



IS GOD CALLING YOU TO FURTHER LEADERSHIP?

If you are a Ruling Elder, God might be calling you to preach or become more involved in pastoral service to a church. A group of local presbyteries has a training program to prepare possible “Commissioned Pastors” for future ministry to the church.

Book of Order Section G-2.10 permits Presbyteries to commission Ruling Elders for limited pastoral service as assigned by the Presbytery. It also specifies that the Presbytery determines the preparation and instruction for this service in such a way that it is appropriate to the particular commission.

The program includes both classroom and hands-on experiences, and you will receive training and mentorship to help you grow as a leader in Christ’s Church.

The Fall Term of 2025 meets on Saturdays, August 9, September 13, October 11, November 8, December 13. The morning class will be an introduction to the classic doctrines of Reformed theology through primary and secondary readings and an exploration of the Book of Confessions of the PC (USA).

Afternoon elective workshops are provided in the areas of pastoral care, spiritual formation for church leaders, polity, boundary/ethics training, and mission in the community.

**If interested, please get in touch with the
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