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 synergos, συνεργός meaning working together.

PRESBYTERY OF YELLOWSTONE PRESBYTERY MINI-CONFERENCE AGENDA

Friday and Saturday, May 4th and 5th, 2018 at the Harlowton Federated Church, 15 1st Street, Harlowton, MT

Loved & Called - Gifted- Equipped - Sent – (Part 3)

The gifts that he gave were that some would be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until all of us come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to maturity, to the measure of the full stature of Christ.

Ephesians 4:11-13.

Friday, May 4, 2018

Gathering Together

Noon Lunch and Fellowship 1:00 pm Opening Prayer

Welcome from host church

Roll Call, Declaration of a Quorum Procedural Motion, Docket Approval

1:25 pm Worship, Dwelling in the Word

Luke 10:1-12

Installation of Stated Clerk and
Introduction of Assistant Stated Clerk

2:10 pm Equipping and Encouraging, Part 1

* How can we develop our "People Eyes" to see others as Christ sees them?

2:20 pm Practical experiences

Demonstration and Practice

2:55 pm Announcements

3:00 pm Break

3:20 pm Equipping and Encouraging, Part 2.

- * How can we listen the way Jesus listens to us?
- * How can we attend to the Voice of God as spiritual practice?
- * Part A Christ sends us out into our communities. Why? How can we better pay attention there, see with *Jesus* 'people eyes? Where do I/we start?

5:00 pm Pastoral Ministry Team Report

Vote to declare Jed Cauffman, Honorably Retired

Camping and Youth Co-General Presbyters

5:55 pm Announcements

6:00 pm Dinner

7:00 pm Worship and Communion

Leaders: Vicki and Mark Waddington,

Debbie Funke

Offering: Westminster Spires Camp Scholarships

Following worship there will be a time of prayer for our leaders, our families, and our churches.

Saturday, May 5, 2018

8:00 am Worship and Dwelling in the Word

1 Samuel 16:6-13

8:30 am * Part B Christ sends us out into our communities. Why? How can we

pay attention there, truly see with *Jesus*' people eyes? Hearing stories from churches. What is it like, now we are no longer in Kansas but in OZ?

Implications? Tools, next steps.

10:00 am Break

10:20 am Good News from Churches: Harlowton and Poplar

10:40 am Reports and Other Business

Leadership Cabinet report

Vote: Action items in the Leadership Cabinet Report PresbyCat

mission trip

Stated Clerk's report

Commissioning & prayer for GA commissioners & delegate

Any Other Reports Requiring Presbytery Action

11:45 am PW Report

11:50 am Recap of Meeting and Announcements

12:00 noon Closing Prayer & Adjournment

Future Presbytery Meetings:

November 2-3, 2018 Bozeman, Montana