

Stated Clerks Report

June, 2015

For Information:

Since March I have been a participant in the following meetings and activities:

- Finalized the minutes for the March 6-7 presbytery meeting.
- Attended and finalized the minutes for two Pastoral Ministry Team meetings.
- Attended and finalized the minutes for two Leadership Cabinet meetings.
- Sent letters to the Anaconda and Billings 1st Churches informing them of their opportunity to elect an additional Commissioner to the next 3 Yellowstone Presbytery meetings.
- Attended the Synod Record Review meeting. Our minutes were approved without exception.
- Attended, along with Dave Thompson, the Western Regional Benefits Consultation of the Board of Pensions.
- Continued to work on the presbytery's Manual of Administrative Operations. All materials have been assembled and I am now scanning paper copies and inserting them into the document.
- Sent a letter to all churches requesting a copy of the Deeds to their church property by June 15th. So far I have received three responses.
- Continued to work with our attorney Mark Parker on the advertisement and sale of the Mildred Church property. Bids are due on the sale of the Mildred Church on June 3rd. I will report verbally on the number received and the successful bidder.
- Additionally, on behalf of the presbytery, I attended the Synod Assembly in March and am participating on the Budget Review Committee as well as the Synod Merger Task Force in a meeting with the Synod of the Pacific.
- For your information I have included a copy of the Yellowstone Presbytery Statistical report for 2014.

For Action:

- I hereby request approval, with corrections if need be, of the March 6-7 2015 Presbytery Meeting Minutes.



**Presbytery
Report
2014**

Presbytery Number	300796
Name	Yellowstone
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Phone	406-285-7736
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Membership			
Prior Active Members	1982		
Gains		Losses	
17 & Under	14	Certified	10
18 & Over	36	Deaths	30
Certified	17	Other	25
Other	6		
Total Gains	76	Total Losses	65

Total Active Members	1609
Berleaved	36
Other Participants	96
Total Adherents	2163
Female Members	1212

Average Attendance	894
Affiliate Members	36

Baptisms			
Child Baptisms	10	Officers	
Adult Baptisms	4	Male Session	52
		Female Session	72
		Male Deacons	32
		Female Deacons	56

Age Distribution of Active Members			
		Male	Female
25 & Under	108	71	37
25 - 45	211	84	127
45 - 55	200	81	117
55 - 65	308	111	197
Over 65	748	283	465
Total Distribution	1635	629	1006

People with Disabilities	
Hearing	108
Sight	19
Mobility	67
Other	10

Christian Education			
Birth 3	27	Grade 7	24
Age 4	36	Grade 8	20
Kindergarten	27	Grade 9	26
Grade 1	31	Grade 10	21
Grade 2	22	Grade 11	17
Grade 3	30	Grade 12	24
Grade 4	21	Young Adults	41
Grade 5	21	Over 25	244
Grade 6	22	Teachers/Officers	94
Total	777		

Racial Ethnic Breakdown Membership					
		 Elders	Deacons	Male	Female
Asian	5	2		1	1
Black				0	6