

Report of the Committee on Preparation for Ministry October 3, 2020

Action Item # 1

The Committee on Preparation for Ministry presents Inquirer Rebekah Anderson (Market Square Church) and moves and recommends that she be enrolled as a Candidate for Minister of Word and Sacrament in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) pending examination by and approval of the Presbytery of Carlisle.

Action Item # 2

The Committee on Preparation for Ministry presents Inquirer Kevin Long (Market Square Church) and moves and recommends that he be enrolled as a Candidate for Minister of Word and Sacrament in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) pending examination by and approval of the Presbytery of Carlisle.

Information Items

The Committee on Preparation for Ministry held its annual CPM Retreat on August 14 and 15, 2020 via Zoom.

The current Inquirers met individually with the committee resulting in the following actions:

- Move Rebekah Anderson (Market Square) from inquiry to candidacy phase, pending her session's approval.
- Maintain Rebecca Lister (St Andrews, Lebanon) in Inquiry phase.
- Move Kevin Long (Market Square) from inquiry to candidacy phase, pending his session's approval and pending completion of his 1- year tenure in inquiry phase, as required by the Book of Order (G-2.0602).
- Maintain Lynn Miller (Lower Marsh Creek) in the inquiry phase.

The Committee on Preparation for Ministry reviewed the written examination and statement of faith of CRE candidate Neal McCulloch. Following discussion with Neal, CPM voted to certify him ready to receive a call to serve as a CRE in the presbytery of Carlisle.