

A brief announcement from your church council,

Together we are prepared to enter the next phase of our transition, the forming of a call committee,

As previously communicated, Messiah is a congregation best served by two pastors and this committee will discern who best to serve as Senior Pastor of Messiah.

At a special meeting held on April 24, our congregation council fulfilled the responsibility given to them by Messiah's constitution by selecting six members to serve on the call committee. This selection was made after much preparation, prayer and deliberation, and seeks to represent a wide cross section of Messiah's membership. The six members are,

- Sam Gmetro
- John Hayduk
- Jay Machado
- Kathy Neumann
- Rachel Roeder
- Allison Younger-Waugaman

Earlier this week the call committee met with Pastor Mitch Phillips, who is assistant to the bishop for the northeast Ohio synod and has the responsibility of assisting congregations through the call process.

We ask for your continued prayers and support as we seek the Holy Spirit's guidance in the process of calling a new pastor to faithfully proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ among us.