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Sisters and brothers,

The Presbytery of Newark has been named as a respondent in a complaint received by the Stated Clerk on July 1, 2009. When a complaint against a governing body is received, we form a committee to respond for us.

Book of Order: D-6.302
Committee of Counsel

When a governing body, the General Assembly Mission Council, or an entity of the General Assembly becomes either a complainant or a respondent, it shall designate no more than three persons to be a committee of counsel. This committee shall represent that complainant or respondent in the case until final decision is reached in the highest governing body to which the case is appealed.

When the 2006 Standing Rules were adopted, this action of the Presbytery to form a Committee of Counsel is by the Presbytery as a whole. Therefore, it is necessary that we hold a special meeting for the purpose of nominating and electing this Committee of Counsel.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

Presbytery of Newark
Tuesday, July 21, 2009
6:00 PM

MEETING LOCATION

Bloomfield Presbyterian Church on the Green
Education Building Gym
147 Broad Street
Bloomfield, NJ 07003
973-743-1796

It is vital that we attain a quorum at this meeting. Per the Book of Order, business will be limited to the formation of the Committee of Counsel to respond to the complaint. Please call Ms. Deirdre Malloy, Administrative Assistant at the Presbytery Center, and let her know of your intention to attend.

Grace and Peace,

Connie Cosgrove
Moderator