



Ministry and What We Do

Our CALLING : EXPLORE EXPERIMENT EXCITE

EXPLORE: Search for new meaningful ways to BE Church. Inquire. Seek. Aspire.

EXPERIMENT: Try things out. Test and sample new experiences. Encounter the Spirit's surprises. Be receptive.

EXCITE: Stir. Awaken. Inflame the Spirit within and among us to energize for the work of healing, peace and justice.

Our PURPOSE: To be a resource and support for the health and wellbeing our congregations, that we may grow into communities of healing and grace and embody Christ in the world

COMMITTEE ON MINISTRY

- Credentialing
- Discernment
- Oversight

MINISTERIAL EXCELLENCE AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

- Communities of Practice

 - NEOSOM – School of Ministry – Soon to be the SPIRE Center

SEARCH AND CALL

- Search Committees
- Interim ministry
- Profiles – Church and Authorized Ministers

FAITH IN ACTION

- Resources – anti racism, afghan refugees and more
- Community Engagement Toolbox and more
- FIA Grants – Prophetic Community Engagement, and Direct Community Service
- Prophetic witness and justice – in collaboration with Heartland Conference
- Afghan Resettlement – Current

VISION, ADMIN & RESOURCES

- Council
- Finances – Stewardship and Resources team and Investment Advisory Team
- Staff: General Minister, Minister of Faith in Action, Financial Admin, Information Management and Media, (includes registrar, and search and call info), Financial Development Consultant, Dean of NEOSOM (soon to conclude)

IN COLLABORATION WITH HEARTLAND CONFERENCE UCC – NETWORKS

- Anti-Racism Network
- Faith Formation network
- WISE Network – Welcoming, Inclusive, Supportive and Engaged for mental health.
- Disaster response Network
- Outdoor Ministries
- Youth Network – in the near future
- Interim Ministry Network – with UCC Conference and DOC region