED	NONE
RENUNCIATED	NONE
RELEASED	NONE
VALIDATED MINISTRY	NONE
RETIRED	NONE
INACTIVE	NONE
LABOR IN BOUNDS	NONE
LABOR OUT OF BOUNDS	NONE
OTHER (NCD)	NONE

RECORDS REVIEW

Records review for Southern Churches, Monday, April 9, 2018, 7 p.m.

COUNCIL EMAIL VOTES:

Council **VOTED** on January 13, 2018 to **APPROVE** the request from Rev. B. E. Lockett, Jr. for an endorsement for his certification for the diplomate in Pastoral Supervision – CRE Supervisor;

Council **VOTED** on January 23, 2018 to **APPROVE** Emily Fonder from First Presbyterian Church In Elko, NV as our YAAD to the 223rd General Assembly to replace Katherine Jones from Christ Church who was unable to attend;

Council **VOTED** on March 13, 2018 to **APPROVE** the following individuals to the Permanent Judicial Committee on a temporary basis to achieve a quorum: Ruling Elder Gil Tam, Henderson Presbyterian Church, Ruling Elder Bill Ruby, Green Valley Presbyterian Church, Pastor David Rhee, Westminster Presbyterian Church, Rev. B. E. Lockett, Jr. HR, Chaplain, Pastor Rob Schleef, At Large Minister and Rev. Sue Taylor, At Large Minister.

End of Clerk’s Report

RECORDS REVIEW

Community, Hawthorne	Approved, with no exceptions
First Church, Elko	Approved, with no exceptions
First Filipino-American of S. Nevada	Approved, with no exceptions
Grace Church, Las Vegas	Approved, with no exceptions
Green Valley Church, Henderson	Approved, with no exceptions
Henderson Church, Henderson	Approved, with no exceptions
Mountain View, Las Vegas	Approved, with no exceptions
Westminster, Las Vegas	Approved, with no exceptions

Trained New Clerks: Teresa Mateo, First Thai-Laotian Church, Las Vegas, NV, Hanny Viner, Green Valley Church, Las Vegas, NV; Leigh Shambo, Valley Bishop, Bishop, CA.

MISSION FILM – Nicaragua Mission Trip

RECOGNITION - Ani Lele’a, Treasurer/Investment Services, Coordinator/Assistant to the Transitional Executive Presbyter, Synod of the Pacific

Rev. Hilda Pecararo read an overview of the service and contributions of Ani. Rev. Robert Kelley read the Proclamation of Ani Lele’a Day and Elder Vern Manke presented the gifts to Ani from the Presbytery and the staff.

GREETINGS:

Rev. Mark Frey, Western Region Representative, Board of Pensions
Elder Rene Myers, Western Regional Representative, Presbyterian Mission Agency
Rev. Sean Chow, Western Associate for 1001 Worshipping Communities, Office of the General Assembly

ACTIVE SHOOTER TRAINING

Officer Meghan Kraut, Las Vegas Metro, FLO Management Team, OCE/SNCTC

Officer Meghan Kraut led the training, assisted by her supervisor Sergeant Sgt. Ivan Chapman. She introduced the Chaplain, Janeen Walsh and explained her role and how she can be of assistance. The Las Vegas Metro developed this program and provided detailed information recognizing those that may be a danger and steps to prevent death or injury. The two big things we carried away were: See Something, Say Something and Have A Plan!

Moderator’s Reception hosted by Zephyr Point Presbyterian Conference Center Elder Bedford Holmes

CLOSING PRAYER AND DINNER BLESSING – Rev. Rebecca Watkins, Community Presbyterian Church, Lee Vining, CA

Presbyters **VOTED** to **APPROVE** a motion to adjourn at 5.00 P.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Designation of Worship Offering: Elder Vern Manke
Elko, First Church for their Youth College Fund Ministry

Dinner Plans – Rev. David Dendy, Mt. View Church
Dinner hosted by First Thai-Laotian Church, Las Vegas, NV. Dinner was prepared by members of the **First Thai-Laotian Church** and was just incredible, as was their hospitality.

