

Our Vision
Yellowstone
Presbytery -
guided and
sustained by
Scripture, the Holy
Spirit, and prayer --
is a community
rooted in the love of
Jesus Christ

We will . . .
Gather Together
for God's glory and
spiritual synergy*.

Equip and
Encourage
disciple-making
congregations and
leaders for living
the Gospel . . .
intentionally
becoming more like
Christ; ably sharing
our faith; impacting
our communities;
worshipping in
loving response to
God; and mutually
supporting and
training leaders.

Go Out to join
Christ in Christ's
mission in our
communities,
Montana, and the
world . . .
embodying and
sharing Christ's
Good News; loving
and serving, as we
are commanded, in
our words, actions,
and relationships.

* Synergy: from the
Greek syn-ergos,
συνεργός meaning
working together.

Yellowstone Presbytery Stated Meeting*
March 7 & 8, 2025 from 12:00 noon to 12:30 p.m.
In-person at Butte 1st Presbyterian Church and via Zoom

**Rooted in God;
Uprooted by Grace**

Ephesians 3:14-21 NIV

¹⁴ For this reason I kneel before the Father, ¹⁵ from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name. ¹⁶ I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, ¹⁷ so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, ¹⁸ may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, ¹⁹ and to know this love that surpasses knowledge— that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

²⁰ Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, ²¹ to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.



FRIDAY MARCH 7 & SATURDAY MARCH 8:
12:00 NOON FRIDAY TO 12:30 P.M. SATURDAY WITH BREAKS
FRIDAY EVENING DINNER CHURCH AT THE LARSON HOME 6:30 P.M.
Rename your Zoom square with your name, position & town!!

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Rename your Zoom square with your name, position and town!!!

Don't Forget to Register!!

****Register your attendance** by email to caroline@yellowstonepcusa.org

Give your name, church or ministry, and if you are a Teaching Elder or Ruling Elder, Commissioner, Corresponding Member, or Visitor.

***Meeting materials are available at www.yellowstonepcusa.org under "Presbytery Meeting"**

Meal Cost: handwarmers, gloves, and/or winter hats for Butte Rescue Mission

Welcome to this Stated Meeting of Yellowstone Presbytery

AGENDA:

- Friday March 7 11:00 a.m. Registration opens**
- 12:00 noon Fellowship time with Lunch available**
- 1:00 p.m. Welcome, Opening Prayer Russ Kline and Karolee Larson**
- Roll Call & Declaration of a Quorum Stated Clerk Caroline Fleming**
- 1:20 Word-Share-Prayer, small groups Ephesians 3: 14-21 Dave Thompson**
- 2:00 Short stretch break**
- 2:05 Spirit Sightings – FPC Dillon**
- 2:15 Equipping “Practicing the Way: Be with Jesus, Become like him, Do as he did”
Videos, small groups, prayer partners**
- 3:15 Large group feedback & sharing from small groups**
- 3:30 In small groups make lunches for Butte Rescue Mission during snack/break**
- 4:00 Business Meeting – Part 1**
- Stated Clerk Report & Omnibus Motion Caroline Fleming**
- General Presbyter’s Report Kathy Goodrich**
- Rep/Nom Report: Sandy Welch/Lanny Rounds**
- 1st Reading of Nomination Slate**
- PMT Part 1- Goodbye to Daniel Triller and family Debbie Blackburn**
- Leadership Cabinet report Dave Thompson**
- Recommendation to adopt Anti-Racism Policy**
- Recommendations on Overtures 24-H, 24-I, 24-J, and 24-M**
- Recommendation to elect Sandy Welch Moderator of Rep/Nom team**
- Treasurer’s Report**
- 5:15 Review of Dinner Church & Spirit Sightings Sarah Tunall**
- 5:30 Announcements**
- 6:30 Dinner Church at the Larson home (30 E Badger Lane)
Recess for evening after Dinner Church**
- Saturday March 8**
- 8:30 a.m. Reconvene with Prayer**
- Word-Share-Prayer Ephesians 3: 14-21 Julie Boksich**
- 9:00 Practicing the Way, Part 2, video & discussion**

- 9:30 Business Meeting – Part 2**
Rep/Nom 2nd Reading of Nominations Sandy Welch/Lanny Rounds
 Vote on slated nominations from Rep/Nom
- Camping and Youth Report** Sarah Tunall
Permanent Judicial Commission Report Sandi Schoenberger
 Recommendations on Overtures 24-K and 24-L
PMT Report part 2 Debbie Blackburn & Neva Rathbun
 Celebration of the Ministry of Dick and Mary Davis
- 10:15 Retirement Celebration for Rev.'s Davises @ Break**
- 10:30 PMT Report part 3** Debbie Blackburn & Neva Rathbun
 Recommendations on Overtures 24-A, 24-B-24-C, 24-D, 24-E,
 24-F, and 24-G
Synod Commissioners' Report - written Jim Tarr
- 11:25 Spirit Sightings & Surprises**
Meeting Summary
Announcements
- 11:40 Closing Worship includes Installation of 2025 Moderator Melissa Bell,**
necrology report, offering, and communion
Today's offering goes to The Westminster Spires Camp Scholarship Fund. To give in person, make your payable to FPC Butte. To give online: Go to www.yellowstonepcusa.org and click on the GIVE NOW button, upper right. To give by mail, send check payable to Yellowstone Presbytery to: Yellowstone PCUSA, PO Box 1254, Bozeman MT 59771
- 12:30 Adjournment**

Halverson Benediction (adapted)

Wherever you go, you do not go by accident, nor do you go alone.
 Wherever you go, God is sending YOU!
 Wherever you are, God has put you there.
 God has a purpose in your being there.
 Christ, who lives in you, has something He wants to do through you wherever you are.
 Believe this and go in the grace, love and power of Jesus Christ.

Rev. Dr. Richard C. Halverson, Presbyterian pastor, Chaplain of U.S Senate 1981-1995.

Future Meeting Dates:
Presbytery Meeting May 30, Bozeman
Presbytery Meeting October 3 & 4, Billings

