

## July 28, 2021 Session Meeting Highlights

The following are the highlights from the July 28, 2021 Session meeting.

Jan and Stephen led the Session through an extended Session in Dialogue conversation regarding the leadership history of the congregation.

- Diana Worley (the current temporary ministry support person) has been hired as the full-time ministry support person.
- Since the kitchen roof replacement and kitchen repairs are not expected to be completed until sometime in September, the current summer worship schedule will be extended through September.
- The Fellowship Team is planning a Fall Back into Fellowship event at the church starting at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday September 19 (no rain date so rain cancels the event). This will be a church-wide event promoting fellowship and the general public will be able to attend.
- Session approved extending Pastor Jan's transitional ministry at FPCA by approving a second one-year contract with her from October1, 2021 through September 30, 2022. Her effective salary remains the same as in her current contract.
- Roll Cleaning is in progress. The Clerk of Session has reached out by letter to members who to the best of our knowledge have not had any participation in the life of our church over the past two years. The last time the rolls were cleaned was in 2019.
- The church's financial position is OK. General fund revenues (pledges, loose plate offering, and etc.) are only about \$4,000 below the budgeted revenue through June. Actual expenditures are about \$31,000 below budget, but as the year progresses, they are expected to catch up with the budget. The concern is whether or not general fund revenues will continue to lag behind budget.

If you have any questions of concerns that you want to ask/convey to Session, please email them to <a href="mailto:session@fpcallentown.org">session@fpcallentown.org</a>.