

**Report to the Presbytery of Transylvania**  
**June 9, 2007**  
**Stated Clerk**

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Information

All correspondence and communication with the Presbytery have been either answered or referred and forwarded to the appropriate bodies or persons.

The Clerk apologizes for the oversight of not reminding the Presbytery to charge the Administrative Commission appointed at the March meeting to investigate the dissolution of the First Presbyterian Church of Sharpsburg, Kentucky with any specific tasks. The Clerk has shared with the Chairman of the Commission the items listed in Recommendation #1 below and the Commission has begun its work on this basis.

Recommendations

1. **That the Administrative Commission appointed at the March meeting of the Presbytery to investigate the dissolution of the First Presbyterian Church of Sharpsburg be charged as follows:**
  - a. Investigate the request for dissolution
  - b. Recommend to Presbytery whether or not the church should be dissolved
  - c. If dissolution is recommended:
    - i. Attempt to locate any official records of the church and turn them over to the Stated Clerk of the Presbytery for proper preservation
    - ii. After consulting with the Trustees of Presbytery recommend to Presbytery the disposition of any and all church property and carry out said disposition following approval by the Presbytery.
    - iii. Arrange for certificates of transfer to other churches for current members, if any, prepare and conduct a service of recognition of the life and ministry of the First Presbyterian Church of Sharpsburg at a Stated meeting of the Presbytery.
2. **That the Necrology report presented in conjunction with the Morning Worship Service be received and spread on the minutes of this meeting;**
3. **That the resignation of The Rev. Claire Brooks from the Committee on Ministry be received and accepted;**
4. **That the report and judgement of the Permanent Judicial Committee concerning The Rev. Thomas Frazier, be read by the chair of the Committee at this time, and the judgement adopted and ordered by the Presbytery.**