Covenant Presbyterian Church, Athens, GA Called Session Meeting January 14, 2024

A Called Session Meeting, called according to the Book of Order, was held on January 14, 2024. Moderator Dana Waters welcomed everyone, declared a quorum present, and called the meeting to order with prayer at 10:33 a.m.

<u>Elders present:</u> Bob Brewster, Dennis Calbos, Carolyn Hatfield, Brian Herndon, Abby Horvath, and Dick Zimdars,

<u>Elders absent:</u> Katy Arora, Ansley Tweedell Land, Bert Ballard-Myer, Kathryn Fowler, Rebecca Silvers, and Valerie Stone

Others present: Luanne Rigsby and Dana Waters

Purpose of the Meeting

The Moderator stated the purpose of the meeting: to welcome and approve the following three people who are planning to join as members:

Larry Minton by letter of transfer from Alice Drive Baptist Church, Sumter, S.C.

Wanda Minton by letter of transfer from Alice Drive Baptist Church, Sumter, S.C.

Alice Rose by affirmation of faith.

Each person briefly told of their faith journey. Rev. Waters asked the group questions reaffirming commitments they made in Baptism, professing their faith in Jesus Christ, and declaring their intent to participate actively and responsibly in the worship, life, governance and mission of the church. All answered positively.

Dennis Calbos moved and Dick Zimdars seconded that we receive Larry Minton, Wanda Minton, and Alice Rose as members of Covenant Presbyterian Church. The motion carried. This brings our membership total to 213.

There being no further business, Bob Brewster moved and Dick Zimdars seconded that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried and Dana adjourned the meeting with prayer at 10:44 a.m.

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Dana Waters, Moderator	Luanne Rigsby, Clerk