

Presbytery Meeting  
Feedback Results  
June 6, 2017

1. What did you think was done well during this meeting?
  - Worship; equipping for ministry; Rev. Cathy Chang.
  - Worship was uplifting! Music selections were inspiring! Stewardship training – very useful.
  - Appreciated Rev. Cathy Chang and Foundation Reports very much. Well moderated meeting. I appreciated the retirements and that some time was given to that. It still feels as though there might be a better way to do that, but I don't have any ideas!
  - Good presentations; engaging stories.
  - Worship was done well – keep the standard/expectation high.
  - Rev. Cathy Chang presentation; presentation on Stewardship – a hint of better things; worship service – always.
  - Report from Rev. Cathy Chang about her work.
  - Lunch was excellent. Well-organized. Rev. Cathy Chang was passionate, excellent, informative.
  - Worship service. Rev. Cathy Chang presentation was enlightening. Keynote speaker Rev. Stephen Keizer on Presbyterian Foundation and the June 24<sup>th</sup> workshop for elders on Stewardship.
  - The presentation from Rev. Stephen Keizer on Stewardship. Cemented the decision to be sure we have representation at his Stewardship workshop. I also appreciated hearing from Rev. Cathy Chang – it is always good to hear from those missionaries we support.
  - Report on Reformation 500.
  - Worship service; Stewardship presentation; Rev. Cathy Chang's report and presentation.
  - Very much enjoyed my first Presbytery meeting.
  - The worship service – new ideas. The very well done services related to the dissolution of Alma Eastminster.
  - Stewardship.
  - Rev. Cathy Chang mission presentation; Stewardship small group discussion.
  - Report of Presbyterian Foundation.
  - Worship; spiritual care.
  - Enjoyed Rev. Cathy Chang! Worship services; Reformation.
  - Worship; mission co-worker and Foundation speaker.
  - This meeting always amazes me. They are informative. Speakers are relevant. I always have topics I can process on the long ride home.
  
2. What would you suggest for upcoming meetings?
  - Keep up the good work.
  - It was really uncomfortable to sit so long in one place.
  - Quieter location. Construction noise was distracting.
  - I would have appreciated more substance in the Stewardship piece. As you plan for enabling the Presbyterians – enable them with substance. The afternoon quickly slipped out of control and began to drag – needs another discipline.

- Reports from member churches and what they are doing for missions here and abroad.
- Tighten the time schedule (retires portion ran over).
- Limit time for speakers.
- None.
- The names of the worship leaders should be in the bulletin.
- Given the fact that insidious poverty marks the people and communities of the Presbytery of Lake, I recommend that the Food Bank of Eastern Michigan Flint be featured in a 2018 Presbytery meeting.
- If there is construction at one end of the room, use the other end for the meeting. Larger slides – larger fonts. Discussion or a “talk” over lunch (such as person returning from a trip, missionary, Reformation, etc.)
- Leader Training. Better adherence to the docket time allowances. More small group discussion for both knowledge and creating energy – perhaps utilizing reflections on an important topic/articles, etc.
- Enjoy hearing other missionary either local or global.
- An afternoon stretch!