



Presbytery of Riverside

**CALL for the STATED MEETING of the
PRESBYTERY OF RIVERSIDE**



**SATURDAY, February 21, 2026 – 10:00 am
In-Person Only Meeting**

***Riverside Presbytery: connecting and supporting
pastors, leaders, and congregations in Christ's transforming love.***
(Mission Statement Presbytery of Riverside)

TO: All Ministers, Elder Commissioners, and Clerks of Sessions
FROM: Teaching Elder Paul Knopf, Stated Clerk

**The Sovereign God, in the name of Jesus the Christ, through the power of the Holy Spirit,
is calling the Presbytery of Riverside to gather together to hold its Stated Meeting on**

**SATURDAY, February 21, 2026 at 10:00 am
In-Person at Palm Springs Presbyterian Church
(815 S Camino Real, Palm Springs, CA 92264)**

**Registration Required: please register for the meeting using this link:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/VgtgouaTRbqzoAvvjgVAQQ>**

We are using zoom to register for the meeting. This meeting is in-person only.

The meeting is scheduled to begin at 10:00 am and conclude around 1:30 pm

Please register by Noon on February 18th, to help determine if a quorum will be present

**After the meeting, we are arranging for lunch in local restaurants
and hope you will join others for lunch time fellowship at one of these locations:**

(Italian food)	(Mexican food)	(American food)	(NYC Style Deli)
Sammy G's Tuscan Grill	Las Casuelas Terraza	Lulu California Bistro	Sherman's Deli & Bakery
265 S Palm Canyon Drive	222 S Palm Canyon Drive	200 S Palm Canyon Drive	401 E Tahquitz Cyn Way
(760) 320-8041	(760) 325-2794	(760) 327-5858	(760) 325-1199

Questions? Please contact Jim Strand at (909) 881-1595 or e-mail at
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The Offering has been designated to support the Committee on Preparation for Ministry
Offerings can also be made by using this link: [Donate Now](#)

Packet of materials for this meeting will be emailed to commissioners on Friday, February 13th
We look forward to seeing you at the Saturday, February 21st Assembly, in-person!

Some highlights of this Presbytery Assembly Meeting

- Spirit-inspired worship including the Installation of the Rev. Terra Pennington as Pastor of Palm Springs Presbyterian Church, and if the way be clear, the commissioning of CP Wendy Lamb to Redlands Community
- Opportunity to endorse GA TE Commissioner Frances Lin as candidate for Co-Moderator of the General Assembly (we'll also hear from her Co-Moderator Candidate, TE Sean Chow from San Diego Presbytery)
- The Committee on Preparation for Ministry will present a new handbook for becoming a Minister of Word and Sacrament in our Presbytery
- The Committee on Nominations and Representation will present nominees for vacancies on presbytery committees
- The Committee on Ministry will present RE Wendy Lamb to be commissioned to Redlands, Community
- The Committee on Ministry will recommend conferring the status of Retired to the Rev. Noel Anderson, who completed his work at Upland, First
- We'll recognize the contributions of the Rev. Wayne Morrow, who was conferred the status of Retired in November
- Receive a report from the Commissioners to Synod
- Receive a report from the Investment and Loan Program of the PC(USA)
- Connect with presbyters and friends from across the presbytery
- and more...