Stated Clerk’s Report

March 15, 2025

**Transitions:**

Rev. Rami Almaqdasi has left First Presbyterian Church of Millersburg and transferred his membership to the Presbytery of Detroit. We will miss him.

**Statistics:**

I just want to thank all those churches who entered their statistical information online for 2024. The period is now closed. Our Presbytery membership as a total is below 5,000 members at the end of 2024 with an approximate total of 4,784 members. \*This is probably not totally accurate as a number of the smaller churches did not turn in any updated membership details and most likely is somewhat less than that.

**Preventing Childhood Sexual Abuse**

Synod of the Covenant will partner with LeaderWise to provide zoom Preventing Childhood Sexual Abuse Training, which is **mandated** by the Book of Order.  (Note:  We are NOT providing LeaderWise’s Boundaries Training in 2025.)  Here are the remaining dates:

**May 12 & May 13** from 9:00am to 11:30am Eastern Time

**May 19 & May 20** from 6:00pm to 8:30pm Eastern Time

**September 17 & September 18** from 6:00pm to 8:30pm Eastern Time

**October 9 & October 10** from 9:00am to 11:30am Eastern Time

Up to 50 people can register for each of these workshops, with a goal of no more than 40 in attendance.  Like in 2024, attendees who sign up for workshops later in the year will get periodic reminders about the upcoming dates.  Chip Hardwick, Synod Exec. will work with LeaderWise to make sure that they keep the registration up to date based on sign-ups.

**Presbytery Meeting Calendar for 2025**

Tuesday, June 17, 2025, at 6:00 P.M. – Pioneer Presbyterian Church of Belpre, OH

Saturday, September 13, 2025, at 9:00 A.M. – Church of the Covenant Presbyterian Church of Canton, OH

Tuesday, December 9, 2025, at 6:00 P.M. – First Presbyterian Church of Uhrichsville, OH