

**CARLISLE PRESBYTERY
COMMITTEE ON PREPARATION (CPM)
Report to Presbytery- February 26, 2019**

ACTION:

- On December 6th, 2018, the CPM met with Neal McCulloch, Ruling Elder / Dickinson, to discuss his application to be received into the CRE certification process. The CPM voted unanimously to receive him as a candidate in the CRE certification process.
- On January 3rd, 2019, the CPM met with Cheryl Betts, DCE / Gettysburg, to discuss her completed application and exam materials in support of her desire to be certified ready to be commissioned as a CRE. The CPM voted unanimously to certify her ready to be commissioned as a CRE.

INFORMATION:

On February 7th, 2019, the CPM will meet with Cindy Kneiss, Ruling Elder from the Presbyterian Church of the Upper West Conococheague, to discuss her application to be received into the CRE certification process. Action: The CPM voted to enroll Ruling Elder Cindy Kneiss in the Carlisle Presbytery Commission Ruling Elder Training Program.

Updates on Inquirers and Candidates in the ordination process:

- a. **David Black** – Candidate (as of September, 2018)
 - a. Theology, July 26, 2018 / Passed
 - b. Polity, April 26, 2018 / Passed
 - c. Bible Exegesis, Saturday, January 26, 2019
- b. **Chris Houtz** – Candidate (as of February, 2018)
 - a. Theology, Thursday, October 25, 2018 / Passed
 - b. Worship & Sacraments, October 25, 2018 / Passed
 - c. Bible Exegesis, January 26, 2019
 - d. Church Polity, January 24, 2019
- c. **Rebecca Lister** –Inquirer (as of November, 2017)
- d. **Rebekah Nolt** –Candidate (as of December, 2017)
 - a. Bible Exegesis, October 27, 2018 / Passed
 - b. Theology, October 25, 2018 / Passed
 - c. Worship & Sacraments, October 25, 2018 / Passed

- e. **Grace Hellweg Payne** –Candidate (December, 2017)
 - a. Bible Exegesis, October 27, 2018 / Passed
 - b. Church Polity, January 24, 2019
 - c. Theology, January 24, 2019
 - d. Worship & Sacraments, January 24, 2019

- f. **Matthew Robinson** –not yet enrolled
 - a. Theology, July 26, 2018 / Passed
 - b. Church Polity, October 25, 2018, / Passed

Respectfully submitted,

Don Wahlig
Moderator/CPM