

Presbytery of WV



RULING ELDER/DEACON PREPARATION

NOVEMBER 15 & 22, 2020

2:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Led by Susan Sharp Campbell, Associate for Educational Ministry

The Book of Order states that “When persons have been elected to the ordered ministry of ruling elder or deacon, the session shall provide a period of study and preparation, after which the session shall examine them as to their personal faith; knowledge of the doctrine, government, and discipline contained in the Constitution of the church; and the duties of the ministry.” (G-2.0402)

To assist Pastors and Session Moderators with this period of study and preparation, Susan Sharp Campbell, Associate for Educational Ministry, will be offering a **2-Part Session Officer Training** on Sunday afternoons, **November 15 and 22, from 2-5 pm on Zoom**. These two sessions will build on and connect with each other, so participants are expected to participate in both sessions. Newly elected elders and deacons, as well as those who are currently on sessions, and moderators are welcome to participate in this Officer Training.

The **registration deadline is Monday, November 9**. Each participant will need a recent copy of the [PCUSA Book of Order](#) that they can use during the training sessions. Handouts, and the Zoom link, will be shared with participants on Wednesday, November 11. Participants may register as individuals, or whole sessions may register and participate together. This Information/Registration Form will also be on the Presbytery website homepage.

It is hoped that this will also be repeated in January 2021.

To register, please complete and return this form, or the information requested to susan_sharp_campbell@hotmail.com. If you have questions, please contact Susan by email or by phone at 304-667-9428.

Name _____

Email _____

Phone _____ Church _____

If participating as a Session, number planning to attend _____

