

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SESSION MEETING MINUTES
HOUSTON, TEXAS
November 22, 2020

MODERATOR
The Rev. Chris French

The Session of Grace Presbyterian Church, Houston, Texas met in a CALLED MEETING on Sunday, November 22, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. Because of the current public health environment, the meeting was held via Zoom conference.

Attendance:

Pastors Present: The Rev. Chris French

Elders Present: Dath Collins, Bert Crump, Judy Dewey, Evan Ghazi, Debbie Kaplan, Debbie Lunn, Mike Mantel, Hardie Morgan, Nnenna Okoro, Tom Prisk, Tanner Spears, Jim Tomforde, Ethan Tritt, Gindi Vincent, Karen Welton, Woody Woodruff

Excused: Natalie McElroy

Absent: Francisco Garibay, Dan McElyea, Jim Tomforde

Others in attendance: Sharon High, Heather Kaemingk, Angela Wade Simpson, and Candy Clarke Aldridge

Call Meeting to Order – Chris French, Acting Moderator

Open with Prayer – Chris French

The Elders considered a recommendation from the Transitional Pastor Search Team. Gindi Vincent made a motion to extend a call to the Rev. Dr. Julia Leeth to serve as Transitional Pastor for a period of 24 months. The Elders discussed the recommendation and Dath Collins called the matter to a vote. The motion was approved. If she accepts the call, it would not be announced to the congregation until after she informs her congregation, likely in January. Tentative start date would be February 2021. This is highly confidential until then.

Chris French closed the meeting in prayer, using 1Peter 2: 9.

DATES:

Session – Tuesday, December 8, 2020 @ 6:30 p.m. via Zoom.

Respectfully submitted,



Candy Clarke Aldridge
Clerk of Session