

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Arthur Ontario
June 26th, 2011

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DATE AND PLACE:

The Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington met in Special Session within St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Arthur on Sunday, June 26th, 2011 for the sole purpose of Inducting The Rev. Edward Charlton into this pastoral charge.

ATTENDANCE:

Ministers: E. Charlton, J. Hamalainen, L. Paquette, Jeff L. Smith, A. Song, D. Whitecross

Representative Elders: L. Arbuckle, J. deGroot, M. Hunter, M Koeslag, L. Samis, Neil Stewart, E. Suggitt, W. Welsh, J. Zaryski

Ministers on the Appendix to the Roll: B. Martin (Moderator)

WMS: Phyllis Stewart

Clerk: J. MacDowell (Clerk)

REGRETS:

Ministers: L. Ashfield, L. Bell, P. Garrison, M. Gaskin, M. Lewis, M. Richardson, N. St. Louis, R. Sinasac, K. Wübbemhorst

Representative Elders: H. Cleghorn, J. DeSchiffart, A. Foster

CONSTITUTION:

The Moderator pro tem, Brice Martin, Constituted the Court with prayer.

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS:

The Moderator, warmly welcomed all and called for introductions. There being none, the Court proceeded.

ORDER OF WORSHIP:

Dave Whitecross, Interim Moderator, walked the Court through the Order of Worship.

Neil Stewart/J. Hamalainen moved that The Order of Worship be adopted as printed. *CARRIED.*

BENEDICTION:

Neil Stewart/J. deGroot moved that The Rev. Edward Charlton pronounce the Benediction at the end of the service and that will be the conclusion of the sederunt. *CARRIED.*

CONSTITUENT ROLL:

L. Paquette/Jeff L. Smith moved that The Rev. Edward Charlton be added to The Constituent Roll of The Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington at the conclusion of the service. *CARRIED.*

PENSION AND BENEFITS:

The Moderator asked The Rev. Charlton if he is a member of the Pension and Dental Plan. Ed answered 'yes'.

STIPEND:

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The Moderator asked The Rev. Charlton if the first month's stipend has been paid. The reply was 'yes'.

INTERIM MODERATOR:

Neil Stewart/Jeff L. Smith moved that The Interim Moderator, The Rev. David Whitecross be dismissed with the thanks of the Court but remain on as mentor for a minimum of one year.
CARRIED.

EDICT AND NARRATION OF STEPS:

The Clerk, Janet MacDowell, entered the Sanctuary and read the Edict and Narration of Steps. There being no objections, she then returned to gather The Presbyters.

SERVICE, INDUCTION AND SIGNING THE FORMULA:

The Court entered the sanctuary singing the Processional Hymn. The service was led by The Rev. David Whitecross, Interim Moderator, with The Rev. Andrew Song preaching the message. The Interim Moderator did The Reasons for Translation and presented the Inductee to the Moderator pro tem, The Rev. Dr. Brice Martin. With the appointed preamble and questions, The Rev. Dr. Brice Martin Inducted The Rev. Edward Charlton into this pastoral charge. The Presbytery was then called forward to give the right hand of fellowship to Ed after which The Formula was signed. The Rev. David Whitecross did the Charge: 'Fluff'. The Presbytery recessed during the last hymn leaving the newly inducted Edward Charlton to pronounce the Benediction.

REFRESHMENTS:

The congregations provided a wonderful time of fellowship and refreshments following the service.

Moderator pro tem

Clerk

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