Council Meets at Presbytery Office

by Pam Camren, Moderator of Council

Our work began on Tuesday, April 24 with prayer lifting up the family of Rev. Ted Lester.

Written reports from staff, officers, committees and commissions were reviewed with the following actions taken:

- Council decided not to meet during June and July. Go To Meeting internet conferencing would be utilized if there was necessary action needed.
- Formation of a consultation team was approved for Faith Presbyterian Church, West Lafayette with concurrence of the Assembly in May.
- Committee on Preparation reported that Edwin Brinklow has been installed at Dakota, IL. The team continues to work with other candidates on exams and possible calls.
- Nominating committee will offer names at the May Assembly to serve as Vice-Moderator of the Presbytery.
- Moved and approved the appointment, if the way be clear, of Marylynn Boatright as a PWV representative to serve of the Board of Directors for the University Church, West Lafayette. (UC)
- Geneva Center report included update on lobby renovation and move, registration numbers for camp and motion to commission "Summer Camp Shepherds" at the May Assembly.
- Approved an adjustment downward on the interest rate on the loan to the Korean Presbyterian Church's loan.
- Approved the request to borrow dollars needed for the renovation of sanctuary and roof replacement at Westminster PC, Munster after a successful capital campaign.
- Approved for distribution the 2012-2013 budget proposal with final action to be taken at the May 24, 2012 Presbytery Assembly. Per Capita figure was approved at total of \$38.56 which reflects an increase of \$2.15 for presbytery.
- Moved to set a called Council meeting before the May Assembly to consider University Church By-laws and Articles of Incorporation.

Meeting was closed with prayer for our work together. Next meeting of PWV Council will be Tuesday, August 28, 2012 at GC at 10:00 a.m. EDT.