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WORSHIP AND COMMUNION SERVICE

Music by First Thai-Laotian Praise Team under the director of Elder Kevin Inthaly

Preaching: Pastor Carl Dahlen, Christ Presbyterian Church, Gardnerville, NV.

“All That Really Matters”

Scriptures: Romans 5:1 – 11, New Revised Standard Version (NRSV)

Communion: The Reverend Robert Kelley, Moderator, Community, S. Lake Tahoe
The Reverend David Dendy, Mt. View, Las Vegas, NV

Assisted by: Elders Gary and Barb Mickelson

Moderator’s Reception, hosted by Zephyr Point Presbyterian Conference Center
Elder Bedford Holmes and Board President, Elder Peggy Hall

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NEVADA PRESBYTERY STATED MEETING

March 11, 2018, 8:30 a.m.

Mt. View Presbyterian Church, Las Vegas, NV

Call to Order: Rev. Robert Kelley, Moderator

Morning Worship and Prayer: Rev. Mariano Ordonez, First Filipino-American
Presbyterian Church of Southern Nevada and

The First Filipino Praise Team, led by Musical Director Edward Granadosin and
Nayi Cruzado. Also participating was Teresa Mateo.

Rev. Ordonez delivered a moving sermon based on, “What Is the Shape of True Love”
Scripture reference: John 3:16

To illustrate this point, he showed an extraordinarily moving DVD called “The
Love of A Father”

Report on Contributions from Worship Service – Elder Vern Manke, Director of Finance

A total of **\$1,813.00** was raised to go to the Youth College Fund for First Church, Elko, NV

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

TRUSTEES – Elder Ray Bledsoe, Moderator of Trustees

Moderator Bledsoe reported that a grant was approved for Westminster Church of Las Vegas for \$6,525 for landscape improvements;

There will be no more Financial Health Assessment Forms that Clerks complete. The YE Annual Statistical Reports will be used to obtain the data;

Proposed GA Per Capita Increase:

The Moderator called on Rene Myers, Western Regional Representative for the Presbytery Mission Agency to provide the report. Should the overture pass, it would be a \$3.00 increase per member staggered over 2 years. A \$2.98 increase for 2019 and \$.74 increase for 2020.

Presbytery **VOTED** to **RECEIVE** the report from Trustees.

FINANCIAL REPORTS – The Moderator called on Elder Vern Manke, Director of Finance

Individual financial reports were shown on Power Point as they were explained. We had \$582,000 at the beginning of the year and \$497,000 at the end of 2017. We provided grants to Zephyr Point - \$50,000 (Dobbins Hall), Presbytery of the Redwoods - \$10,000 (rebuilding after fires), First Church of Elko - \$17,500 (Roof), Hawthorne - 11,000 (Landscape and projects to update church) and Lamoille - \$5,000 (to restore antique stained glass windows).

General Fund - \$133,000, Operating Funds - \$393,000, Treasurer Report - \$111,738 (total of funds), Administrative Fund - \$143,000.

Presbytery **VOTED** to **ACCEPT** the Financial Reports.

End of Report

NOMINATING – Rev. Scott Trevithick, Moderator

Moderator Trevithick showed a Power Point to explain the responsibilities of nominating and how they perform their tasks. He introduced the committee members and asked them to stand.

The Moderator announced the replacement GA Commissioner for 2018; Rev. Adrian Doll from Green Valley Presbyterian Church. He will become the Primary Pastor Commissioner for 2020. This action was approved by the Committee and Council by email vote as GA is so near.

End of Report

PERSONNEL – Elder Lynne Zenier, Moderator

Moderator Zenier stated all staff are committed to staying and how blessed the presbytery is to have them. She advised that all Pastors and Clerks of Session will receive evaluation forms to complete for the staff and asked them to please complete and return them. There was a very poor response last year. She advised staff will be given a self-evaluation, as well as, an evaluation to be given to three individuals of staff's choice to complete.

