

Pastoral Ministry Team's Presbytery Report May 15-16, 2020

The purpose of the Pastoral Ministry Team is to come alongside of churches, sessions, pastors, and CREs to provide encouragement, support, and training as we work together to share the Good News of Jesus Christ. The PMT has two items for consideration by the Presbytery at this meeting.

- A) Approving RE Jeff Harada (FPC Wolf Point) as a seeker in the CRE Program.
PMT recommends to Presbytery to approve RE Jeff Harada as a seeker in the CRE Program.
- B) Approving HR status for MWS Cathy McLean.
PMT recommends to Presbytery to approve Honorably Retired status for MWS Cathy McLean.

J P Carlson and Debbie Blackburn, Co-Moderators
Pastoral Ministry Team, Yellowstone Presbytery

05.07.20

Wolf Point Police Department

May 1, 2020

Pastoral Ministry Team

SUBJECT: Application to Seek CRE

Dear Pastoral Ministry Team,

Thank you for the opportunity to apply for the Commissioned Ruling Elder. As an Elder at the First Presbyterian Church in Wolf Point, I have served the last 11 years at the Church, serving the Congregation in the Pulpit. It has been my personal goal and professional objective to seek the approval of the PMT to become a Seeker, under the Blessings of Almighty God.

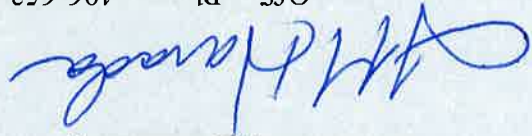
My background statement in regard to the First Presbyterian Church in Wolf Point is fairly basic, as I was born into this Church, were I was Baptized as a baby, Confirmed as a high school student, and became a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Wolf Point in September 2003. As a youth, I attended Sunday School, and I was "drugged" to Church, as my Father, Ben, was very active in the Church, serving as an Elder and Deacon. My Mother, Myrie, was a member of Presbyterian Women's group, and was one of the Church ladies who compiled an extremely popular cookbook.

My brief statement of Faith is;
I believe in the Love of Almighty God, I put my all my Faith in the Holy Word of the Bible, and my Trust in the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
I believe Jesus died on the Cross, and was resurrected on the 3rd Day, and He is Risen indeed.
I believe in the Sacraments of Holy Communion and Baptisms.
It is my goal to Serve Jesus, our Lord and Savior to teach people about the Love of Almighty God!

I respectfully request the PMT for approval to enter the CRE program.

The Session at the Wolf Point FPC supports my seeking status, and I can provide that communication at your request.

Thanks for your assistance in the commission program. It has truly been an awesome Bible educational experience, and has been humbling and rewarding to Serve the Church.



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