

**Personnel Committee**  
*Presbytery of Southern New England*

**For Information:**

- Check-in meetings with General Presbyter and Stated Clerk have been completed.
- PSNE Personnel Chair, Boston Presbytery Personnel Chair and Stated Clerk Check-in meeting completed.
- Completed exit interview with outgoing Communications Manager.
- Via subcommittee of the Personnel Committee (The Reverend Mark Montgomery, The Reverend Jason Santalucia and The Reverend Doctor Shannan Vance-Ocampo) interviewed candidates for Communications Manager for PSNE. Joyfully and gratefully welcomed Jenelle Hopkins into this role.
- Reviewed and approved Sabbatical Plan for General Presbyter.
- Alongside General Presbyter, developed coverage plan and compensation for candidate to provide Sabbatical coverage.
- Interviewed candidate for General Presbyter Sabbatical coverage. David Bennett has been selected for this role.
- Made recommendations to Budget Committee for Personnel compensation for 2025. Included with these recommendations was input from Board of Pensions (accounting for 2025 coverage changes), Synod (minimum compensation guidelines for Mid-Council Staff), and Federal Gov. for Cost-of-Living Adjustments (COLA) for coming year.