End of Report

PRESBYTERY PASTOR – The Rev. Hilda Pecoraro

Rev. Pecoraro began by sharing that the challenges of ministry can sometimes create an overwhelming isolation for pastors. One of the primary duties for the presbytery pastor position is to provide an outlet, in a safe environment for pastors as well as events to remind them they are a part of a connectal church. This is largely done by the Pastors’ Luncheons which are put on in conjunction with the Equipping Committee.

Rev. Pecoraro informed the body that most of our churches are moving forward in the face of challenging times. She gave the following examples of ways in which our churches are doing this:

- First Filipino-American Church and Henderson Church participated in a joint Maundy Thursday and Easter service;
- Truckee Lutheran/Presbyterian Church, in the true sense of Ecumenical cooperation, worked with 2 neighboring congregations for the Easter Service;
- Green Valley Presbyterian Church put on two half day workshops and invited the Southern churches to participate;
- First Thai-Laotian Church baptized 9 children plus their Mom and 2 children of other families on Easter Sunday!

These are only a few examples of our churches working to face an uncertain future. Rev. Pecoraro challenged the churches to continue to find ways to be relevant by:

- Answering the questions people are asking;
- To communicate our faith in clear and compelling ways;
- To demonstrate our faith in tangible ways;
- To intentionally create a community of welcome and affection;
- To seek unbelievers and show them our love and acceptance of them in the name of Jesus Christ; and,
- To show God’s love for the world as well as our love for each other.

End of Report

SYNOD COMMISSIONERS REPORT:

Rev. Pat Mecham reminded us that Synod has over 4 million dollars ready to be borrowed. He reported that the Synod continues to have a joint venture with PILP (Presbyterian Investment and Loan Program). He also shared that Grace Church borrowed 3.5 million for their new church.

Elder Elaine Noble reported on the failed personnel action to hire a permanent Executive Presbyter and that Elder Jane Odell continues as the Transitional Stated Clerk. She shared the Synod gave out \$9,000 for 2 Hilda Thompson Grants, \$15,000 for 2 Emerging Grants and \$16,000 for 2 Opportunity Grants.

Rev. Rebecca Watkins reported she is the “new kid on the block” and although she has nothing yet to report, she was inspired by the Synod organization and encourages others to participate.

End of Report

The Moderator shared that the tradition of the Moderator’s Cross which passes from Moderator to Moderator was begun by Rev. Ralph Lemme in the 1980’s.

EQUIPPING COMMITTEE – Elder Delois Basnett, Moderator

The Moderator informed presbyters the committee approved a mission project for \$700 for Lake Tahoe Community Church, Annual Workshop, “Decluttering Your Life”; St. John’s Church grant for the Older Adult Ministry Conference for \$1,078.00, Alaskan Presbyterian Mission Trip for up to \$1800 to pay 1/3 of the participant’s cost. If a student is unable financially to pay for their trip, the committee will consider a scholarship.

The Thai-Laotian Church has requested a grant for food sponsorship for the National Meeting of the Thai-Laotian Churches to be held in Las Vegas. The Thai-Laotian Church is the sponsor for the conference. The committee will consider this grant after paperwork is received.

The committee approved \$9,000 funding for students to attend Triennium in July of 2019.

The committee has confirmed the Northern Pastor’s Luncheons for May 19, 2018 at Spanish Springs Church in Sparks, NV. The Southern Pastor’s Luncheon was on March 14, 2018 at Green Valley Church in Henderson.

The committee formed a Spiritual Formation task force comprised of Al Fry, Joanie Tankersley, Adolph Kunen and Anne Sigurdson. They are to be pro-active in promoting Spiritual Formation and worship events in the presbytery. The committee is recommending that Council appoint a Task Force, including the Moderator, to address the committee’s worship issue concerns. After discussion, the Moderator withdrew the motion.

