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St. Andrew Presbyterian Church

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Session Highlights | June 22, 2023

During their scheduled June 2023 meeting, St. Andrew's Session gave final approval to updates on the congregation's Statement of Inclusion (<https://saintandrew-ic.org/who-we-are/statement-of-inclusion>) and Wedding Policy & Planning Guide (<https://saintandrew-ic.org/who-we-are/weddings>).

The Personnel Team has begun interviewing applicants for the half-time Building and Grounds Coordinator position. (Jaymeson Harms, who served in that position for six months, has taken a full-time position with a different employer.)

With so many new people interested in learning more about St. Andrew, the pastors will be holding "Coffee with Leaders" After Worship on the second Sunday of each month. It is a chance for anyone interested in learning more about membership at St. Andrew to talk with a pastor and other church leaders. For questions about members, contact Pastor Rob at rmartin@saintandrew-ic.org.

Session approved a motion from the Mission, Outreach, and Service Team to give \$3,000 for the legacy for Senéad Short, Kent and Joy Short's daughter, through the Mennonite Central Committee.

The Finance Team reported having made an extra \$100,000 prepayment in Capital Campaign funds, bringing the church's building loan under the \$2.5 million (or halfway!) mark.

The Interiors Team reports that new white boards have been installed in classrooms throughout the building. Information on caring for the boards can be found at <https://bit.ly/sapc-whiteboards>. A new batch of dry-erase markers are available in the Church Office.

The Nominating Team is still looking for an elder to serve a three-year term on Session. If you are interested, contact Becka Simpson (b.yucuis@gmail.com).

Pastor Rob Martin will be on vacation from July 22 to Aug 20. His first day back in the church office will be Aug. 21. Pastor Kyle Otterbein will be preaching while Pastor Rob is away.

The next Session meeting is scheduled for July 20 at the home of Jason & Rebecca Schuchert, 210 Knowling Drive in Coralville. All current, incoming, and outgoing Session members are invited to participate.