

Presbytery Meeting
Feedback Results – September 20, 2018

1. What did you think was done well during this meeting?
 - It was efficient, and enjoyable, though noting particularly of note.
 - Good food. Efficient and well-run meeting. Given her short notice, Rev. Dr. Rashell Hunter did a great job as preacher and teacher.
 - Worship was wonderful! Rev. Dr. Hunter was inspirational. Choir was energetic and set the tone and energy (high) for our worship. Equipping time was cordial, challenging and fun.
 - Worship; equipping time.
 - The worship service. Rev. Dr. Rashell Hunter's sermon and workshop. Efficient business meeting.
 - Worship and equipping were blessings.
 - I loved the equipping time workshop. Worship was a great experience.
 - Worship was great with a wonderful sermon. The choir was excellent. Awesome presentations and the activities that was associated with them.
 - Wonderful lunch. A fun filled exercise on the workshop section. Rev. Ted McCulloch's loading dock story.
 - Tawas – beautiful church. I enjoyed the activities and the sermon about racism.
 - Worship service was great. Meeting moved along well.
 - Worship. Lunch and hospitality.
 - The sermon was inspiring. I will grow in my language and awareness and of course the Lord.
 - Worship and sermon excellent! Like the equipping exercise.
 - Business meeting moved along well. Worship service very enlightening and interesting, including workshop.
 - General Assembly's Report was great. Presbytery Council was good. Love spirit fills our meetings.
2. What would you suggest for upcoming meetings?
 - Fun, fellowship and frivolity (just kidding).
 - If we ever sing "For Everyone Born" again, I'd appreciate either skipping or reforming verse 4. As the verse currently stands, it calls for the abused and just to forgive and show mercy, but it never asks for the abusers and unjust to repent. This lets evil off the hook and burdens victims of it even more.
 - The sanctuary was quite cold and drafty. Have Rev. Sharlyn Gates plan another worship service!
 - Video at mission clips from Lake Huron Presbytery churches. Workshops on: Family Systems Theory, Stewardship, Worship.
 - NADA.
 - Presentation on rural ministry/small congregation (sustaining)
 - Given that the Presbyterian Mission has recognized the issue of poverty – in what ways might the Presbytery meetings more deliberately lift up this issue as it relates to the whole of the Presbytery – urban congregations and rural

congregations? What team or leaders has interest and commitment for the poor, the hungry? Rev. Karen Blatt

- Christmas charity?
- Great equipping exercise – space was not great for that particular exercise.
- Reconciliation in a divisive environment.
- Please try to keep worship time on track. Trustees needed more information presented.