

# What's In Session?

May 2026

Rev. Harrington called the meeting to order and called on Rosalind Barker who offered a devotion focusing on prayer and opened the meeting with prayer.

**Education and discussion:** In April, the Session voted to adopt a new purpose statement. At the May meeting, the Session was asked to consider how SACPC is accomplishing the purpose statement, specifically two topics: worship God and care for one another. Elders shared individual thoughts and reactions to these statements. Katie asked all to continue to reflect on the purpose statement.

**Session Policies:** The Officer Education and Governance Committee asked for a discussion about Session policy. The Session members shared feedback about the wording of the policies and discussed adding members to the task force that has been formed to evaluate this topic. Committees were also asked to review the policies related to their focus area and share feedback.

**Katie Harrington report:** Rev. Harrington shared:

- **Worship task force:** With the vacancy of the contemporary worship leader position, a task force has been formed to evaluate worship services. Members are Ray Brandi, Beth Davis, Jeff Denlinger, Joan Gray, Virginia Hager and Megan Johnson, supported by staff members Cindy Litzinger, Parker Lucas and Katie Harrington. They will talk to members of the congregation about the future and aim to have a proposal by the end of July.
- **Full-time staff member focusing on children and youth:** The HR Committee is serving as the nominating committee for the members of this search committee.
- Katie shared and accepted prayer requests.

Rev. Harrington adjourned the meeting with prayer.