

Committee on Ministers and Congregations
Report to New Castle Presbytery
Saturday, December 1, 2018

Welcome Minister of Word and Sacrament Randy Clayton, Temporary Pastor/Interim of the Red Clay congregation, effective June 20, 2018. COMC acted to receive Mr. Clayton as a member of New Castle Presbytery, transferring from Baltimore Presbytery.

COMC has recognized the Minister of Word and Sacrament Jim Horn as Honorably Retired, effective July 1, 2018.

COMC moved to increase the New Castle Presbytery Total Effective Minimum Salary of \$50,917 for 2018 by the Social Security COLA adjustment of 2.8% for a new minimum of **\$52,343** for 2019.

Updates

Minister of Word and Sacrament Beth Thomas has been approved as part-time Temporary Pastor of the West Nottingham congregation, effective October 8, 2018

Nancy Conklin, Temporary Pastor/Interim of the Limestone congregation, contracted renewed October 1, 2018 – September 30, 2019

Memorial Minutes

The Rev. Kevin Bowers, 1950 – 2018, Honorably Retired Minister of Word and Sacrament, First Presbyterian Church of Milford

The Rev. Jon Chapman, 1946 – 2018, Honorably Retired Minister of Word and Sacrament, National Staff person, Coordinator for Southern and East Africa

The Rev. Herbert Hoeflinger, 1920 – 2018, Pastor Emeritus, St. Andrews Presbyterian Church