

Presbytery of Hudson River  
Committee on Ministry  
30 January 2018, Monroe, NY

The Committee on Ministry met on 9 January 2018 and reports the following:

For Information:

1. Validate the ministry of Leslie Mott, effective 1 January 2018, as Director of the Pastoral Sabbath at Stony Point for the Hudson River Presbytery, Coordinator of Spirituality and Practice at Bedford Presbyterian Church, Spiritual Director, Certified Focusing Professional, Registered Yoga Teacher.
2. Approve Rev. Luanne Panarotti as moderator of the 7 January 2018 Congregational Meeting at Pleasant Valley to dissolve the pastoral relationship with Rev. Shawn Zanicky who is retiring,
3. Approve Rev. Luanne Panarotti as Pleasant Valley's moderator of Session effective February 2018.
4. Approve the Order of Service and following Administrative Commission for the Installation Service of Paul Seelman, 11 February 2018, 4 PM, Pelham, Huguenot: Mr. Keith Brokaw, Moderator; Ms. Lisa Niven, Irvington; Mrs. Tina Constable, Pelham/Huguenot; Mrs. Linda Camp, Scarsdale/Hitchcock; Rev. John W. Miller, Rye; Rev. Jonah So, Korean PC of Westchester; Rev. Elizabeth Smith-Bartlett, Larchmont.
5. Approve Rev. Daniel Rivera as Moderator at Yonkers, Good Shepherd effective 9 January 2018, and authorize Rev. Rivera to preside at communion, if the way be clear. He is a member of NYC Presbytery.
6. Correct the start date for Abbie Huff at New City, Germonds from December 4 to December 5, 2017.
7. At the request of the Palisades Presbyterian Church, renew CRE Henry Shaw as Parish Associate for 2018.
8. Transfer Robert Anderle to the Presbytery of New York City effective 4 February 2018 so that he may serve at Union Church, Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, if the way be clear. Middletown, Scotchtown Congregational Meeting to approve the dissolution, 21 January 2018 with Glenn Henricksen moderating. Designate Rev. Anderle a Member at large effective 31 January 2018.
9. Dissolve the pastoral relationship between Rev. Betty Tom and First Presbyterian Church, Mt. Vernon effective 31 January 2018. Approve that Rev. Tom be given up to 6 months' salary/benefit continuation and be allowed to live in the manse during that time. Should Rev. Tom find other comparable employment or another call prior to the end of the six months, salary continuation would end at the start of her new employment. Designate Betty Tom a member-at-large effective 1 February 2018.