The Committee reported it denied a request from the Administrative Personnel Association for assistance with scholarships for the annual conference. The committee reported it also denied a request from the Administrative Personnel Association for concurrence on their Overture.

Elaine Noble – Environmental Issues

Earth Day is April 22, 2018. There is a resource online at the PC(U.S.A.) website on, “Creation and Our Role In It”. Elaine’s hope is that people will check it out and use it. September 1 – October 4, 2018 is considered Creation Season. It includes World Day of Prayer and St. Francis’ Day.

End of Report

COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY – Pastor Carl Dahlen, Moderator

The Moderator advised the committee approve a one-time \$1000 payment to Whitworth College which allows free access to Commissioned Lay Pastor courses at no cost to presbytery members,

The committee approved the \$20,000 cost for a roof for First Virginia Church to come from the committee’s Small Church Assistance fund (rather than the General Fund),

The committee approved \$2,000 from the Pastor Training Fund for Rev. Hilda Pecoraro for a Mission Trip to Kenya in the fall,

The committee approved the Pastor Nominating Committee for the Truckee Lutheran/Presbyterian Church.

Valley, Bishop Update

The committee received a report from Rev. Robert Crall and Elder Leigh Shambo on the state of the church. Rev. Irv Porter, the Native American Representative for General Assembly will be coming to the Valley, Bishop church to put on a retreat on Memorial Day weekend. A great working relationship has been formed between Rev. Crall, Pastor Dahlen and Rev. Irv Porter (who is Native American). Rev. Crall informed the committee that because of the condition of his son-in-law, he would no longer be able to Moderate the Session. Rev. Christy Ramsey was recommended to fill the Moderator position and he accepted. Lastly, after discussion regarding Rev. Tammy Red Owl's status, the committee sadly voted to remove her from the roles of the denomination. For the record, the committee is willing to work with Rev. Redowl whenever she is willing to meet with them.

First, Virginia City Update

Clerk of Session and Elder Commissioner Lou Murray and Elder Commissioner Diane Murray informed the committee they are in the process of calling a Pastor. Should the way be clear, they expect to have a called Pastor by the fall.

Valley, Mesquite Update

John Howells, Carol Howells, Carol Peters and Milt Riley attended the COM meeting and informed the committee they are working through the PIF's in an attempt to find a called Pastor. They stated the church is healthy financially and membership is steady. Therefore, as soon as they are able to hire a Pastor they will move forward with Chartering.

Zephyr Point Presbyterian Conference Center Update

Ruling Elder Bedford Holmes informed the committee of the possibility of forming a New Worshipping Committee at the Center based on the Iona model. Ryan McKenzie, the Director of Programs, chose Scottish studies as his specialty during Seminary. Bedford also informed us that Ryan will be coming under the care of the Presbytery of Nevada in the fall.

Rev. Judith Donaldson, HR, Update

Rev. Donaldson informed the committee that her tenure at the Methodist Church at Carlin has ended. She is prayerfully considering beginning a New Worshipping Community in Battle Mountain to assist the homeless addicted.

First Taiwanese Church Update

Pastor Paul Chen introduced Louisa Kuo, Endry Chou, Cindy Tsai and Henry Huang, all members of the Steering Committee. He informed the committee that the church is thriving and that they will be requesting approval for Chartering and approval of the Chartering Commission.

TERMS OF CALL

The terms of call for installed pastors was presented by power point. After review and discussion, corrections were made to some of the terms.

Presbytery **VOTED** and **APPROVED** the terms of call, as amended.

The Moderator informed Presbyters that the committee is discussing whether it wants to see Interim and Validated Ministry terms. Pastors will be informed prior to the Spring meeting in 2019.

End of Report

MISSION OUTREACH— Rev. Prachuab Dechawan, Acting Moderator

Rev. Dechawan affirmed the committee's commitment to Teen Challenge and F.I.R.M., the Fresno Interdenominational Refugee Ministry.

