

Presbytery Commission Report to the Presbytery Assembly March 23, 2019
Jeff Mague, Acting Chair

The Presbytery Commission met on March 5, 2019 at 1st Presbyterian Church in San Bernardino. Presbytery office. A quorum was present.

For Action

1. Recommends the Presbytery Assembly to approve the 2019 budget of \$536,358 submitted by PFIFD.**(3A)**
2. Recommends the Presbytery Assembly approve a grant of \$30,000 for 1st Presbyterian Church of Redlands for emergency boiler/HVAC repair and the potential for advancing funds while they are waiting for additional funds to become available from PILP. Total cost of repairs is estimated at \$175,000.
3. Recommends the Presbytery Assembly participate in the Vital Congregations Initiative, to, encourage congregations to consider how they would be able to participate, and provide financial assistance from dismissal/discernment funds for those attending initial training. At a later date we will seek additional funding sources.

For Information

1. The PC approved a motion by the Crestline Administrative Commission to approve a counter offer to be presented to the Mountain Homeless Coalition for buying the former preschool property at 23642 Lake Drive, Crestline California for at least \$60,000 and up to \$80,000, with a six-month escrow window, to be negotiated with best judgement by the Crestline Administrative Commission.
2. The PC approved a motion by the Crestline Administrative Commission to approve a potential sale of the Crestline Church, Manse and parking lot, with a listed price of \$420,000, and may accept an offer at no less than \$380,000, to be negotiated with best judgement by the Crestline Administrative Commission.
3. The PC approved a change of date for the June 2019 Presbytery Assembly meeting from June 8 to June 1 due to scheduling concerns.
4. Recommends approval of the sale of unneeded property of the Little Church of the Desert for \$75,000 as detailed in the motion in the consent agenda.
5. PFIFD will be investigating reasonable options regarding what can be done with the Home of Neighborly Service building.
6. The PC approved adjusting the installation date of the Moderator and Vice Moderator to the November PA meeting instead of the June meeting in order for the Vice Moderator to be able to attend moderator training before assuming his/her duties.