

Bayside Presbyterian Church
Congregational Meeting Minutes
January 22, 2017

The Congregation of Bayside Presbyterian Church, Virginia Beach, Virginia, met in a called Congregational Meeting in the Sanctuary on January 22nd, upon completion of the 11:00 Combined Worship service.

A quorum was declared and the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Rev. Dr. David Rollins, at 12:02 pm

The purpose of the meeting was twofold:

First, to formally execute the dissolution of the call for Rev. Kate Rascoe, who departed on 31 July 2016, and
Second, for the congregation to approve the new Associate Pastor.

As the meeting was organizing, the ushers distributed a biography of the proposed new Associate Pastor to all in attendance.

Dissolution of Call for Rev. Kate Rascoe:

Motion: It was moved by the Clerk/Secretary that the dissolution of call for Reverend Kate Rascoe be approved effective on 31 July 2016. The motion passed.

Approval of the Associate Pastor:

Janet Martin, chairperson of the Associate Pastor Nominating Committee, addressed the congregation and provided an overview of the APNC's activities and processes that were conducted over the last 6-7 months. The committee noted that with well over 100 applicants from around the country, that they believed that they found a perfect fit for Bayside.

Motion: It was moved by the APNC that Rev Emma Ouellette be approved as the new Associate Pastor for Bayside Presbyterian Church. The motion passed unanimously and enthusiastically!

It was noted that the specific terms of call for Rev. Emma were provided on the last page of the introduction letter and that the limits for the terms were approved by the Session at the beginning of the APNC search process.

The moderator closed the meeting with prayer at 12:12 pm.

Approved by the Session on February 21, 2017
WDM / Doug Mitchell
Clerk of Session