Lead Presbyter Nominating Committee Report

Presbytery of Great Rivers

August 18, 2026

The team is happy to report that our search is on track! The Ministry Discernment Profile for the position went live this spring, giving candidates time to submit their application materials. The team read through profiles and supplemental questions and have invited candidates for in-person interviews. Like all good Presbyterians, we are being thorough and thoughtful as we do our search. That gives both the committee and potential candidates plenty of time for discernment and prayer. We are also, of course, keeping candidate information confidential.

Please keep our team and candidates in your own prayers throughout this search. We are grateful for all the people who have been interested in exploring a call to serve as our Lead Presbyter, and for the excitement and enthusiasm that has gotten us this far. It has been a blessing to work together to advertise the position, explore options together with the committee, and prepare to welcome candidates. If the search continues to stay on schedule, we hope to have more news to share this fall.

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