

With Liz and Scott off onto their new ministries, it's natural for ask what will be happening here at PCMP. The session wanted to communicate the process that is in front of us.

The Worship & Music Ministry will be lining up supply pastors until an interim pastor is selected. The information about the supply pastor each week should be available on the website. If you should have need for pastoral care, please contact the office or an elder so we can locate a pastor to assist you.

The session is forming a committee to begin the process to select an interim pastor. The chair will be Russ Hitchcock. They will be working with our Presbytery leader to identify candidates and then conducting interviews. Once someone is named they will immediately become our interim pastor. This process may take a few months.

We can then complete our Visioning Process that has been going on throughout the year, and this report will go to Presbytery for approval. We will also be in the process of selecting nominees for our Pastor Nominating Committee. (PNC) This is a separate committee that will be elected at a Congregational Meeting and will go through the months long process of interviewing and finally selecting our next permanent pastor.

The candidate nominated by the PNC will preach at our church and then be voted upon by our congregation.

If you're interested, more details on the process can be found here:

<http://oga.pcusa.org/section/mid-council-ministries/clc/revised-calling-pastor/>