Teen Challenge – David Davis, Executive Director

David reminded us that Teen Challenge is the only Faith-based addictive behavior treatment facility in Las Vegas. He was pleased to inform us that they now have expanded their scope to include men, women and children. They have also begun a Prison Ministry. He introduced Josh who is a 3 month resident of the facility to give his testimony.

F.I.R.M. , Executive Director, Rev. Zach Darrah.

Rev. Darrah reported that their main focus now is the Syrian Refugee and Reconciliation Crisis. Because F.I.R.M. is non-denominational and interfaith, they have been able to partner with the Islamic Cultural Center of Fresno and 4 other Muslim centers to coordinate meeting the needs of 24 Syrian refugee families they are currently serving. These 24 families represent 150 people (80 to 90 being children). Despite this huge commitment, they are still maintaining their service to the Hmong, Laotian, Slavic and African groups. When Zach began there were 8 staff, there are now 40 of many different nationalities to better serve their refugees. Lastly, they have built a new building and named it The Rev. Sharon Stanley Community Center.

Rev. Bob Kelley prayed for the ministries of Teen Challenge and F.I.R.M.

Rev. Dechawan also confirmed their continued support of Amazing Grace Ministries, Henderson Church Food Bank and the Food Bank at Westminster Church. He also said that the Mission Outreach Committee is a victim of its own success. By that, he meant that we will have no more ethnic New Church Developments after the chartering of the Taiwanese Church. Accordingly, they have asked Rev. Nonong to speak with colleagues at the upcoming National Asian Conference and seek assistance in locating Viet Nam, Cambodian and Indonesian Christians to see if they would be interested in worshipping with and eventually joining our presbytery. Rev. Dechawan called on Rev. Paul Chen, Taiwanese Church of Las Vegas. Rev. Chen shared the path of the Taiwanese Church toward chartering and thanked the Presbytery for their support.

Rev. Dechawan made a motion to approve the chartering and to approve the Chartering Commission comprised of: Rev. Adolph Kunen, Rev. Jim Houston-Hencken, Rev. Nonong, Rev. Dechawan, Rev. Paul Chen and Louisa Kuo, Anthony Chou and Scott Pan of the Steering Committee.

Presbytery **VOTED** to **APPROVE** the motion(s) from the committee.

Rev. Adolph Kunen prayed for the Taiwanese Church and the ministry of Rev. Chen.

End of Report

Resolution of Thanks – Rev. Scott Trevithick

Closing Prayer and Lunch Blessing – Rev. Tom Holslag

Presbytery **VOTED** to **ADJOURN** at 12:11 p.m

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DECLUTTERING YOUR LIFE!

Hosted by Lake Tahoe Community Presbyterian Church, Saturday, May 5, 2018, 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., see nevadapresbytery.org for details

Summer Council/Trustee Meetings – Spanish Springs Church, Sparks, Saturday, 6/2/2018, 8:45 a.m., fellowship, Convene 9:00 a.m. (*Trustees to convene at 1:00 p.m.*)

General Assembly, St. Louis, MO., June 16 – 23, 2018

Fall Presbytery Gathering: Reno Korean Church, Sparks NV, Co-Hosted by Spanish Springs Church, Sparks, NV on September 9 – 12, 2018

Permanent Judicial Commission Training – September 10, 2018, Fall Presbytery by The Rev. Dr. Keith Geckeler, HR, Transitional Stated Clerk, Presbytery of San Francisco, CA

Prevention of Sexual Harassment and Safe Child Training - September 11, 2018, Fall Presbytery by Rev. Jane Odell, HR, Transitional Executive Presbyter, Synod of the Pacific

Mid-Council Leaders Gathering, Chicago, Illinois – October 5 – 7, 2018

Associated Stated Clerk Gathering, Chicago, Illinois, October 7 – 9, 2018

New Moderators Training, November 15 – 17, 2018, Brown Hotel, Louisville, KY

Respectfully submitted,



Joan Jeffers, Stated Clerk